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Re: PQ 17053/22 – Debt collectors, WGH

“To ask the Minister for Health the amount recovered through the use of debt collectors and or debt collection agencies in respect of the collection of fees and charges on patients attending hospital groups managed by Wexford Hospital in each of the years 2017 to 2021, in tabular form; and if he will make a statement on the matter.”

Dear Deputy Cullinane,

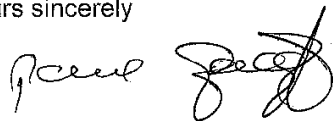
I refer to the above Parliamentary Question seeking the amount recovered through the use of debt collectors in Wexford General Hospital, which has been referred to the Ireland East Hospital Group for direct response.

I have had this matter examined, please see data below:

Year	Total collected €
2017	103199.68
2018	137384.11
2019	130958.40
2020	105454.30
2021	47004.50
Total	524000.99

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely



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