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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 Master Vendor and Workforce Services.

You asked: All questions are shown as received by the Trust. Please may you provide me with the following:

- 1. Does the trust currently have a master vendor relationship (contractual or otherwise) with a third party (external) provider for the provision of healthcare staff?
- 2. What is the name of the company providing these services?
- 3. What area of healthcare staffing is that provider responsible for? (i.e medical, nursing, AHP, Mental health)
- 4. How was the Master Vendor contract procured?
- 5. What is the Master Vendor contract start and end date?
- 6. Does the trust currently have a contract with a supplier for international recruitment?
- 7. What is the name of the supplier for international recruitment?
- 8. What areas does that contract cover? (i.e Nursing, Medical, AHP)
- 9. What is the Master Vendor contract start and end date? Please provide the information in the following format:
- Existing Master Vendor Relationship(s): [Yes/No]
- Name of the provider: [Name]
- What category/roles does the MV Cover: [Nursing/AHP/Medical/Other (provide details)]
- Method of Procurement: [Tender/Direct Award]
- Contract start & end date: [Date/Date]
- International Recruitment Contract: [Yes/No]
- What category/roles does the International Recruitment contract cover? [Nursing/AHP/Medical/Other (provide details)]
- What is the international recruitment contract start/end date: [Date/Date]

## Trust response:

- 1. No
- 2. Not applicable
- 3. Not applicable4. Not applicable5. Not applicable
- 6. Yes
- 7. Aryavrat/ Charkos Global, MSI, TTM, Resource Finder, Medacs8. Nursing and Allied Health Professionals9. Not known.