

Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB_137_23

You asked:

1. Who is the head of procurement responsible for approving agency usage for the Sonography/Ultrasound department at your trust?

The head of procurement is not responsible for the approval of agency usage. Procurement provide support to the service when they have oversight of requests to ensure that a compliant process is followed, but it is the responsibility of the hiring managers/ budget holders within the department to approve any usage.

2. Who is responsible for agency usage (on and off framework) in the Sonography/Ultrasound department at all hospitals associated with the Trust?

The Service through the scheme of delegation and through Retinue.

3. Please can you provide the contact number and email address for the manager(s) in question 1 and 2.

Workforce Efficiency Co-Ordinator – 01443 486222.

4. Have you used off-framework agency staff between March 2022 - March 2023 in Sonography/Ultrasound?

No.

5. How much was your Off-Framework agency spend for Sonography/Ultrasound from March 2022 - March 2023?

N/A.