

Freedom of Information Request

Ref: UHB 17-385

Date 11 August 2017

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Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The Trusts response is as follows:

Could you please let me know the locum agency spend from May 2016 – Present. This refers directly to the cardiology department only, the staff will be Cardiographers, Cardiac Physiologists, Echocardiographers, please note this is not referring to locum doctors or specialists. These staff will fall under AHP/HSS or healthcare.

Please find the agency spend for adult cardiology services only below:

2016/17	£174,000
2017/18 (Quarter 1)	£35,000

This concludes our response. We trust that you find this helpful, but please do not hesitate to contact us directly if we can be of any further assistance.

If, after that, 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:

Trust Secretary
 University Hospitals Bristol NHS Foundation Trust
 Trust Headquarters
 Marlborough Street
 Bristol
 BS1 3NU

Please remember to quote the reference number above 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 Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF

To view the Freedom of Information Act in full please click [here](#).

Yours sincerely,

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