

Ref: FOI/GS/ID 8147

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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 temporary labour usage.

You asked:

Please can you provide me with the following information for the most recent complete fiscal year:

- 1. Total number of temporary workers engaged by your organization, broken down by department or function, if possible.*
- 2. Total annual expenditure on temporary workers, including a breakdown of costs by department or function, if possible.*
- 3. Total number of agency suppliers (Preferred Suppliers/non-Preferred Suppliers) in your organisation's labour supply chain*
Details of any existing Managed Service Programme or Provider (MSP) and/or Vendor Management System (VMS) used to manage temporary workers:

- 4. Name of the MSP and VMS.*
- 5. Date the contract was awarded.*
- 6. Date of contract expiration.*
- 7. Name of the government procurement framework through which the MSP and VMS were procured.*

Details of any upcoming retendering or renewal processes related to your MSP and VMS contracts:

- 8. Anticipated date for the retendering or renewal process to commence.*
- 9. Name and contact information of the person responsible for overseeing the retendering or renewal process.*

Trust response:

1. Under Section 21 of the Act we are not required to provide information in response to a request if the information is already reasonably accessible to you. The information you requested is available from the trust website using

the following link/s: <https://www.mtw.nhs.uk/freedom-of-information/recent-foi-responses/> the link should take you to the Data to Support FOI FAQ's page where you need to click on the Finance dropdown.

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4. Software cascade to a preferred supplier list.

5. Not applicable

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9. Not applicable