



**Maidstone and
Tunbridge Wells**
NHS Trust

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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 Off Framework agencies.

You asked: All questions are shown as received by the Trust.

1. *From 1st October 2022 to 2nd December 2022 how many shifts has your Trust used Thornbury Nursing Services for?*
2. *Within this timeframe please list the number of shifts by ward or department that Thornbury was utilised in.*
3. *Please name all other 'off contract agencies' for nursing that were utilised by the Trust within this time frame. (01/10/2022- 02/12/2022) For the purpose of definition 'off contract suppliers' would be any non framework providers under Work Force Alliance or Health Trust Europe.*
4. *Within this same time frame please list all wards or departments that utilised these agencies.*
5. *Please list any suppliers with a general Band 5 day charge rate of over £50 per hour that have been booked for the Trust in this time period (01/10/2022- 02/12/2022)*
6. *Please list any suppliers with a general Band 5 night charge above £60 per hour that have been booked for the Trust in this time period (01/10/2022- 02/12/2022)*

Trust response:

1. 79 shifts
2. 78 shifts for paediatrics and 1 for A&E
3. No others
4. Not applicable.
5. Thornbury.
6. Thornbury.