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Subject: Agency usage for the Decontamination department

## REQUEST

**This request is for STHK ONLY**

1. Who is the person in charge for approving agency usage for the Decontamination department at your trust?
2. Who is responsible for agency usage (on and off framework) in the Decontamination department at all hospitals associated with the Trust?
3. If the decontamination service is not managed by the trust, please confirm which company runs your decontamination service.
4. Please can you provide the contact number and email address for the manager(s) in question 1 and 2.
5. Have you used off-framework agency staff between March 2022 - March 2023 in Decontamination and endoscopy?
6. How much was your Off-Framework agency spend for Decontamination and Endoscopy from March 2022 - March 2023?

## RESPONSE

1. We use trust bank staff at St Helens and Whiston site, we do not use agency staff
2. Agency staff are not used at St Helens and Whiston site
3. Trust managed
4. Agency staff not used
5. Agency staff not used in Decontamination Department
6. Agency staff not used in Decontamination Department

