

**Freedom of Information Request**

**Ref: 23-586**

4 September 2023

By Email

Dear Sir/Madam

Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The Trust's response is as follows:

- We can confirm that we do hold the information you are requesting

**1. From 1st May 2023- 31st July 2023 how many shifts have your Trust used Thornbury Nursing Services for?**

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**2. Within this timeframe, please list the number of shifts by ward or department that Thornbury was utilised in.**

Please see our response in the attached document.

**3. Please name all other 'off-contract agencies' for nursing that were utilised by the Trust within this time frame. (01/05/2023-31/07/2023) For the purpose of definition 'off-contract suppliers' would be any non-framework providers under Workforce Alliance or Health Trust Europe.**

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**4. Please list all wards or departments that utilised these agencies within this same time frame.**

Please see our response in the attached document.

**5. Please list any suppliers with a general Band 5-day charge rate of over £50 per hour that have been booked for the Trust in this time period (01/05/2023-31/07/2023)**

Please see our response in the attached document.

**6. Please list any suppliers with a general Band 5-night charge above £60 per hour that have been booked for the Trust in this time period (01/05/2023 - 31/07/2023)**

Thornbury

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This concludes our response. We trust that you find this helpful, but please do not hesitate to contact us directly if we can be of any further assistance.

If, after that, you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to:

Data Protection Officer  
University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust  
Trust Headquarters  
Marlborough Street  
Bristol  
BS1 3NU

Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF

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Yours sincerely

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**University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust**