

<b>Reference:</b>	FOI.12839.23
<b>Subject:</b>	On-Framework Nursing and Care usage
<b>Date of Request:</b>	10 October 2023

**Requested:**

1. Please can you confirm how many shifts have been released/allocated to ON framework agencies within the last 60 days?
2. In the last 60 days which wards, or departments were these ON framework requests for?
3. Please can you confirm how many nursing shifts have been filled by ON framework agencies within the last 60 days?
4. How many long term lines of work or block bookings are currently being supplied by ON framework agencies?
5. Which ON framework agencies is the trust currently utilising for Nursing vacancies and what is the spend on these agencies year to date?
6. What is the average charge for both RMN's and RGN's from ON framework agencies?
7. Who at temporary staffing is responsible for onboarding new agencies and could you provide me with their contact details?

**Response:**

1. Hywel Dda University Health Board (UHB) confirms that 15,471 shifts were released to On-Framework agencies, during the period 1 August to 30 September 2023.
2. The UHB provides, within the table below, the hospital and departments that utilised On-Framework agency staff, during the period 1 August to 30 September 2023.

Hospital	Department
Bronglais General Hospital	Intensive Therapy Unit (ITU)
	Angharad Ward
	Dyfi Ward
	Meurig Ward – Oncology
	Ystwyth Ward – Stroke
	Ceredig Ward – General Surgery
	Theatre
	Pre-operative assessment
	Endoscopy
	Emergency and Urgent Care Centre (EUCC)
	Rhiannon Ward
	Y Banwy
	Medical Day Unit
	Cardiorespiratory
	Ophthalmology
	Chemotherapy

<b>Glangwili General Hospital</b>	Preseli Ward – General Surgery
	Cleddau Ward – General Surgery
	Derwen Ward – Urology
	Teifi Ward – Orthopaedic & Rheumatology
	Merlin Ward
	Theatre
	Critical Care Unit (CCU)
	Accident and Emergency (A&E)
	Towy Ward – Cardiology Rehabilitation
	Padarn Ward – Respiratory
	Cardiac Care Unit
	Steffan Ward – Gastroenterology/Oncology/Haematology
	Clinical Decisions Unit (CDU)
	Dewi Ward
	Rheumatology
	Priory Day Hospital
	Gwenllian Ward – Acute Stroke Rehabilitation
	Cilgerran Ward
	Special Care Baby Unit (SCBU)
	Picton Ward
	Cadog Ward
	Post Anaesthetic Care Unit (PACU)
	Same Day Emergency Care (SDEC)
	Y Lolfa
	Endoscopy
	Chemotherapy Unit
	Dinefwr Ward
	Outpatient Paediatrics
<b>Prince Philip Hospital</b>	Ward 7 – General Surgery
	Ward 6 – Orthopaedic
	ITU
	Minor Injuries Unit (MIU)
	Ward 3 – Older Adults
	Acute Medical Assessment Unit (AMAU)
	Ward 1 – Respiratory
	Ward 4 – Cardiology / Gastroenterology
	Ward 5 – Diabetes / Endocrinology
	Mynydd Mawr Ward – Elderly Care/Rehabilitation
	Ward 9 – Stroke / Rehabilitation
	Ty Bryngwyn inpatient
	Discharge Lounge
	SDEC
	Theatre
	Gerontology Day Hospital
	Radiology
<b>Withybush General Hospital</b>	Ward 1 – Orthopaedic Unit

	A&E
	Ward 4 – General Surgery
	Ward 7 – Medicine
	Ward 8 & CCU
	Adult CDU
	Ward 11 – Stroke & Rehabilitation
	Ward 12 – Medicine
	Theatre
	Radiology
	Ward 10 – Oncology
	ITU
	Puffin Ward
	Ward 3 – Frailty Unit
	SDEC
<b>Other</b>	Specialist Nurses Community Paediatrics
	Llandovery Community Hospital
	Amman Valley Community Hospital
	District Nurses
	Tregaron Wards and Outpatient Department
	Sunderland Ward, South Pembrokeshire Hospital
	Carmarthenshire County
	Acute Response Team
	Community Midwives
	Mental Health & Learning Disabilities (MH&LD)

3. The UHB confirms that 9,304 shifts were filled by On-Framework agency nursing staff, during the period 1 August to 30 September 2023.
4. The UHB confirms it does not currently have any long-term lines of work or block bookings being supplied by On-Framework agencies.
5. The UHB provides, within the table below, the On-Framework agencies currently being used for agency nursing vacancies.

ASA	Altrix	IMC	Pulse
CCS	Bluestones	Interact	Randstad
Direct Nursing	Capital Group	InterMed	RedSpotGroup
Enferm	CRG	Medacs	RMRRecruitment
MedPro	Daytime	MedTeam	Sanctum LTD
NXT	Direct Health	MPS Healthcare	SevenNursing
Richmond	Direct Medics	MSI Healthcare	The PG Ltd
WNA	Eleventh Hour	My Locums	Total Assist
Your World	HansonGrey	NationalLocums	Vetro
Ability	Hoop	NISI	Vivid
Allied&Clinic	ID Medical	Pro Nursing	Your Nurse

The UHB confirms that its ON-Framework nursing agency spend is £13,213,470.06, for the period 1 April to 30 September 2023.

6. The UHB confirms that the average charge for an On-Framework agency nurse is £469.74 per shift.
7. The UHB confirms that Julie Rogers, Senior Workforce Manager Bank & E-Rostering, is responsible for onboarding new agencies and can be contacted by email: [julie.rogers2@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:julie.rogers2@wales.nhs.uk)