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**Subject:** Details for Nursing agency usage

- Q1 Who is the head of Procurement responsible for approving Nursing agency usage?
- A1 Procurement is not responsible for approving Nursing agency usage. This is managed by NHS Professionals
- Q2 Secondly, who is the temporary / flexible staffing lead responsible for the management of this service?
- A2 As per A1
- Q3 Please can you provide the contact number and email address in relation to both question 1 and 2
- A3 Information not held This is managed by an external provider as per A1.
- Q4 Have you used Off-framework nursing agency staff in the last 3 months?
- A4 Information not held no off-framework nursing agency has been used within the last 3 months.
- Q5 How much was your Off-Framework agency spend for each of the following staff groups between 31st January 2023 31st July 2023
  - (a) RGN's
  - (b) Registered Midwives
  - (c) RMN's
  - (d) ITU Nurses
  - (e) A&E Nurses
  - (f) Community psychiatric nurses
- A5 Information not held as per A4
- Q6 Following the same breakdown of staff groups in Question 4, how many Off-framework shifts have been unfilled between 31st January 2023 31st July 2023
- A6 Information not held as per A4