



Response to Request for Information

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Mental Health Agency Staff

Request:

I would like to request that you provide the following information under the Freedom of Information Act:

Please can you confirm what your total spend on temporary Mental Health staff was during the financial year 2014-15 for the below specialisms?

Can you please break this financial information down by:

- Mental Health Nurse
- Learning Disabilities Nurse
- Psychologists
- Psychological wellbeing practitioner
- Psychotherapist
- Counsellor
- High Intensity Therapist

To provide additional clarity on my request, 'temporary Mental Health staff' is to mean all persons who are mental health staff and are not on permanent contracts of employment with the Council, but are supplied via employment agencies.

Response:

In response to your request, we can confirm that the authority have not hired any agency staff for the positions listed. Any of these positions would be recruited by the Clinical Commissioning Group who the Council work with.