

**Request for information under the Freedom of Information Act – 2022.104**  
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Thank you for your email received 19 July 2022 requesting information regarding staff banks and direct engagement.

Please find detailed below a summary of your request, together with our response.

**Summary of your original request:**

**1. Do you use external providers/3<sup>rd</sup> parties to manage any of your Staff Banks?** No

*If you have answered yes, please also provide answers to the following questions, otherwise please stipulate 'N/A'*

**a. Who is the provider? If different providers are used for different staffing groups, please state all, and indicate which staffing group each is used for** N/A

**b. When is the contract due to end? (per staffing group if applicable)** N/A

**c. Was this contract awarded as a result of a tender process or via a direct award?** N/A

**2. Do you use a third-party to provide Direct Engagement services to any staff group?** No

*If you have answered yes, please also provide answers to the following questions, otherwise please stipulate 'N/A'*

**a. Who is your Direct Engagement provider? If different providers are used for different staffing groups, please state all, and indicate which staffing group they are used for** N/A

**b. When is the contract due to end? (per staffing group if applicable)** N/A

**c. Was this contract awarded as a result of a tender process or via a direct award?** N/A

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