



Ref: FOIA Reference 2022/23-470

Date: 20th December 2022

Email foi@uhnm.nhs.uk

Dear

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your email dated 17th November 2022 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding SNG or Thornbury Nursing Services.

As of 1st November 2014 University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust (UHNM) manages two hospital sites – Royal Stoke University Hospital, and County Hospital (Stafford). Therefore the response below is for the two sites combined from that date where appropriate.

Q1 How many agency nursing shifts have your Trust used SNG or Thornbury Nursing Services for between 1st August 2022 and 1st November 2022?

A1 Three (3) shifts have been used

Q2 Please provide a breakdown of the amount of shifts per ward or department where SNG or Thornbury Nursing Services were used between 1st August 2022 and 1st November 2022?

A2 Three (3) shifts were used at County hospital, (wards 15, 12 and 14) all wards that are used are medicine at County site

Q3 How many agency nursing shifts have your Trust used Nutrix, Genesis or AMC nursing agency for between 1st August 2022 and 1st November 2022?

A3 None

Q4 Please provide a breakdown of the amount of shifts per ward or department where Nutrix, AMC or Genesis were used between 1st August 2022 and 1st November 2022?

A4 Not applicable

Q5 Please name any other OFF CONTRACT SUPPLIERS who have been utilised by the Trust between 1st August 2022 and 1st November 2022 above the NHS Improvement + 50% caps and how many shifts each of these agencies have filled.

A5 No others have been used

Q6 If for any reason you are unable to supply data up until 1st November please provide the data until 31st October 2022

A6 Not applicable

Q7 Can you confirm your head of procurement name, phone number and email address?

A7 Nathan Joy-Johnson; note all Trust emails are in the following format.

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This letter confirms the completion of this request. A log of this request and a copy of this letter will be held by the Trust.

If you have any queries related to the response provided please in the first instance contact my office.

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If following review of the responses I can be of any further assistance please contact my secretary on 01782 671612.

Yours,

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