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Dear [REDACTED]

Request for Information

I write further to your request FOI ID 50112 under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 regarding: -

Agency Staffing relating to Band 5 Registered Mental Health Nurses (RMNs) and Band 6 Community Psychiatric Nurses (CPNs)

Your request is set out below:

1. Please confirm how many shifts were sent out to agencies to fill (per month) for Band 5 RMNs and Band 6 CPNs between November 2024 and April 2025.

Month	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
Total	983	864	884	923	959	806

2. Please confirm how many of these shifts were successfully filled by agencies (per month) for the same time period, broken down by agency supplier and by band (i.e. Band 5 RMNs and Band 6 CPNs).

	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
Band 5 RMN	25	36	44	44	33	10
Band 6 CPN	900	779	753	761	830	736

3. Please confirm how many approved agency shifts for Band 5 RMNs and Band 6 CPNs remained unfilled each month from November 2024 to April 2025.

	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr
Band 5 RMN	24	26	35	30	28	42
Band 6 CPN	34	23	52	88	68	18

4. Please confirm how many hours were filled by off-framework agencies for Band 5 RMNs and Band 6 CPNs during this period. Please provide a monthly breakdown

KMPT do not use Off Framework Agency

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Trust Chair – Dr Jackie Craissati
Chief Executive – Sheila Stenson

I confirm that the information above completes your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. I am also pleased to confirm that no charge will be made for this request.

If you have any questions or concerns or are unhappy with the response provided or the service you have received you can write to the Head of Information Governance at the address on top of this letter. If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision.

Yours Sincerely

On Behalf of
The Information Governance Department