

Date: **22 July 2019**

Our reference: **FOIRQ5295**

Dear Sir/Madam,

Thank you for your request for information processed under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Please see our response to your requests for information below:

Your Request and Our Response (in bold)

Please provide me with the below information relating to staffing within the diagnostic radiography/medical imaging department (all modalities including: General X-Ray, CT, MRI, Mammography)

Great Ormond Street Hospital for Children NHS Foundation Trust (the 'Trust') is a single site, specialist tertiary paediatric trust. Please see our response to your following request for information; however, please note that bank and agency spend are for the cost centres in question; not just radiographers:

- 1. How many permanent staff are employed by the Radiography/Imaging department (Radiographers & Sonographers, not Radiologists)?* **61**
- 2. How many permanent vacancies are currently open/unfilled within the Radiography/Imaging department (Radiographers & Sonographers, not Radiologists)?* **0**
- 3. How many agency staff/locums are currently being used across the Radiography/Imaging department (Radiographers & Sonographers, not Radiologists)?* **None**
- 4. For agency staff/locums, what is the split in numbers between radiographers and sonographers?* **N/A**
- 5. How many bank temps are being used across the Radiography/Imaging department?* **The Trust does not have bank only temps; as radiography substantive staff can also undertake bank work**
- 6. During the 2017-2018 financial year, how much did the Radiography/Imaging department spend on temporary agency staff?* **£196643.1**

7. *During the 2018-2019 financial year, how much did the Radiography/Imaging department spend on temporary agency staff?*
£244972.13

During the 2018-2019 financial year, how much did the Radiography/Imaging department spend on temporary bank staff? **£94166.67**

9. *During the 2018-2019 financial year, how much did the Radiography/Imaging department spend on permanent finders/introduction fees through recruitment agencies?* **N/A**

10. *Does the Radiography/Imaging department have a dedicated breast screening unit?* **N/A – We are a specialist tertiary paediatric trust**

11. *Please provide me with the following contact names within the authority:*
Please see our response to your questions (a) and (b) below:

- a) *The name of the senior manager (Radiology Services Manager / Imaging Services Manager) with overall responsibility for the Radiography/Imaging department.* **Josie Dorney**
- b) *The name of the head of temporary staffing.* **Karen Eban**

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Yours sincerely

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Quality & Safety team
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LONDON
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