Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB_21_21

You asked:

Please can you help us understand a little more about the NHS fleet's tyre consumption?

Here are some specific questions:

1. How big is your fleet?

The Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board fleet comprises of some 200+ vehicles.

2. Which vehicles comprise your fleet?

The fleet has a wide mix of large goods vehicles (LGV), heavy goods vehicles (HGV), short wheelbase (SWB) vans, long wheelbase (LWB) vans, cars and agricultural vehicles.

3. How many tyres do you buy each year? And how many are removed each year?

Tyres are included as part of our maintenance package within the lease fleet. For our owned vehicles dependant on mileage consumed depends on the tyres purchased. We would change our tyres every circa 15-20K miles under normal conditions, but wear and tear, punctures etc dictates the change.

4. Which companies supply your fleet's tyres?

ATS and National.

5. What brands, products and sizes are they?

Michelin, Continental, Bridgestone, Pirelli, Goodyear, Dunlop. Some popular size examples: 225/50 R17 94W - 205/60 R 16 96H - 185/65 R15 91H 205/80 R16.

6. What proportion are summer, winter and all-season tyres?

30% winter tyres and 70% all season.

7. At what tread depth do you remove tyres?

We use the recommended 2MM limit on all vehicles.

8. Which firms collect these tyres?

We dispose of tyres at the branch.

9. Are any tyres resold as part-worn tyres? If so, how many?