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Subject: North West Collaborative Doctors Bank

REQUEST & RESPONSE

1. Copy of the winning bid to manage the North West Collaborative bank awarded to Locumtap Ltd trading as Patchwork Health (who, for the purpose of this and the following FOI requests will be referred to as just Patchwork)
This information should be requested via Health Trust Europe who ran the procurement process.
2. Details of any relationship between a trust employee or board member and an employee or board member of patchwork
Neither the Trust nor any of its officers/employees have any relationship with employees of patchwork other than in professional relationship as required for the execution of the commercial contract.
3. Details of any financial payment to the trust or an employee/board member of the trust by patchwork, one of its employees or board members
None
4. a) How much are the trust paid by patchwork for each individual trust that uses the North West Collaborative Bank and b) for each shift that is processed via this technology/contract by another NHS trust
£0
5. The % fill rate of shifts requested via the patchwork contract/technology broken down by each participating NHS trust.
This request can be made to each participating NHS trust listed here: <https://sharedservices.sthk.nhs.uk/doctors-in-training-collaborative-bank/>
6. The number of unfilled shifts requested via the patchwork contract/technology broken down by each participating NHS trust
See question 5.

7. The number of doctors registered on the North West Collaborative Bank technology provided by Patchwork as of 22.04.21
893
8. The number of individual doctors who have completed a shift via the North West Collaborative Bank technology provided by Patchwork as of 22.04.21
406
9. Details of how and by whom are compliance documents checked/reviewed and agreed as present and correct (including DBS check) prior to a doctor undertaking a shift via the North West Collaborative Bank technology provided by Patchwork
This is carried out by the in-house North West Collaborative Bank Team.
10. How many individual doctors that are registered on the North West Collaborative Bank technology provided by Patchwork have work shifts at multiple NHS trusts as of 22.04.21
34
11. Are timesheets detailing the hours a doctor has worked via the North West Collaborative Bank technology provided by Patchwork automatically approved? If yes, how much spend to date (£) has been processed having been automatically approved.
No. There is an approval process in place at each participating Trust.