



## East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust

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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) In the last 60 days how many times have your Trust utilised Thornbury Nursing Services for agency nurses? Please provide data from November 2025, December 2025- first week of January 2026 if possible (please use this same time frame for all questions)**

None.

- 2) How many shifts were filled by Nutrix or Thornbury nursing services?**

None.

- 3) Which wards or departments were these TNS or Nutrix requests for? (Please include Inpatient and Community services)**

Not applicable.

- 4) How many long-term lines of work or block bookings are currently being supplied by off framework suppliers?**

None.

- 5) Which wards and departments are utilising off contract agencies on lines of work or block bookings?**

Not applicable.

- 6) Which off Framework suppliers are currently supplying your Trust with agency nurses? By Off framework we mean any provider that is not listed under HTE/TWS or the workforce alliance framework (nursing lots).**

None.

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

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