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**Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000**

Thank you for your request for information which we received on 27 April 2018.

I am pleased to confirm the following.

**- In the last 12 months, how many visa applications did the hospital process and were accepted for their permanent doctor placements?**

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**- In the last 12 months have you used an agency to fill your permanent doctor positions?**

Yes

**- In the last 12 months, which agencies have you used for your permanent doctor positions you have filled?**

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**- In the last 12 months, how many doctors have been placed in permanent roles via an agency?**

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**- In the last 12 months, how much have you spent on agencies for your permanent doctor placements?**

£10,000

**- How much are you charged per permanent doctor placement as per grade below?**

**1. SHO's (this includes FY1, FY2, ST1, ST2, CT1, CT2, StR Lower, Clinical fellow, Trust grade, RMO) -**

£0

**2. SPR's (this includes ST3, ST4, ST5, ST6, ST7, CT3, CT4, StR Higher, Senior Clinical Fellow, Registrar, Staff Grade, Middle Grade, Speciality Doctor) -**

£10,000

### **3. Consultants (this includes Associate specialist, Lead Consultants, Consultant Physician)**

£0

**- Is your permanent recruitment process for doctors tendered to agencies? –**

We do not usually use agencies to recruit to substantive posts.

**- Who was successful with the tender allocation? -**

NA

**- Do you have any outstanding vacancies currently advertised with agencies for permanent doctor roles? -**

No

**- Please provide us with the name, title and contact details of the head of permanent recruitment. –**

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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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