

**Reference Number:** FOI202223/315  
**From:** Commercial  
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**Subject:** Details of Procurement lead and nursing agency usage

**Q1** (a) Who is the head of procurement at this Trust?  
(b) Who is responsible for approving Nursing agency usage? Who is the temporary / flexible staffing lead responsible for the management of this service?

**A1** a. [Steven Doran](#)  
b. [Diane Batey](#)

**Q2** Please can you provide the contact number and email address in relation to both question 1 (a) and (b)

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**Q3** Have you used Off-framework nursing agency staff in the last 3 months at this trust?

**A3** No

**Q4** How much was your Off-Framework agency spend for each of the following staff groups between August 2022 – October 2022

- (a) RGN's
- (b) Registered Midwives
- (c) RMN
- (d) Specialist RN (ITU)
- (e) Specialist RN (A&E).

**A4** Information not held as per A3

**Q5** Following the same breakdown of staff groups in Question 3, how many Off-framework shifts have been unfilled between August 2022 – October 2022?

**A5** Information not held as per A3