#### Our workforce - Q2 23/24

At the end of Q2 23/24, we had **5339** (4458.4 fte) people, an increase of 3 employees from last quarter. Of these 226 were apprentices, which accounted for 4.2% of directorate workforce. During Q2 23/24, there were 475 agency workers, compared to 450 agency workers in last quarter.

Headcount as at 31 March in the past 5 years

2018-19 4959

25%

people with

under 2 Years

2019-20 5079

5087

20%

people with 2

to 5 Years

2020-21

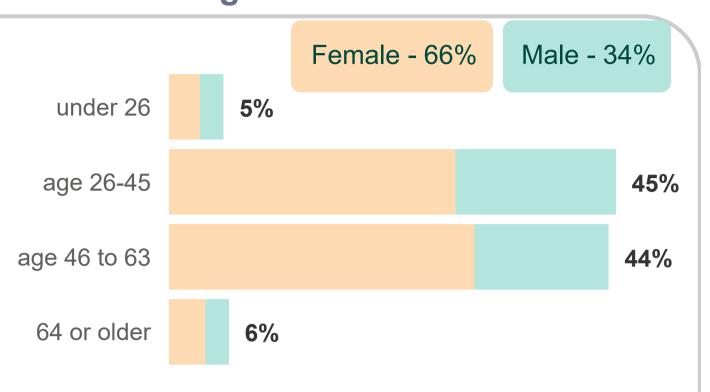
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2022-23

5310

2021-22

#### **Gender and Age**



# **Promotions**



people have been promoted in the last 12 mths

# 183

59%

are female

41%

are male

6%

are declared with a disability

10%

are ethnic minorities

#### **Sickness**

#### 8.4 days

were lost per employee to sickness in the past 4 quarters ending Q2 23/24

**Top 3 Reasons - Q2 23/24** 

31.5%

Stress & mental health related

9.3%

Cold, ENT & Dental

9.1%

Musculoskeletal problems

4.0 days per fte were lost to long term sickness, which accounts for 48% of all sick days in the past 12 months

2.3 days per fte were lost to stress related sickness, which accounts for 28% of all sick days in the past 12 months

### **Starters**

We had 217 starters in Q2 23/24. **19%** of these were under 26. New starters account for 4.1% of total workforce.

#### Leavers

We had 184 leavers in Q2 23/24. **13%** of these were under 26. Leavers account for 3.4% of our workforce.





Length of Service

9.6% 2021/22 2020/21

13.3%

12.1%

56%

people with

over 5 Years

12.7% **rolling yr 2023/24** 2022/23

Number of starters left within the first 6 months

24

2020/21

40

2021/22

**62** 

2022/23

YTD 23/24

21

8.9 years

Avg Years of

Service

## Apprentice and agency spend - Q2 23/24 for All Directorates

All

Apprenticeship - celebrate our success

**108** apprentices have successfully completed their programmes so far. **55%** of these are now OCC employees.

In Q2 we celebrated our apprentices with a well attended **Apprenticeship Recognition and Awards Event**.

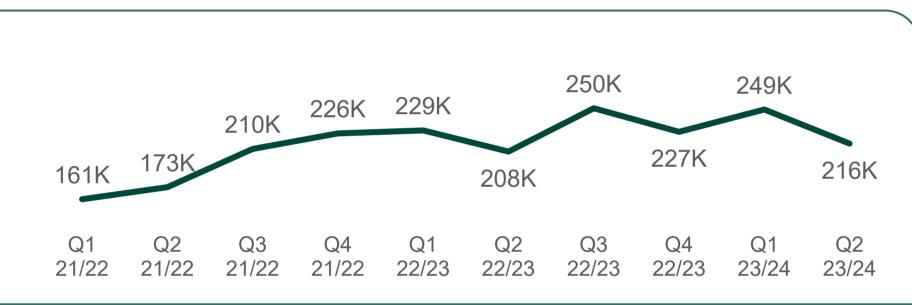
Also in Q2 we received the fantastic news that Children's Services have been awarded funding from DfE for additional Child and Family Social Worker

No. of apprentices on programme - end of Q2 23/24

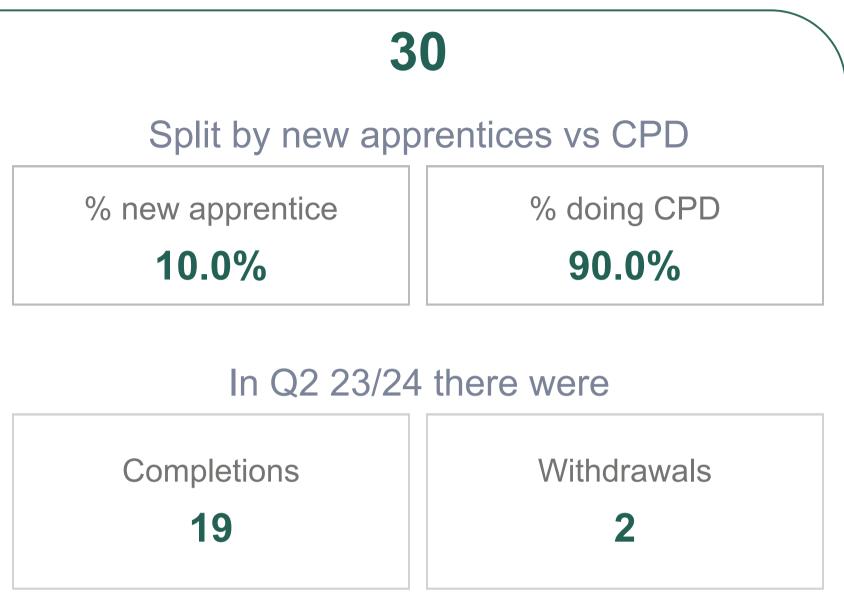


actual spend on apprenticeship by quarter

8.40M



Number of new apprentices enrolled in Q2 23/24



## Agency Spend [1]

Total agency spend in Q2 23/24 was £9,593,378, which has gone up by 14.2% compared to the spend in the last quarter at £8,401,225

Agency spend for the previous 9 quarters and the lastest quarter in Q2 23/24

9.59M

Q1 21/22	Q2 21/22	Q3 21/22	Q4 21/22
<b>6.14M</b>	<b>8.15M</b>	<b>7.59M</b>	<b>8.53M</b>
Q1 22/23	Q2 22/23	Q3 22/23	Q4 22/23
<b>8.98M</b>	<b>9.88M</b>	10.81M	10.39M
Q1 23/24	Q2 23/24		