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**REQUEST & OUR RESPONSE:**

**REQUEST**

1. How many hours were worked by temporary staff within Allied Health Professionals (AHP) and Health Science Services (HSS) over the past year?

2. Can you provide a breakdown of the hours worked by temporary staff within each of the divisions/departments under AHP/HSS?

3. Do you have a Master Vendor or Neutral Vendor to source AHP/HSS agency staff? If so, who is that contract with and when does it end?

4. Who, within the Trust, is responsible for managing agency contracts and what is their job title?

5. Which agency is the largest supplier of AHP/HSS agency staff to the Trust?

 **OUR RESPONSE:**

1 & 2:

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| **Directorate (Division)** | **Hours Worked** |
| Community Health Service | 18489 |
| Enabling | 531.5 |
| Families Young Persons & Childrens/Learning Disability | 454.65 |
| Mental Health | 5944.5 |

3. Leicerstershire Partnership NHS Trust have a managed Service contract with Health Care Resourcing Group Ltd (HCRG), for Allied Health Professions agency supply.

4. Russ Hadfield, Clinical Category Manager.

 Amrik Singh, Head of Workforce Support.

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5. The supply chain is managed by Health Care Resourcing Group, therefore we are not informed of which agencies are supplying candidates, as they are booked, presented to us, and invoiced through Health Care Resourcing Group.