

Freedom of Information Request **22 186**

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Dear Requester,

Further to your Freedom of Information Request, please find the Trust's response below:

Humber Teaching NHS Foundation Trust ("the Trust") is a multi-specialty provider of mental health, primary care and community services. The Trust can confirm as follows:

I am writing to make a request under the Freedom of Information Act. Please could you answer the below questions relating to temporary staff management within your organisation.

Sourced Staffing Arrangements

1a. Do you have a master vendor (MV) or neutral vendor (NV) arrangement in place for sourcing agency staff? If so, please state which arrangement is in place

[Yes, Master Vendor](#)

1b. What is the name of the MV/NV provider(s) and what staffing groups do they source? e.g. medical, nursing etc.

[Master Vendor sources Allied Health Professionals.](#)

[For further info please see https://liaisongroup.com/liaison-workforce/tempre/](https://liaisongroup.com/liaison-workforce/tempre/)

1c. As part of the arrangement, is any technology provided by the supplier to help manage the procurement of agency staff?

[Please see link above.](#)

1d. Please provide the contract start and end date for the supplier (dd/mm/yy)

[Start date is April 2015 and end date is 12th April 2025](#)

Direct Engagement

2a. Does the organisation use a third party to provide a Direct Engagement/Outsourced Employment Solution? (This is where the NHS organisation sources agency staff via a recruitment agency but hold a direct contract between the organisation and the worker - there is often VAT savings associated to this employment model)

[Yes](#)

2b. What is the name of the Direct Engagement (DE)/Outsourced Employment supplier (e.g. 247Time/Allocate, PlusUs, Retinue, Liaison etc.)

[TempRe](#)



2c. Under the DE/Outsourced Employment arrangement, which staffing groups are managed? For example; Medical, Admin, Scientific staff. Please list all applicable
[Medical \(Doctors\)](#)

2d. Please provide the contract start and end date for the DE supplier (dd/mm/yy)
[5-year contract commencing April 2022 with review after one year.](#)

2f. How much did the organisation pay the supplier in 21/22 (April 2021 to March 2022) for the provision of the direct engagement service?

[N/A - see response to 2d](#)

Vendor Management System for Nurse Agency

3a. Does the organisation use a third-party Vendor Management System for the supply of nurse agency staff?

[No](#)

3b. Who supplies your Vendor Management System? E.g. Allocate, NHSP etc.

[N/A – see response to 3a](#)

3c. Please provide the contract start and end date for this provider (dd/mm/yy)

[N/A – see response to 3a](#)

Bank Management

4a. Please name the technology provider used to manage the supply of your bank staff, inclusive of any outsourced or managed arrangements (i.e. NHSP, Bank Partners, Allocate, Liaison, Patchwork, Locum's Nest etc). If more than one supplier is used, please name all suppliers

[Allocate Health Roster](#)

4b. Please name the staffing group each provider is used for e.g. medical, nursing, AHPs, admin and clerical

[The Trust does not use an external provider to manage its bank staff as it is managed in-house.](#)

4c. Please provide the contract start and end date for each bank supplier (dd/mm/yy)

[N/A – see response to 4b](#)

4d. How much did the organisation pay the supplier(s) in 21/22 for the provision of the bank service?

[N/A – see response to 4b](#)

Kind regards,

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