



FOI 2337

Date 28/07/2023

Dear Requester,

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request. Please note, this is a cross-site response for Bedford site and Luton site.

You asked:

1. Has the trust utilised "Insourcing" with the FY 22/23?

Yes

2. What was the insourcing spend by the trust for 22/23?

Approximately £566k

3. How was Insourcing procured by the trust? Was a particular framework used?

Increased Capacity Framework / NoE framework

4. Outside of procurement team who is the Senior Officer responsible for Insourcing?

Exempt under Section 41 – personal information

For clarity, 'insourcing' is defined as: "where an NHS organisation sub-contracts medical services/procedures. It differs to locum supply in that the full end to end service is provided, not just staff."

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Yours sincerely,

FOI Officer

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