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Freedom of Information request: 20191120

Thank you for your request for information dated 19 November 2019. Your request has been managed under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Request

- 1) How many interim appointments were made at your organisation in the
 - (i) 2017-18 and
 - (ii) 2018-19 financial years where the daily rate you paid to the supplier was £500-per-day or more?

Please note that by 'interim appointment' I'm referring to an individual on a fixed-term contract, hired to work in management.

- 2) For each such appointment, please provide me with
 - (i) whether the appointment started in either the 2017-18 financial year or the 2018-19 financial year,
 - (ii) the job title,
 - (iii) whether the position was full or part-time,
 - (iv) the name of the supplier,
 - (v) the daily rate paid to the supplier,
 - (vi) the total amount budgeted for and
 - (vii) the length of the fixed-term contract on which they were hired.

Response

NHS Birmingham and Solihull CCG became the largest clinical commissioning group in England on 1 April 2018. NHS Birmingham CrossCity CCG, NHS Birmingham South Central CCG and NHS Solihull CCG merged to become NHS Birmingham and Solihull CCG, therefore some information relating to dates previous to the merger may not be available.

- 1) **NHS Birmingham and Solihull CCG does hold the information requested in part.**
2017-2018 - No information available.
2018-2019 – Ten.

- 2) **NHS Birmingham and Solihull CCG does hold the information requested in part.**
Please note the information relating to financial year 2017/2018 is not available.
For clarity, the daily rate is the rate paid to the agency, not the individual.

Financial Year	Job Title	Full time or Part time	Length of Contract	Name of Supplier	Daily Rate paid to supplier (Inc VAT) (£)	Total Amount Budgeted For (£)
18/19	Interim Head of Children's & Maternity Commissioning	Full time	9 months	Badenoch & Clark	525.37	86,000.00
18/19	Interim Senior Child Health Improvement Transformation Manager	Full time	6 months	Badenoch & Clark	574.98	72,500.00
18/19	Interim SEND Children Senior Commissioner	Full time	2 months	Practicius Ltd	637.20	30,600.00
18/19	Interim Head Of Urgent Care	Full time	9 months	Practicius Ltd	718.80	138,000.00
18/19	Interim Primary Care Universal Offer Programme Manager	Full time	8 months	Practicius Ltd	589.20	103,000.00
18/19	Interim Primary Care PMO Manager	Full time	8 months	Finegreen Associates	537.19	81,000.00
18/19	Interim Director of Integration	Full time	7 months	Hunter Healthcare Ltd	958.80	129,500.00
18/19	Interim Senior Commissioning Manager	Full time	4 months	Harvey Nash	543.69	35,300.00
18/19	Interim CHC Clinical Lead	Full time	5 months	Woodrow Mercer Associates Ltd	594.00	55,800.00
18/19	Interim CHC Programme Lead Manager	Full time	9 months	Multi Health Specialist Ltd	570.00	114,600.00

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Yours sincerely,

CCG FOI Team

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