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**Address / Email:**

Dear

**Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000**

Thank you for requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

**Request**

For the 6-month period ending 30th June 2025, can you please provide:

**1. Total Framework Agency Spend for the below specialties:**

- Occupational Health Nurses
- Nurse Assessors
- Health Visitors
- Dental Nurses
- Chemotherapy Nurses
- Paediatric Nurses
- Social Workers

**2. Total Off Framework Agency Spend for the below specialties:**

- Occupational Health Nurses
- Nurse Assessors
- Health Visitors
- Dental Nurses
- Chemotherapy Nurses
- Paediatric Nurses
- Social Workers

**3. Total hours filled by Framework Agencies for the below specialties:**

- Occupational Health Nurses
- Nurse Assessors
- Health Visitors
- Dental Nurses
- Chemotherapy Nurses
- Paediatric Nurses
- Social Workers

**4. Total hours filled by Off Framework Agencies for the below specialties:**

- Occupational Health Nurses
- Nurse Assessors
- Health Visitors
- Dental Nurses

- Chemotherapy Nurses
- Paediatric Nurses
- Social Workers

**5. A list of all Framework Agencies utilised by the Trust for the below specialties and total number of shifts for each framework agency:**

- Occupational Health Nurses
- Nurse Assessors
- Health Visitors
- Dental Nurses
- Chemotherapy Nurses
- Paediatric Nurses
- Social Workers

**6. A list of all Off Framework Agencies utilised by the Trust for the below specialties and total number of shifts for each Off Framework agency:**

- Occupational Health Nurses
- Nurse Assessors
- Health Visitors
- Dental Nurses
- Chemotherapy Nurses
- Paediatric Nurses
- Social Workers

**7. The highest Framework Agency Charge Rate within your Trust for each of the below specialties:**

- Occupational Health Nurses
- Nurse Assessors
- Health Visitors
- Dental Nurses
- Chemotherapy Nurses
- Paediatric Nurses
- Social Workers

**8. The highest Off Framework Agency Charge Rate within your Trust for each of the below specialties:**

- Occupational Health Nurses
- Nurse Assessors
- Health Visitors
- Dental Nurses
- Chemotherapy Nurses
- Paediatric Nurses
- Social Workers

**9. A list of any agency (Framework and Off Framework) that have ongoing block booking arrangements for the below specialties within your Trust within the identified time frame (01.01.2025 - 30.06.2025):**

- Occupational Health Nurses
- Nurse Assessors
- Health Visitors
- Dental Nurses
- Chemotherapy Nurses
- Paediatric Nurses
- Social Workers

**Response**

The response to all questions is nil/none

If you are dissatisfied with our response, you have the right to appeal in line with guidance from the Information Commissioner. In the first instance you may contact the Information Governance Manager of the Trust.

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Should you disagree with the contents of our response to your appeal, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioners Office at.

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If you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

**Freedom of Information Team**  
**The Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust**