Reference:	FOI.6047.21
Subject:	Agency managed services
Date of Request:	19 May 2021

Request and response:

Please disclose the information listed in the table overleaf.

Some of the information requested is already within the public domain. Therefore, Hywel Dda University Health Board (UHB) has applied an Exemption under Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FoIA), as the information is accessible by another means. The UHB has answered a similar Freedom of Information request FOI/2946/20, which is available on our disclosure log.

For ease of reference please click on the attached link which will take you directly to the UHB's disclosure log webpage:

https://hduhb.nhs.wales/about-us/governance-arrangements/freedom-of-information/disclosure-log/

The UHB provides the information which is not covered by the Section 21 exemption. within the table overleaf.

	Medical Locums	Nurses	Allied Health Professionals or Health Scientists
Please can you confirm whether the Trust is contracted to a managed service provider for the supply of agency staff under each of the following categories	Section 21 exemption applied		
Please confirm which company provides the managed service for each staff category and the contract expiry date	Medacs - current contract expires 7 August 2021	Section 21 exemption applied	
For Medical Locums and for AHPs, please confirm whether the Trust utilises a Direct Engagement solution for VAT efficiency	Yes	Not applicable	Yes
Please confirm which company provides the Direct Engagement solution and the contract expiry date	Section 21 exemption applied		