

You asked:

1. I would like to find out how much money your health board spent on agency nurses during:

- 2016**
- 2017**
- 2018**
- 2019**

If I could get them as four separate figures I would be really grateful.

- 2016/17 - full year £6.886m
- 2017/18 - full year £5.218m
- 2018/19 - full year £6.992m
- 2019/20 - part year up to end Dec 19 £11.776m

Please note, Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board was established on the 1 April 2019. Therefore, the rise in the figures for 2019/20 is due to the impact of the Boundary Change (Bridgend included).

2. Secondly, I would like to find out the maximum amount of money an NHS-salaried band 5 nurse was paid for a 12-hour shift on Christmas Day, 2019.

The top of Band 5 is £15.3998 per hour, plus 60% enhancement for bank holiday = £295.68

If the shift was overtime however, it would be double time = £369.6.

These are gross amounts.

3. I would also like to find out the maximum amount of money your health board spent on an agency band 5 (equivalent) nurse for a 12-hour shift on Christmas Day, 2019. If this varies between agencies you use, I'd like the figure for the most used agency on that day.

The maximum amount of money that Cwm Taf Morgannwg UHB spent on an agency Band 5 (equivalent) nurse for a 12-hour shift on Christmas Day, 2019 was £1,136.81.