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Re: Freedom of Information Request
Ref: 230-2018

Thank you for your email dated 24th October 2018 requesting information regarding Medical Locums.

The information that you require is as follows:

Which framework do you use for Medical Locum supply?

Crown Commercial Framework of the Health Trust Europe Framework.

What was your total spend on agency Medical Locums for financial year 2017-2018?

£416,178

What are your hard to fill specialties for Medical Locums? Please highlighted specific grades if applicable

Consultant Radiologists
Medical Oncology Consultants
Clinical Oncology Consultants

Do you use a system to manage Medical Locum agency supply and if so what is the name of the system? If so what date does this contract expire and how long has the contract been in place?

No

Do you use a system for Direct Engagement for Medical Locums and if so what date does this contract expire and how long has the contract been in place?

Yes, we use TempRE. The contract expires on the 24.01.22 and has been in place since January 2017.

Do you have a Tiering system for Medical Locum agencies? If so how many Tiers are in place and how many agencies sit on each Tier?

Yes, 2 tiers, 60 on tier 1, all other framework agencies classed as tier 2.

Is agency Medical Locum supply managed by staff in departments or by a centralised team?

Staff in departments

Do you use agencies for Permanent Doctors and Nursing recruitment?

No

Do you have a system or app to manage internal bank doctors? If so what is the name of the system/app?

No

Who is the Procurement or HR lead for Medical Locums and could you please confirm contact details.

Lisa Hassey- Workforce Systems & Information Manager

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Could you please confirm who the Medical Staffing Manager and Temporary Staffing Manager is for Medical Locums along with their contact details.

As above

Should you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact me on the email address provided below.

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

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