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Dear

RE: Freedom of Information request

Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, which was received by the Trust on 30/05/2023. Please see responses to your requests below.

Please could you answer the following questions in relation to the trust's agency nursing usage in financial year 2022-2023.

- 1. How much in total did the trust spend on agency nursing supply?**
The Trust's total spends on agency nursing supply for the financial year 22/23 was £8.9m.
- 2. How was that total split between Community/ Acute/ Mental Health Nursing (please delete as appropriate)?**
All acute.
- 3. Of the total spend, how much of it was spent with off-framework agencies?**
£0.5m out of the total spend was spent with off-framework agencies.
- 4. Who within the trust is responsible for reporting on off-framework usage?**
The Trust's Workforce Information team.

Please accept this letter as completion of your request. Please note that copies of this request will be held on file for three years before being confidentially destroyed.

If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of your request, please contact our Head of Information Governance on Information.Governance@porthosp.nhs.uk or write to the above address and we will conduct an internal review. Upon review, if you are still dissatisfied, you may appeal our decision by contacting the Information Commissioner's Office; for more information, please visit the [ICO's website](#).

Please be aware, if we do not receive an appeal within 30 days of you receiving this letter, we will assume that you are satisfied with our response. If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

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