

FOI REF: 23/733

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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT

I am responding to your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act. The answers to your specific questions are as follows:

- 1. How many hours were worked by temporary staff within Allied Health Professionals (AHP) and Health Science Services (HSS) over the past year?**

November 2022 – October 2023 89,441

- 2. Can you provide a breakdown of the hours worked by temporary staff within each of the divisions/departments under AHP/HSS?**

Division	Total hours
Medicine	2712
Core Services	56,505.41
Women and Children	826.25
Sussex Premier Health	6356.44
Community Health and Integrated Care	23,041.50

- 3. Do you have a Master Vendor or Neutral Vendor to source AHP/HSS agency staff? If so, who is that contract with and when does it end?**

No.

- 4. Who, within the Trust, is responsible for managing that contract and what is their job title?**

Not applicable.

- 5. Which agency is the largest supplier of AHP/HSS agency staff to the Trust?**

Globe Locums.

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If I can be of any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Should you be dissatisfied with the Trust's response to your request, you have the right to request an internal review. Please write to the Freedom of Information Department (esh-tr.foi@nhs.net), quoting the above reference, within 40 working days. The Trust is not obliged to accept an internal review after this date.

Should you still be dissatisfied with your FOI request, you have the right of complaint to the Information Commissioner at the following address:

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Yours sincerely

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