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REQUEST

As part of my research for my MSc Dissertation, I am looking into the the effects of the recent NHS Improvement rate caps. I would therefore be grateful if you could provide the following information in line with the Freedom of Information Act.

Medical Locums

- What was your agency spend on medical locums during 2015/2016?
- Do you source your locums via:
 - o Mastervend
 - o Managed service
 - o Preferred supplier list
 - o Other (please state)
- Which framework do you use to source your medical locums?
- Are you working to the NHS Improvement rate caps?
- Do you use direct engagement (VAT mitigation)?

AHP/HSS Staff Groups

- What was your spend on agency AHP and HSS during 2015/2016?
- Which framework do you use to source your agency workers in this area?
- Are you working to the NHS Improvement rate caps?

Other staff groups

- What was your agency spend on non clinical staff (not doctors, nurses, HSS or AHP staff) during 2015/2016?
- Which framework do you use to source these staff?

- Which staff groups do you use (eg, admin and clerical, ancillary, IT staff, senior manager interim staff, VSM interims)
- Are you working to the NHS Improvement rate caps?

RESPONSE

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Medical Locums

- What was your agency spend on medical locums during 2015/2016?

Agency Junior Doctor	
ST1	£7,619
Agency Med Otr	
Career Gd	£63,551
Agency Med SHO &	
HO	£1,659,488
Agency Med SPR	£2,224,122
Agency Medical	
Consultant	£2,189,271

- Do you source your locums via:
 - ~~Mastercard~~
 - ~~Managed service~~
 - Preferred supplier list ✓
 - ~~Other (please state)~~
- Which framework do you use to source your medical locums?

HTE

- Are you working to the NHS Improvement rate caps?

Yes

- Do you use direct engagement (VAT mitigation)?

Yes

AHP/HSS Staff Groups

- What was your spend on agency AHP and HSS during 2015/2016?

Agency PAMs	£175,992
Agency Physiotherapist	£59,474
Agency Prof & Tech	£1,338,030

- Which framework do you use to source your agency workers in this area?

HTE

- Are you working to the NHS Improvement rate caps?

Yes

Other staff groups

- What was your agency spend on non clinical staff (not doctors, nurses, HSS or AHP staff) during 2015/2016?

Agency Senior Manager	£447,207
Agency Admin & Clerical	£1,144,052

- Which framework do you use to source these staff?

HTE

- Which staff groups do you use (eg, admin and clerical, ancillary, IT staff, senior manager interim staff, VSM interims)

IT Staff and interim senior managers

- Are you working to the NHS Improvement rate caps?

Yes