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Sent via email to: [REDACTED]s

Dear [REDACTED],

Request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

I write further to your request for information which was received on 21 February 2023, and subsequent clarification received 27 February 2023 to confirm, in accordance with S.1(1)(a) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, that Powys Teaching Health Board (PTHB) does hold the information that you require.

For ease of reference your request is set out below and our response follows:

Your Freedom of Information (FOI) Request and PTHB Response:

Q1 Can you please provide me with the greatest expenditure made to the following two groups over the last five years at Powys Teaching Health Board To clarify, I am asking for the greatest amount of money spent at the health board over the last five years:

A) Agency workers

Highest Agency Spend by Staff Group tabled below:

Financial Year	2018-19 £	2019-20 £	2020-21 £	2021-22 £	April 2022- February 2023 £
Nursing and Midwifery Registered	2,113,526	2,230,453	1,676,157	3,304,728	3,360,823

B) Ad hoc locum workers for medical, dental and nursing staff. This includes staff worked on a temporary basis. To clarify, I am asking for the greatest

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amount of money spent to those groups at the health board over the last five years:

Total Locums - Medical & Dental tabled below:

Financial Year	2018-19 £	2019-20 £	2020-21 £	2021-22 £	April 2022- February 2023 £
Medical and Dental	1,301,386	1,356,937	2,478,843	3,336,319	2,967,926

Q2 Can you please provide me with the yearly total staff bill constituted by payments to agency workers and ad hoc locums over the last five years at Powys Teaching Health Board?

Total Agency Workers & Locum Figures tabled by Financial Year tabled below:

Financial Year	2018-19 £	2019-20 £	2020-21 £	2021-22 £	April 2022- February 2023 £
Agency Workers & Locums	5,075,927	5,327,428	6,102,314	9,988,978	9,325,271

Q3 Can you please provide me with the number of agency staff employed yearly outside the NHS Wales Framework contract over the last five years at Powys Teaching Health Board? **Over the last 5 years there have been 798 off framework staff engaged with the health board.**

Should you need any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me at the address below.

If you are dissatisfied, with the way your request has been dealt with by PTHB, you have the right to request a review in which case you should write to:

Chief Executive
Powys Teaching Health Board Headquarters
Glasbury House
Bronllys Hospital
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If you are still dissatisfied at the end of the review, you may complain to the Information Commissioner, who can be contacted at the following address:

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Yours sincerely



Pete Hopgood
Director of Finance, IT & Information Services