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Dear,

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI 230304.

You requested the following information, please also see our response below:

Please may I have the following information regarding the recruitment of international clinical staff into Secamb

1. How much has it cost for overseas travel for managers to recruit these staff

In the last 6 months there has been a spend of £18,088.05 for international recruitment fairs, assessments and interviews.

2. How many staff have we employed into Secamb in the last 6 months from international countries.

42 - we have a further 98 due to start in the next 6 months from the above campaigns.

3. How many international staff have stayed employed in Secamb if recruited in the last 12 months

41

I hope you find this information of some assistance.

If for any reason you are dissatisfied with our response, kindly in the first instance contact Caroline Smart, Head of Information Governance via the following email address:

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Yours sincerely

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