

Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002

DATE RECEIVED	31/05/2022	SUBJECT	Locum Nurses		
PASSED TO	HR Director of Finance	DATE PASSED	01/06/2022	RESPOND BY	21/06/2022
CATEGORY	Scottish Parliament	FoI NUMBER	2022-197		

Question/s to be Answered

Can I request the following for the financial years 2017/18 to 2021/22?

- 1) The total locum agency spend, with a breakdown for locum nurses working in both acute settings and in primary care;

Year	£
2017-2018	231,482
2018-2019	58,095
2019-2020	188,559
2020-2021	1,929,835
2021-2022	2,015,352
Grand Total	4,423,323

£1.418m Acute / £3.005m Primary Care

- 2) The total locum agency spend for nurses working in Accident and Emergency/ Emergency Departments;

Department	Year	£
Accident & Emergency	2021-2022	17,741.72

No A&E Expenditure 2017-18 to 2020-21

- 3) The total number of shifts worked by locum nurses, with a breakdown by acute and primary care.

In accordance with FOISA s 17(1) NHS Shetland confirms that it does not hold this information as our systems do not hold this information – only costs can be provided.

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4) Please provide the 10 highest amounts of money paid by the Health Board to a locum nurses for working a single shift.

5) Names of each agency used by the Health Board to provide locum nurses.

Agency

60 North Psychology
Alpha 24 Healthcare Ltd
Arabella Health Staffing Ltd
Ashfordel Ltd
Carejoy Healthcare
Direct Medics Ltd
Head Resourcing Limited
Healthcare Staffing Solutions Ltd
Id Medical Group
Imc Locums Limited
Independent Clinical Services
Infermiera Healthcare Ltd
Locum People
Medacs Healthcare Plc
Medgen Ltd
Mind Recruitment Group Ltd T/a Mind Locums
National Locums Ltd
Nursco Healthcare Ltd
Robinson Medical Recruitment
Temporary Staffing Agency Tsa Ltd
The Placement Group
The Social Care Community Partnership Ltd
Vivid Healthcare
Your World Nursing
Your World Recruitment Ltd

6) Total amount of money paid by the Health Board to each of those agencies.

Agency	£
60 North Psychology	1,350.00
Alpha 24 Healthcare Ltd	14,720.00
Arabella Health Staffing Ltd	15,454.48
Ashfordel Ltd	3,802.08
Carejoy Healthcare	96,689.54
Direct Medics Ltd	176,322.36
Head Resourcing Limited	210,975.59
Healthcare Staffing Solutions Ltd	299,192.26

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Id Medical Group	209,001.74
Imc Locums Limited	53,381.49
Independent Clinical Services	431,609.50
Infermiera Healthcare Ltd	9,529.01
Locum People	2,018.80
Medgen Ltd	1,704,339.46
Mind Recruitment Group Ltd T/a Mind Locums	4,664.00
National Locums Ltd	394,200.26
Nursco Healthcare Ltd	37,026.01
Robinson Medical Recruitment	127,796.82
Temporary Staffing Agency Tsa Ltd	18,520.70
The Placement Group	370,367.25
The Social Care Community Partnership Ltd	29,092.78
Vivid Healthcare	21,813.82
Your World Nursing	5,214.38
Your World Recruitment Ltd	185,302.59