

**Reference Number:** FOI/2019/409  
**From:** Commercial  
**Date:** 14 October 2019  
**Subject:** Bank and Agency Spend 2018/19

- Q1 Please could you confirm your current bank spend (FY 18/19), broken down by the following staff groups:
- Nursing staff
  - Medical locums (Doctors)
  - AHP/HSS
  - Other clinical
  - Non-clinical

A1 Information exempt under Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 - 'Information reasonably accessible to the applicant by other means'.

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- Q2 Please confirm your current bank fill rate (FY 18/19), broken down by the following staff groups:
- Nursing staff
  - Medical locums (Doctors)
  - AHP/HSS
  - Other clinical
  - Non-clinical

- A2
- 79.12%
  - 18.54%
  - 4.01 %
  - N/A
  - 84.7%

- Q3 Please could you confirm your current agency spend (FY 18/19), broken down by the following staff groups:
- Nursing staff
  - Medical locums (Doctors)
  - AHP/HSS
  - Other clinical
  - Non-clinical

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Q4 Please could you confirm your current agency engagement procedure (i.e. MV, PSL etc) and which agencies you are currently working with, broken down by the following staff groups:

- a. Nursing staff
- b. Medical locums (Doctors)
- c. AHP/HSS
- d. Other clinical
- e. Non-clinical

A4 a. Engage directly with Agency:  
Bluestones  
Focusmed24  
Interact  
Pulse

b. Direct Engagement with Plus Us:  
ID MED

c. Direct Engagement with Plus Us:  
Globe  
MAXXIMA  
Medics Pro  
Pulse  
RIG  
Your World

d. Not applicable we do not have other clinical bank or agency use

e. Engage directly with Agency  
Venn  
Hays  
Real staffing

Q5 Do you have DE supplier, if so who, broken down by staff group? When is the expiry date for this contract?

A5 We use Plus Us for AHP & Medics

Q6 Do you have an MV supplier, if so who, broken down by staff group? When is the expiry date for this contract?

A6 No

Q7 Do you have an external Bank supplier, if so who, broken down by staff group? When is the expiry date for this contract?

A7 No

Q8 Please could you confirm what your agency spend is for permanent staff in the past 24 months, broken down by the following staff groups. How much of this is international recruitment?

- a. Nursing staff
- b. Medical locums (Doctors)
- c. AHP/HSS
- d. Other clinical
- e. Non-clinical

A8 Information not held - we have had no permanent recruitment undertaken via an agency in the past 24 months

Q9 How many permanent vacancies do you have as per the below table. Do you have a current supplier for these roles?

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	FY1	FY2	SP 1&2	SP 3&4	Speciality Doctor	Associate Specialist	Consultant
A&E							
Surgery		2			2		
Medicine				1			
Paediatrics							
T&O							
Radiology					1		1
Cardiology		2			4		3
General Practice							
Anaesthetics							
Total	0	4	0	1	7	0	4