Reference:	FOI.6394.21
Subject:	Temporary staff management
Date of Request:	6 July 2021

Requested:

Sourced Staffing Arrangements

- 1a. Do you have a master vendor (MV) or neutral vendor (NV) arrangement in place for sourcing agency staff? If so, please state which arrangement is in place
- 1b. What is the name of the MV/NV provider(s) and what staffing groups do they source? E.g. medical, nursing etc.
- 1c. As part of the arrangement, is any technology provided by the supplier to help manage the procurement of agency staff?
- 1d. Please provide the contract start and end date for the supplier (dd/mm/yy)

Vendor Management System for Nurse Agency

- 2a. Does the organisation use a third-party Vendor Management System for the supply of nurse agency staff?
- 2b. Who supplies your Vendor Management System? E.g. Allocate, NHSP etc.
- 2c. Please provide the contract start and end date for this provider (dd/mm/yy)

Bank Management

- 3a. Please name the technology provider used to manage the supply of your bank staff, inclusive of any outsourced or managed arrangements (i.e. NHSP, Bank Partners, Allocate, Liaison, Patchwork, Locum's Nest etc). If more than one supplier is used, please name all suppliers
- 3b. Please name the staffing group each provider is used for e.g. medical, nursing, AHPs, admin and clerical
- 3c. Please provide the contract start and end date for each bank supplier (dd/mm/yy)
- 3d. How much did the organisation pay the supplier(s) in 20/21 for the provision of the bank service?

<u>Response</u>:

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 similar Freedom of Information requests which are 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/disclosurelog/

The FOI responses containing the information requested are:

FOI.2996.20 FOI.6024.21 FOI.6147.21 FOI.6339.21