**FOI Ref: 6656**

**Category(ies): Staff – Agency Spend**

**Subject: International recruitment via Agency**

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| **Your request:** | **Our response:** |
| Please could you answer the below questions in relation to international/overseas recruitment during financial year 2021/2022; | |
| * During the last financial year how many nurses, doctors or AHP have been recruited internationally via an agency? | Medical & Dental Workforce – Nil  Nursing - 70 |
| * How much spend has been used for international recruitment? | Medical & Dental – N/a  Nursing - £451,239.62 |
| * What agencies do you currently use for international recruitment? | Medical & Dental Workforce – we have not engaged with specific agencies for international recruitment  Nursing – NHS Professionals |
| * How did the trust engage with these agencies (direct award, Call off agreement, Mini tender)? | Medical & Dental Workforce – N/A but it would be under a CCS framework |
| * How many vacancies do the Trust have for nurses, doctors and AHPs? | Medical & Dental Workforce – 56.67wte  80.65 WTE Nursing & Midwifery 5.60 WTE Allied Health Professionals |
| * Who in your trust is responsible for international recruitment? | Medical & Dental Workforce – \*Derek Thomas  Nursing – \*Cindy Storer  \*The name of the relevant person is detailed above. The provision of these contact details does not imply consent for unsolicited correspondence on your part. As per Section 122 of the Data Protection Act 2018, permission is not given to use these details for unsolicited contact. Right to prevent processing for purposes of direct marketing.  S122 (5) direct marketing” means the communication (by whatever means) of advertising or marketing material which is directed to a particular individual. |