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Freedom of Information Act 2000

I am writing in response to your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 in relation to external management, business consultants and recruitment agency fees.

You asked: All questions are shown as received by the Trust.

- 1) Since the beginning of the calendar year 2023, how much has the trust spent on external management/business consultants, including commitments that cover the rest of the calendar year?
- 2) Since the beginning the calendar year 2023, how much has the trust spent fees to recruitment agencies, including commitments that cover the rest of the calendar of the calendar year?

Trust response:

- 1. £109,688.27
- 2. £271,697.34 please note this does not include any committed costs to the end of the calendar year as we are unable to provide this information.