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**From:** Commercial  
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**Subject:** Agency Nursing spend for 2022-23

Please could you answer the following questions in relation to the trusts agency nursing usage in financial year 2022-2023

- Q1 How much in total did the trust spend on agency nursing supply?
- Q2 How was that total split between Community/ Acute/ Mental Health Nursing (please delete as appropriate)?
- Q3 Of the total spend, how much of it was spent with off-framework agencies?

A1 - **Community and Acute:**  
A3

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**Mental Health Nursing: Information not held as we do not provide mental health services**

- Q4 Who within the trust is responsible for reporting on off-framework usage?
- A4 Senior Managers and Executives for the relevant area are responsible dependant on whether the agency required is on or off framework, the hourly rate or which division the department comes under. The Temporary Staffing Team manage the whole process – [Temporary.Staffing@lhch.nhs.uk](mailto:Temporary.Staffing@lhch.nhs.uk)