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Our Ref: TSD10781

Dear Sir/Madam

Request for Information

We are writing to confirm that we have now completed our search for the information you requested.

A copy of the information is below:

In the period 1st May 2026 to 31st July 2026 please provide a breakdown of:

- **Total trust spend with framework agencies for locum doctors**

[There was no framework spend.](#)

Please provide a further breakdown for locum doctors by:

- **Spend per grade**
- **Spend per specialty**
- **Spend per agency name**

[Not applicable](#)

In the period 1st May 2026 to 31st July 2026 please provide a breakdown of:

- **Total trust spend with off-framework agencies for locums doctors**

[£429,199.79](#)

Please provide a further breakdown for locum doctors by:

- **Spend per grade**
- **Spend per specialty**
- **Spend per agency name**

Category	Supplier	Specialty	May-26	Jun-26	Jul-26
Agency - Trainee grades	Pertemps Medical Limited	General Surgery	£1,743.89	£368.75	£0.00
Agency - Trainee grades	Pertemps Medical Limited Total		£1,743.89	£368.75	£0.00
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Agency - Consultants	Adept Locums Ltd	Dermatology	£16,658.61	£15,545.22	£16,667.94
Agency - Consultants	Adept Locums Ltd Total		£16,658.61	£15,545.22	£16,667.94

Agency - Consultants	Empire Medical Locums Limited	Clinical and Medical Oncology	£3,766.50	£968.96	£0.00
Agency - Consultants	Empire Medical Locums Limited	Haematology	£29,588.22	£43,485.73	£36,547.18
Agency - Consultants	Empire Medical Locums Limited Total		£33,354.72	£44,454.69	£36,547.18
Agency - Consultants	Globe Locums Ltd	General Surgery	£905.33	£0.00	£0.00
Agency - Consultants	Globe Locums Ltd Total		£905.33	£0.00	£0.00
Agency - Consultants	HCRG Workforce Solution Ltd	General Surgery	£0.00	£12,333.34	£27,760.12
Agency - Consultants	HCRG Workforce Solution Ltd Total		£0.00	£12,333.34	£27,760.12
Agency - Consultants	ID MEDICAL GROUP LIMITED	Acute Medicine	£20,629.11	£7,623.00	£0.00
Agency - Consultants	ID MEDICAL GROUP LIMITED	General Surgery	£20,508.75	£951.76	£408.50
Agency - Consultants	ID MEDICAL GROUP LIMITED	HOP and Frailty	£11,016.00	£0.00	£0.00
Agency - Consultants	ID MEDICAL GROUP LIMITED Total		£52,153.86	£8,574.76	£408.50
Agency - Consultants	Medacs Healthcare Plc	Clinical and Medical Oncology	£24,552.71	£7,086.06	£800.00
Agency - Consultants	Medacs Healthcare Plc Total		£24,552.71	£7,086.06	£800.00
Agency - Consultants	Medecho Ltd	Ophthalmology	£4,799.34	£432.00	£0.00
Agency - Consultants	Medecho Ltd Total		£4,799.34	£432.00	£0.00
Agency - Consultants	Other	Radiology	£4,122.30	£6,480.94	£0.00
Agency - Consultants	Other	ERF Cancer & Clinical Support Services	£0.00	£0.00	£4,422.00
Agency - Consultants	Other Total		£4,122.30	£6,480.94	£4,422.00
Agency - Consultants	ProMedical	General Surgery	£0.00	£14,687.40	£29,520.85
Agency - Consultants	ProMedical Total		£0.00	£14,687.40	£29,520.85
Agency - Consultants	Triple West Medical Ltd	Acute Medicine	£0.00	£9,160.45	£898.87
Agency - Consultants	Triple West Medical Ltd	General Surgery	£2,172.84	£9,210.51	£0.00
Agency - Consultants	Triple West Medical Ltd	Diabetes and Endocrinology	£0.00	£641.82	£62.98
Agency - Consultants	Triple West Medical Ltd Total		£2,172.84	£19,012.78	£961.85

Agency - Consultants	Vulcan Healthcare Ltd	HOP and Frailty	£0.00	£20,502.90	£22,168.91
Agency - Consultants	Vulcan Healthcare Ltd Total		£0.00	£20,502.90	£22,168.91
Agency - Consultants Total			£138,719.71	£149,110.09	£139,257.35
Grand Total			£140,463.60	£149,478.84	£139,257.35

In the period 1st May 2026 to 31st July 2026 please provide a breakdown of:

- **Total trust spend with the internal trust bank or associated external provider for locum doctors**

£1,431,181.87

Please provide a further breakdown for locum doctors by:

- **Spend per grade**
- **Spend per specialty**
- **Spend per internal or associated external provider**

Category	Specialty	May-26	Jun-26	Jul-26
Bank - Career/staff grade	Sexual Health	£2,927.82	£2,070.00	£1,228.68
Bank - Career/staff grade Total		£2,927.82	£2,070.00	£1,228.68
Bank - Consultants	Acute Medicine	£26,092.06	£53,743.76	£54,409.31
	Breast Care	£650.00	£0.00	£0.00
	Clinical and Medical Oncology	£0.00	£0.00	£13,248.00
	Community Dentistry	£265.00	£0.00	£264.46
	Dermatology	£17,474.39	£12,551.85	£15,538.66
	Director - Medical	£541.00	£0.00	£721.42
	ESRF Surgery	£7,622.93	£10,894.18	£60,622.80
	Gastroenterology	£24,416.88	£30,765.02	£25,725.97
	General Medicine Administration	£3,979.00	£0.00	£0.00
	General Surgery	£40,898.52	£55,512.16	£3,827.87
	HOP and Frailty	£1,662.97	£1,505.80	£6.93
	Lab Medicine	£1,181.71	£15,839.33	£18,563.52
	Long Covid & Chronic Fatigue	£1,884.36	£296.00	£0.00
	Neurology/Neurophysiology	£0.00	£272.40	£0.00
	O&G Medical and Management	£1,724.00	£0.00	£4,729.55
	Sexual Health	£2,742.34	£2,070.00	£1,786.35
	Theatres & Anaesthetics	£12,555.78	£9,987.37	£14,151.00
Bank - Consultants Total		£143,690.94	£193,437.87	£213,595.84

Bank - trainee grades	Acute Medicine	£94,340.97	£95,920.65	£104,461.78
	Breast Care	£0.00	£2,501.25	£7,094.24
	Child Health Med, Mgt and Misc	£25,853.12	£17,093.97	£20,675.54
	Clinical and Medical Oncology	£21,047.57	£18,780.35	£24,547.06
	Dermatology	£2,995.00	£243.00	£0.00
	Emergency Services	£50,392.37	£56,607.20	£45,730.72
	Gastroenterology	£0.00	£1,274.24	£0.00
	General Surgery	£16,429.00	£0.00	£20,216.43
	Head & Neck	£16,280.64	£8,788.64	£17,678.16
	HOP and Frailty	£8,202.00	£15,121.28	£11,389.76
	Inpatient Therapies	£561.12	£504.37	£477.59
	Newton Abbot Community Hospital	£1,156.00	£0.00	£2,663.09
	O&G Medical and Management	£13,536.56	£16,522.11	£22,022.40
	Operational Directors	£0.00	£675.31	£566.25
	Ophthalmology	£8,912.13	£4,343.92	£6,041.07
	Research & Development	£3,999.24	£1,023.66	£720.85
	Surgical Management Services	£0.00	£10,627.71	£0.00
	Theatres & Anaesthetics	£4,339.79	£840.71	£2,888.08
	Trauma and Orthopaedics	£33,890.59	£12,298.41	£21,953.82
Bank - trainee grades Total		£301,936.10	£263,166.78	£309,126.84
Grand Total		£448,554.86	£458,674.65	£523,951.36

**Please confirm your allocated budget for agency locum doctors for the period
1st May 2026 to 31st July 2026.**

Category	May-26	Jun-26	Jul-26	Grand Total
Agency - Consultants	£138,041	£136,213	£135,862	£410,116
Agency - Trainee grades	£28,953	£28,953	£28,953	£86,859
Bank - Consultants	£268,530	£268,530	£285,197	£822,257
Bank - trainee grades	£209,613	£209,613	£209,613	£628,839
Grand Total	£645,137	£643,309	£659,625	£1,948,071
			Total Budget	£1,948,071
			Total Spend	£1,860,381
			Variance to budget	£87,690

Please confirm the name of the framework used for the supply of locum doctors in your trust.

HealthTrust Europe (HTE) is our preferred framework, and Crown Commercial Service (CCS) is used occasionally.

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Yours sincerely,

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