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Date Received: 13th December 2024

Response Due: 15th January 2025

Date: 6th January 2025

Dear Sir/Madam

With reference to your request for information received on 13th December 2024, I can confirm in accordance with Section 1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 that we do hold the information you have requested. A response to each part of your request is provided below.

In your request you asked:

1. How many hours were worked by temporary staff within Allied Health Professionals (AHP) and Health Science Services (HSS) between (Jan 2024 and December 2024)

14,676.99.

2. Can you provide a breakdown of the hours worked by temporary staff within each of the divisions/departments under AHP/HSS?

Acute Therapies = 395.25.

Cardio-respiratory department = 310.

Community Neuro-Rehab Team = 457.58.

Community Dietetics and Nutritional Support = 1088.5

Community Respiratory Service = 529.

Hindley PCN = 284.

Integrated Neuro and Stroke Team = 2151.08.

Intermediate Care Therapy Team = 2316.83.

Pharmacy = 4234.75.

Podiatry = 813.

Theatre M2-4 = 9.

Theatre P1-4 = 15.

Theatres Anaesthetics = 41.25.

Theatres Recovery = 20.25.

Wigan and Leigh Hospice = 149.50.

Wigan Wheelchair Service = 1,862.

3. Do you have a Master Vendor or Neutral Vendor to source AHP/HSS agency staff? If so, who is that contract with and when does it end?

Neutral Vendor. NHS Professionals, contract expiry 31/03/2026.

4. Who, within the Trust, is responsible for managing that contract and what is their job title?

Alison Luxon, Deputy Chief Nurse.

5. Which agency is the largest supplier of AHP/HSS agency staff to the Trust?

Globe Locums Limited.

6. Do you currently use an Insourcing provider for any of your AHP / HSS services and if so for what services and who oversees this contract

N/A.

If you are not entirely satisfied with this response, please do not hesitate to contact the Information Governance Department via the email address provided. If we do not hear from you within 40 days, we will assume that we have been able to accommodate your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Yours sincerely,



Tabitha Gardner
Chief Finance Officer

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