



Ref: FOIA Reference 2022/23-452

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Dear

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your email dated 10th November 2022 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding Bank spend

As of 1st November 2014 University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust (UHNM) manages two hospital sites – Royal Stoke University Hospital, and County Hospital (Stafford). Therefore the response below is for the two sites combined from that date where appropriate.

Q1 Please confirm Bank spend for the AHP staff group for the last 12 months for each job role and band in the AHP staff group.

A1 See attached spread sheet- note: Note that the question asks for this info to be split by band but this is not stored in our ledger figures as the only account code split we have summarises the data by role instead.

The question asks for the last 12 months but in order to obtain this info we have supplied from 21/22 FY April therefore there is 21 months of data on the file

Q2 Please confirm Bank spend for the AHP staff group for the last 12 months for each job role and band in AHP the staff group.

A2 Repeat of question 1

Q3 Please confirm if you have a direct engagement contract for the AHP staff group.

A3 Yes

Q4 Please confirm the direct engagement-DE% uptake for AHP for the last 12 months and the start and end date of the contract.

A4 We are unable to provide % uptake. AHP/HSS contract start and end date 07/08/21-08/08/24 plus 12 month option to extend. Direct Engagement contract start and end date 01/10/21-30/09/23 plus an option to extend for a further 2 x 12 month period

Q5 Please confirm which model is in place for managing AHP: preferred supplier list, master vendor, or neutral vendor.

A5 Master Vendor

Q6 If you have a master vendor or neutral vendor in place, please confirm who this contract is with and the date on which this contract expires.

A6 Maxxima -07/08/21-08/08/24 plus 12 month option to extend

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This letter confirms the completion of this request. A log of this request and a copy of this letter will be held by the Trust.

If you have any queries related to the response provided please in the first instance contact my office.

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Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF or via www.ico.org.uk.

If following review of the responses I can be of any further assistance please contact my secretary on 01782 671612.

Yours,

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