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Dear

## **Request for Information**

I write further to your request FOI ID 31988 under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 regarding:-

Agency Usage and spend

Your request is set out below:

1) Please could you confirm the names of the top 5 locum agencies you have the most spend with within AHP/HSS there at the trust from the calendar year of 2021?

Agency	Amount £
Mind Professionals Limited	
	66,890.92
Pulse	
	29,177.23
System generated accruals	
	429.09
Total	
	96,497.24
We only used 2 Agencies during the period of Jan 21 - Dec	
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2. Please could you state the utilisation rate for each agency that has been achieved? This should amount to the total value of AHP locum spend supplied by each agency during the 2021 calendar year as a percentage of total AHP locum spend in the same period.

Agency	Amount £	Utilisation rate
Mind Professionals Limited		69%
	66,890.92	
Pulse		30%
	29,177.23	
System generated accruals		0%
	429.09	
Total		
	96,497.24	

3) Please can you breakdown the total spend on AHP/HSS agency staff during the calendar year of 2021?

Role	Amount £
Agency Psychologist	
	96,497.24
AHP Assistant Agency	
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Total	
	96,497.24

4) Please can break down the total spend on AHP/HSS agency staffing during the calendar year 2021 for the specialisms below:

АНР	Spend
Sonographers	N/A
Radiographers	N/A
Radiotherapists	N/A
Clinical Physiologists	N/A
Physiotherapists	N/A
Occupational Therapists	N/A
Speech and Language Therapists	N/A
Audiologists	N/A
Dieticians	N/A
Podiatrists	N/A
Clinical Psychologists	96,497.24
Theatre Practitioners	N/A

HSS	Spend
Biomedical Scientists	N/A
Mortuary/Pathology Technicians	N/A
Pharmacy Services Staff	N/A
Othoptists & Optometrists	N/A

I confirm that the information above/attached completes your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. I am also pleased to confirm that no charge will be made for this request.

If you have any questions or concerns or are unhappy with the response provided or the service you have received you can write to the Head of Information Governance at the address on top of this letter. If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision.

**Yours Sincerely** 

On Behalf of The Information Governance Department