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**Re: Freedom of Information Request FOI 6243**

We are writing in response to your request submitted under the Freedom of Information Act, received in this office on 26th March 2024.

Your request was as follows:

1.  Please can you confirm how many shifts have been released/allocated to ON framework agencies within the last 90 days?

I can confirm the Walton Centre NH Foundation Trust have not used any ON or OFF framework nursing agencies in the last 90 days.

2.  In the last 90 days which wards, or departments were these ON framework requests for?

N/A

3.  Please can you confirm how many nursing shifts have been filled by ON framework agencies within the last 90 days?

N/A

4.  How many long term lines of work or block bookings are currently being supplied by ON framework agencies?

N/A

5.  Which ON framework agencies is the trust currently utilising for Nursing vacancies and what is the spend on these agencies year to date?

N/A

6.  Please can you confirm how many shifts have been released/allocated to OFF framework agencies within the last 90 days?

N/A

7.  What is the average charge for both RMN's and RGN's from ON framework agencies?

N/A

8.  Who at Temporary Staffing is responsible for onboarding new agencies and could you provide their email address and contact number?

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9.  What is the generic Nurse bank email address for staff bank?

N/A

10.  How many shifts were cascaded to Thornbury Nursing within the last 90 days?

The WCFT do not use Thornbury Nursing.

Please see our response above in [blue](#).

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Telephone: 0303 123 1113

Yours sincerely

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