

## Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002

DATE RECEIVED	22/04/2022	SUBJECT	Agency Staff		
PASSED TO	HR	DATE PASSED	25/04/2022	RESPOND BY	13/05/2022
CATEGORY	Business		FoI NUMBER	2022-145	

Question/s to be Answered

1. Who is the head of procurement responsible for approving agency usage for Physiotherapy, Occupational Therapy, Pharmacy, Radiography, Speech and Language Therapy and Sterile Services?

This would be the Director responsible for the individual department/service (Brian Chittick, Director of IJB Chief Officer and Director of Health & Social Care Services)

2. Who are the managers responsible for agency usage (on and off framework) for the following departments at all hospitals associated with the Trust:

(a) Physiotherapy See the response to question 1

(b) Occupational Therapy See the response to question 1

(c) Pharmacy See the response to question 1

(d) Radiography Director of Nursing & Acute Services (Kathleen Carolan)

(e) Sterile Services Director of Nursing & Acute Services (Kathleen Carolan)

(d) Speech and Language Therapy See the response to question 1

3. Please can you provide the contact number and email addresses for the managers listed in relation to question 1 and 2?

Both are available through the switchboard on 01595 743000

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[Kathleen.carolan@nhs.scot](mailto:Kathleen.carolan@nhs.scot)

4. Have you used off-framework agency staff between March 2021 - March 2022 in the following departments:

(a) Physiotherapy No

(b) Occupational Therapy Yes

(c) Pharmacy No

(d) Radiography Yes

(e) Sterile Services No

(d) Speech and Language Therapy No

5. How much was your Off-Framework agency spend for each of the following staff groups between March 2021 - March 2022?

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- (a) Physiotherapy Nil
- (b) Occupational Therapy £641
- (c) Pharmacy Nil
- (d) Radiography £4,229
- (e) Sterile Services Nil
- (d) Speech and Language Therapy Nil

6. How many unfilled agency roles did you have between March 2021 - March 2022 for each of the departments outlined in question 5?

We do not track this so unable to answer. Information not held.