

Date: Wednesday, 30th November 2022 Our Ref: MB/CM FOI 5425

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Re: Freedom of Information Request FOI 5425

We are writing in response to your request submitted under the Freedom of Information Act, received in this office on 07th November 2022.

Your request was as follows:

• Bank Spend - Total amount spent on bank staff for the year 2021/22 (April '21 to March '22) and between 31/10/2021 and 31/10/2022 year split into the Trusts' staff groups (E.g. Medical, Nursing, Admin, AHP etc.) and speciality/grade (E.g. Consultants, GP, ICU Nurse, Acute Nurse, Occupational therapists, Pharmacists, Health Care Assistants, etc.) depending on how this is reported within the Trust.

The Walton Centre NHS Foundation Trust has spend on bank staff was: -

April 2021 to March 2022 Admin - £398,774 Jnr Medical £8,695 AHP £65,334 HCA £1,981,500 Nursing £1,801,129

31/10/2021 and 31/10/2022 Admin - £320,829 Jnr Medical £0 AHP £49,549 HCA £2,021,295 Nursing £2,101,189

• Confirmation on whether the trust bank is currently operated by the trust themselves or by a private provider. If the latter please confirm the name of the provider.

The Trust admin and clerical bank is run internally. The Trust nursing bank is operated by NHS Professionals.

Please see our response above in blue.

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All information supplied by the Trust in answering a request for information (RFI) under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 will be subject to the terms of the Re-use of Public Sector Information Regulations 2005, Statutory Instrument 2005 No. 1515 which came into effect on 1st July 2005.







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If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to the Freedom of Information Office at the address above.

Please remember to quote the reference number, FOI 5425 in any future communications.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioners Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely *Mike Burns* **Mr. Mike Burns, Executive Lead for Freedom of Information**



