

Ref. No: 2283
Date: 12th January 2026
Subject: Off Framework Agencies for Nurses

REQUEST & RESPONSE

For the 6-month period ending 1st January 2026, can you please provide:

1. Total Framework Agency Spend for both general and specialist nurses.

**Specialist Nurses: Any Nursing Role that is not a general nurse.*

Total spend £2037594.72

The trust cannot provide a breakdown of the split between general and specialist nurses.

2. Total Off Framework Agency Spend for both general and specialist nurses.

**Specialist Nurses: Any Nursing Role that is not a general nurse.*

No spend with off-framework agencies

3. Total hours filled by Framework Agencies for both general and specialist nurses and a breakdown of hours for each specialty.

**Specialist Nurses: Any Nursing Role that is not a general nurse.*

52122 combined

4. Total hours filled by Off Framework Agencies for both general and specialist nurses and a breakdown of hours for each specialty.

**Specialist Nurses: Any Nursing Role that is not a general nurse.*

Zero

5. A list of all Framework Agencies utilised by the Trust for both general and specialist nurses.

**Specialist Nurses: Any Nursing Role that is not a general nurse.*

Bluestones Medical
Day Webster
Firstpoint
ID Medical
Interact

Medacs Healthcare Services
Medical Staffing
MedicsPro
Medpure
MSI
National Locums
Pertemps
Pulse
Search
Total Assist
Your Nurse
Your World

6. A list of all Off Framework Agencies utilised by the Trust for both general and specialist nurses and total number of shifts for each Off Framework agency:

**Specialist Nurses: Any Nursing Role that is not a general nurse.*

N/A see answer to Q4.

7. The highest Framework Agency Charge Rate within your Trust for both general and specialist nurses.

**Specialist Nurses: Any Nursing Role that is not a general nurse.*

£38.51 (General) and £50.92 (Specialist).

8. The highest Off Framework Agency Charge Rate within your Trust for both general and specialist nurses.

**Specialist Nurses: Any Nursing Role that is not a general nurse*

N/A see answer to Q4.

9. A list of any agency (Framework and Off Framework) that have ongoing block booking arrangements for both general and specialist within your Trust within the identified time frame (01.06.2025 - 01.01.2026):

**Specialist Nurses: Any Nursing Role that is not a general nurse*

N/A – we do not have block bookings.