Freedom of Information request 016476 - DGNHSFT 28/11/22.

I am writing to request the following information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

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).

| International Recruitment Cost Categories | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 to 31/10/22 |
|---|------|------|------|------|----------|---------------------|
| Recruitment Trips | £0 | £0 | £0 | £0 | £0 | £0 |
| Agency Fees | £0 | £0 | £0 | £0 | £0 | £134,550 |
| Certificate of Sponsorship | £0 | £0 | £0 | £0 | £275,114 | £829,337 |
| Other - Recruitment collaborative partner | | | | | | |
| - Royal Wolverhampton Hospital Trust | £0 | £0 | £0 | £0 | £240,146 | £1,243,008 |
| Salaries of International Recruits | £0 | £0 | £0 | £0 | £282,372 | £3,164,091 |