# Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 Response to correspondence dated 8 March 2022

Request: Agency Usage Stats Reference: IGTFOISA10523



NHS Tayside has now considered your request dated 8 March 2022.

# **Extract from Request**

- 1. What contractual relationships are in place for supplying agency nurses and who is responsible for managing them?
- 2. How many agencies are used to supply agency nurses?
- 3. Please outline your spend per agency, broken down by grade and speciality of nurse over the past 6 months
- CPN's
- RMN's
- CAMHS

Do you have a PSL in place? Preferred Supplier List. If so, please list the name of the agencies.

### Response

- 1. Nursing agencies are secured and managed by the NHS Tayside Staff Bank utilising nationally set framework of preferred providers and qualification criteria set by NHS Services Scotland.
- 2. 34 agencies are used to supply agency nurses.
- 3. Please find NHS Tayside response in the spreadsheet attached to the responding email
- 4. Aberness Care Ltd.

Aberness Recruitment Agency.

Allied and Clinical Recruitment.

ASA Recruitment Daytime Healthcare Recruitment Limited.

Delight Supported Living.

Direct Medics.

DRC Locums.

H1.

HSC Nursing and Healthcare.

ID Medical.

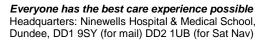
Interact Medical Ltd.

Medacs.

MediLink Consulting.

Medline Recruitment.







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National Locums Ltd. Plan B. RMR Recruitment. TXM Healthcare. WNA Healthcare. Your World Nursing.

**Exemptions Section** – application of Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 exemptions and Data Protection Act 2018 Principles.

Document Ref.	FOISA Exemption Applied	Justification
IGTFOISA10523	None	None



Chief Executive, Professor Grant R Archibald

Chair, Mrs L Birse-Stewart

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Under section 20 (1) of the Act, if you are dissatisfied with the way NHS Tayside has dealt with your request, you have a right to request a review of our actions and decisions in relation to your request, and you have a right to appeal to the Scottish Information Commission.

A request for an internal review must be made in writing no later than forty working days from receipt of this response and sent to:

Head of Information Governance and Cyber Assurance Maryfield House (South) 30 Mains Loans Dundee DD4 7BT

Or by email to tay.foisa@nhs.scot

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Scottish Information Commissioner, within 6 months of the date of any review, for a decision. The Scottish Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Scottish Information Commissioner Kinburn Castle Doubledykes Road St Andrews KY16 9DS

Or via the online appeal service: www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal

#### If you have any queries about this correspondence, please contact:

Information Governance and Cyber Assurance Team Maryfield House 30 Mains Loan Dundee DD4 7BT

Telephone - 01382 740074 E-mail: <u>tay.foisa@nhs.scot</u>

Information Governance and Cyber Assurance NHS Tayside 12 May 2022



