



Chief Executive: Professor Joe Harrison

Chair: Alison Davis

Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on 01 September 2022.

I am pleased to confirm the following.

- 1. Can you confirm names of all off framework agencies supplying into the trust directly for nursing staff, specifically theatre staff.
- a. With the above information, can this be broken down by
- Volume of supply (per month for the last 6 months)
- Total trust spends per agency (per month for the last 6 months)

This information is commercially sensitive.

2. Please can you confirm how many nursing and theatre shifts have been released/allocated to off framework agencies within the last 6 months

Theatres – 1 shift

3. Please can you confirm how many nursing and theatre shifts have been filled by off framework agencies within the last 6 months

241 – Paediatrics 1 Theatres 21 – ITU

4. For a 6-month period, can you confirm the average charge rate per hour for Band 5 Nursing agency staff across:

Please see question 5

5. Can you confirm the highest agency nurse hourly charge rate, and their speciality?

Standard - Band 2	£15.65	£22.40	£22.40	£29.02	£29.02
Standard - Band 5	£24.79	£32.23	£32.23	£39.66	£39.66
Critical - Band 5	£30.68	£39.87	£39.87	£49.08	£49.08
Standard - Band 6	£30.68	£39.87	£39.87	£49.08	£49.08
Standard - Band 7	£36.02	£46.84	£46.84	£57.65	£57.65

6. For a 6 month period, can you confirm the average charge rate per hour Theatres Staff agency staff across:

£34

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Yours sincerely,

Freedom of Information Co-ordinator For and on behalf of Milton Keynes Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

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