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Our reference: /FOI D9440

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Dear Joe,

RE: FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 – INFORMATION REQUEST - REF: D9440

Please find our Trust's response in relation to your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act.

Please provide the total agency spend of your Trust, for the last financial year, and the total hours supplied by temporary agency staff to your Trust, for the following staffing categories:

Staffing Provision	Total Hours FY (2018/19)	Total Yearly Spend (2018/19)
General Nursing	N/A	*
Theatres (Nursing)	N/A	*
Healthcare Assistants	7,975	*
RMNs (where Applicable)	13,434	*
Doctors (All Specialisms)	37,481	*
AHP/HSS	2,227	*
Non-Medical Non-Clinical	4,648	*
Emergency Nurse Practitioner/ Advanced Nurse Practitioner	N/A	*

For non-medical staff the hours relate to the period 25 Feb – 31 March 2019. We are unable to provide the number of hours prior to that date as not all agency work was captured on Trust systems.

For medical staff the hours relate to the period 8 Oct 2018 – 31 March 2019 as that was when the Trust introduced NHSP for medical staff and introduced the system which captured all the hours.

*The information regarding agency spend is subject to an exemption in accordance with **Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act – Information Accessible by Other Means**. The information you have requested is already available on our FOI Disclosure Log at

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<https://www.gmmh.nhs.uk/disclosure-log>. The relevant responses are 'D9220 – Agency and Bank Staff Spend 2018-19' released on 30.05.19 and 'D9284 – Agency and Bank Staff 2018-19' released on 15.07.19.

I hope the information provided above is to your satisfaction. If you are unhappy with the way, the Trust has handled your request you may request an internal review.

If you require an internal review please write to Sarah McDonald, Head of IM&T Service Delivery, at the address above, who will arrange a review of your case.

If you are not happy with the outcome of the internal review you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely

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