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Mr. Matt Carthy, TD  
Dáil Éireann,  
Leinster House,  
Kildare Street,  
Dublin 2.

**Re: Parliamentary Question 5022/23, “To ask the Minister for Health the estimated full year cost of recruiting additional ten whole-time equivalent midwives for the maternity unit at Cavan General Hospital; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Matt Carthy”**

Dear Deputy Carthy,

The RCSI Hospital Group has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question, which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response. Having reviewed the matter, the following outlines the position.

The costs associated with recruitment is maintained within the general human resource workforce and budget allocation. The salary costs are outlined in the HSE consolidated pay scales: <https://healthservice.hse.ie/staff/pay/pay-scales/>.

We trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,



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