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## Freedom of Information Act 2000

I am writing in response to your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 in relation to agency midwives.

## You asked:

- 1. What was the total cost for your trust, including fees and any other oncosts, for midwives supplied by an agency, broken down by the months in the table below?
- 2. What was the total number of hours worked by midwives supplied by an agency, broken down by the months in the table below?
- 3. What was the total cost for your trust for midwives working overtime, broken down by the months in the table below?
- 4. What was the total number of hours worked by midwives working overtime, broken down by the months in the table below?
- 5. What was the total cost for your trust, for midwives supplied by the bank, broken down by the months in the table below?
- 6. What was the total number of hours worked by midwives supplied by the bank, broken down by the months in the table below?

Trust response:

Please see the following table:

| Agency | Spend  | Hours     | Overtime | Spend | Hours | Bank | Spend   | Hours |
|--------|--------|-----------|----------|-------|-------|------|---------|-------|
| JAN    | 3,085  | 61.9      | JAN      | 502   | 17.9  | JAN  | 103,796 | 3,759 |
| FEB    | 14,167 | 285.2     | FEB      | 213   | 6.5   | FEB  | 73,700  | 3,634 |
| MAR    | 4,059  | 81.5      | MAR      | 47    | 3.3   | MAR  | 85,282  | 5,322 |
| APR    | 4,475  | 89.6      | APR      | 0     | 0.0   | APR  | 60,860  | 3,503 |
| MAY    | 7,876  | 158.1     | MAY      | 300   | 11.4  | MAY  | 60,696  | 2,741 |
| JUN    | 5,499  | 110.8     | JUN      | 0     | 0.0   | JUN  | 56,077  | 2,775 |
| JUL    | 1,097  | 22.8      | JUL      | 659   | 24.4  | JUL  | 52,583  | 2,052 |
| AUG    | 733    | -<br>14.7 | AUG      | 53    | 1.6   | AUG  | 37,591  | 2,019 |
| SEP    | 6,918  | 138.5     | SEP      | 183   | 8.1   | SEP  | 80,560  | 2,632 |
| OCT    | 6,940  | 140.1     | ОСТ      | 58    | 3.3   | ОСТ  | 67,068  | 2,444 |
| NOV    | 7,532  | 151.5     | NOV      | 0     | 0.0   | NOV  | 60,055  | 2,446 |
| DEC    | 5,607  | 112.4     | DEC      | 87    | 3.3   | DEC  | 77,116  | 2,319 |