



Reference: FOI4382

**Request:**

This is a FOI request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Could you please provide the following information you have pertaining to Social Care temporary agency staffing management and spend within your Council:

1. What was the total number of social workers at your organisation at the end of the last financial year (31.3.2021), split by:

**Children's services | Adult services**

**Children's - 133    Adults - 81    Agency - 0**

2. What was the total spend by your organisation on temporary (agency) social workers during the last 3 financial years (YE: March 31th), split by:

Children's services | Adult services

**Children's costs were 2020/21 £169,987, 2019/20 £137,007, 2018/19 £538,734  
(Inclusive of all agency costs, not just for social workers)**

**Adult's costs were 2020/21 £0; 2019/20 £11041.44; 2018/19 £20417.93**

3. Which agency/ies for adult and children social care temporary staffing have you used in the last financial year (2020/21)?

**The Agency which is used for Adult and Children Social Care temporary Staffing is 'Geometric Results International' (GRI)**

4. Which of the following model(s) are you using to manage your social care temporary staffing spend?
  - a. Master Vendor
  - b. Neutral Vendor
  - c. PSL

**b. Neutral Vendor**