

Bank / Agency Staff

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Further to your Freedom of Information Act request, please find the Trust's response, in **blue bold text** below:

Royal Devon's Eastern FOI Office Response

- 1) The total amount spent by the Trust on bank staff in 2021/22
£11,956,720
- 2) The total amount spent by the Trust on agency staff in 2021/22
£10,604,616
- 3) The total amount spent by the Trust on bank nurses in 2021/22
£2,547,257
- 4) The total amount spent by the Trust on agency nurses in 2021/22
£3,986,695
- 5) The largest amount spent by the Trust on a single agency nurse shift in 2021/22

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£2,152.43; 12.5 hour ITU Nurse Bank Holiday (Easter Monday) shift

Not all Agency suppliers raise invoices per shift. Some Agency invoices are raised per week with timesheets attached. Looking at the cost of every individual shift would mean investigating every single invoice manually. This would exceed FOI time limit allowed.

£2,152.43 is most likely the most expensive nursing shift in 2021/22.

The Trust has considered your request. However, to provide you with the information requested under you questions 5 would require the manual extraction and manipulation of information from various sources.

12. — (1) Section 1(1) does not oblige a public authority to comply with a request for information if the authority estimates that the cost of complying with the request would exceed the appropriate limit.

Determining whether the information is held, Locating the information, or a document containing it.

To carry out the above. would exceed the appropriate cost limit as set out in Section 12 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and is therefore exempt.