

Freedom of Information Act Request

I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information from Doncaster and Bassetlaw Teaching NHS Foundation - NHSP . Please may you provide me with:

- 1) The person or department who manages the supply chain of temporary staff for Allied Health and Healthcare Science Professionals (Pharmacy, Radiology, Cardiology, Biomedical Science/Pathology, Occupational Therapy, Physiotherapy) , Nursing (specialist and general, including HCAs) and Midwifery professionals.

See exemption below 40(2)

- 2) The email address and telephone number of the mentioned in point 1.

See exemption below 40(2)

- 3) A breakdown of the trust's clinical agency spend within the last 24 months. including of the departments of spend

Shift Status			Agency
Trust	Staff Group	Field of Practice	Total Cost
Doncaster & Bassetlaw Teaching Hospitals NHS FT	Total		£2,936,414
	Admin & Clerical	Total	£187,973
		Finance	£81,916
		Human Resources	£11,909
		Information Technology	£10,890
		Office Services	£69,188
		Patient Services	£14,070
	Allied Health Prof	Total	£534,107
		Operating Theatre Practitioner	£221,266
		Paramedic	£312,840
	Nursing & Midwifery	Total	£2,207,781
		Adult	£1,987,514
		Children	£21,305
		Mental Health and Learning Disabilities	£36,897
		Midwifery	£162,065
		Support	Total
	Maintenance & Estates		£6,554
Total			£2,936,414

- 4) The agency shifts cascaded out within the past 12 months for the Nursing and Midwifery and Allied health/Healthcare Science professions and
- At what cost they was covered (NHSI or above)
 - Number of agency shifts required broken down across Allied Health, Healthcare Science and Nursing and Midwifery.

Shift Status	Agency	
Trust	Total Shifts	Total Cost
<input type="checkbox"/> Doncaster & Bassetlaw Teaching Hospitals NHS FT	6,023	£1,975,426
Allied Health Prof	1,173	£463,776
Nursing & Midwifery	4,850	£1,511,651
Total	6,023	£1,975,426

- Was any off this off framework
 - If so to what agency and in what area

Shift Status				Agency	Agency
Trust	Staff Group	Field of Practice	Agency Name	Total Shifts	Total Cost
Doncaster & Bassetlaw Teaching Hospitals NHS FT	Nursing & Midwifery	Adult	Greys Specialist Recruitm	489	£167,934
Total				489	£167,934

- 5) What agencies are on the supply chain for and if there is a tier structure in place.
- Allied Health and Healthcare Science

<input type="checkbox"/> Allied Health Prof
Day Web
ID Medical
Keystone Healthcare
N L Group
Service Care Solutions
Your World Recruitment

b. Nursing and Midwifery

 Nursing & Midwifery
Altrix Technology Ltd
Cromwell Medical Staffing
Day Web
Elevation Healthcare Ltd
First Point
Greys Specialist Recruitm
ID Medical
Keystone Healthcare
McMillan Healthcare Ltd
N L Group
Nursing Personnel
Nutrix Personnel Ltd
Pulse
Pure Healthcare Group Ltd
Templo Connection
Your Nurse Ltd
Your World Recruitment

6) What framework do you transact under?

Agencies are utilised under the Workforce Alliance Framework

7) What person/department looks after external permanent recruitment
a. Please supply their contract number and email address.

See exemption below 40(2)

I can confirm that Doncaster and Bassetlaw Teaching Hospital does hold the names, emails and telephone contacts for the departments requested. Any available names and contacts for the staff structure chart which can be found on our Trust website and [HERE](#). I have also attached a copy with this email

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.

The rest of our employees' names and contact information is exempt under section 40 (2) as explained below

Exempt information under section 40(2) (personal information) of the FOIA

Names, job titles (other than those on our Staff Structure Chart) and email addresses constitute personal data.

Section 40(2) provides that personal data is exempt information if one of the conditions set out in section 40(3) is satisfied. In our view, disclosure of this information would breach the data protection principles contained in the General Data Protection Regulations and Data Protection Act 2018

In reaching this decision, we have particularly considered:

- the reasonable expectations of the employees given their positions;
- these individuals are not in public facing roles and have an expectation that their names and direct contact details will not be put into the public domain. It would be unfair for us to disclose their details and would contravene the first data protection principle.
- the consequences of disclosure; and
- any legitimate public interest in disclosure.

Section 40(2) is an absolute exemption and therefore not subject to the public interest test.

If you are not satisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to request an internal review. Requests for an internal review should be submitted within 40 working days from the date of this response, and should be addressed to d.wraith@nhs.net.

If you remain dissatisfied after the internal review, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO). The ICO can be contacted at:

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Website: <https://ico.org.uk/make-a-complaint/>