

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000**THE ROYAL CORNWALL HOSPITALS NHS TRUST RESPONSE TO INFORMATION REQUEST****Date Request Received:** 29th May 2019**FOI Ref:** 6579**Requested Information**

- 1) In the last 60 days how many times have your Trust utilised Thornbury Nursing Services for agency nurses?
- 2) Which wards or departments were these TNS requests for?
- 3) How many long term lines of work or block bookings are currently being supplied by off framework suppliers?
- 4) Which wards and departments are utilising off contract agencies on lines of work or block bookings?
- 5) Which off Framework suppliers are currently supplying your Trust with agency nurses?

Response

- 1) Please be advised from the 20th March 2019 to 29th May 2019 the Royal Cornwall Hospitals Trust utilised Thornbury Nursing services 103 times for agency Nurses
- 2) Please see the list of areas below for where Thornbury Nursing Services was requested at the Royal Cornwall Hospitals Trust
 - Accident and Emergency Department
 - Acute Medical Unit
 - Acute Paediatric Department
 - Discharge Lounge
 - Intensive Care Unit
- 3) Please be advised the Royal Cornwall Hospitals Trust currently has 11 long term lines of work or block bookings supplied by off framework suppliers. Please note Thornberry Nurses also pick up continuous shifts
- 4) Please be advised the Acute Paediatric Department at the Royal Cornwall Hospitals Trust are currently utilising off contract agencies on lines of work or block bookings
- 5) Please be advised Thornberry Nursing Services are currently the off framework supplier supplying Agency Nurses to the Royal Cornwall Hospitals Trust

Attachment(s)

None

Date Response Sent:

June 2019