

Ref: 25-333

Freedom of Information Request

19 May 2025

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
- Can you confirm your head of procurement name, phone number and email address?
 Peter Russell, Head of Resourcing
 Peter.Russell3@UHBW.nhs.uk
- How many agency nursing shifts have your Trust used Thornbury Nursing Services for between 1st Jan 2025 and 1st March 2025?

This is commercially sensitive information and will not be shared at an organisational level. Section 43 of the FOI Act provides that information is exempt if its disclosure would, or would be likely to prejudice the commercial interests of any person. Therefore we are withholding this information at this time.

- Please provide a breakdown of the amount of shifts per ward or department where Thornbury Nursing Services were used between 1st Jan 2025 and 1st March 2025? This is commercially sensitive information and will not be shared at an organisational level. Section 43 of the FOI Act provides that information is exempt if its disclosure would, or would be likely to prejudice the commercial interests of any person. Therefore we are withholding this information at this time.
- Please name any other OFF CONTRACT SUPPLIERS who have been utilised by the Trust between 1st Jan 2025 and 1st March 2025 above the NHS Improvement + 50% caps and how many shifts each of these agencies have filled.

 None
- If for any reason you are unable to supply data up until 1st Jan 2025 and 1st March 2025 please provide from 1st December 2024 and 1st Feb 2025?

 Not applicable

Can you confirm medical director name, phone number and email address for Psychiatry?

We do not have a psychiatry department, only Adult Liaison Psychiatry.

The Interim Medical Director for the Trust is: Rebecca Maxwell, Interim Medical Director rebecca.maxwell@uhbw.nhs.uk

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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