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Dear [REDACTED],

Request for Information

I write further to your request FOI ID 34614 under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 regarding:-

International Recruitment

Your request is set out below:

How much has this trust spent on overseas recruitment (including all recruitment related activities, overseas recruitment trips, agency fees, staff salaries of overseas recruits of all occupations - such as nurses, doctors, admin staff etc - including costs of relocation, flights etc) from 1st January 2017 - the present (31st October 2022)?

If possible please break this down by year and by cost type (examples given above).

Expense Type	22/23	21/22
Nurse band 6	23,224	0
Admin & Clerical band 6	3,579	25,961
Admin & Clerical band 5	0	11,688
PAY Total	26,802	37,650
Laboratory Test Kits	0	4,125
Provisions	695	547
Cleaning Materials	14	0
Bedding & Linen: Non-Disp	56	0
Phone Rental and Calls	60	0
Mobile Phones	0	60
Work Permits and Visa	45,974	68,651
Removal Expenses	0	2,870
Travel & Subsistence	6,662	23,588

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Training Travel & Subs	3,141	0
Hospitality	593	2,368
Meeting expense/Room	280	0
Hire		
Rent	27,035	0
Furniture & Fittings	0	102
Professional Fees	32,996	37,331
NON-PAY Total	117,506	139,642
Grand Total	144,308	177,292

KMPT do not hold the financial information regarding IR costs or any IR programmes for the period prior to 2021.

I confirm that the information above completes your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. I am also pleased to confirm that no charge will be made for this request.

If you have any questions or concerns or are unhappy with the response provided or the service you have received you can write to the Head of Information Governance at the address on top of this letter. If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision.

Yours Sincerely

On Behalf of
The Information Governance Department