Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB_393_21

You asked:

Please provide the following:

 Whether or not the Health Board has been providing SELR (Structured English Language Reference) to Doctors with job offers for the Doctors to obtain GMC registration so that they can work in the Health Board.

Yes, Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board has been providing SELR (Structured English Language Reference) to Doctors with job offers (for the Doctors to obtain GMC registration, to enable them to work within the UHB).

2. If Yes to Question 1, please provide a breakdown by the number of Doctors per month given a SELR by the Health Board for the past 36 months across every grade (Consultant, Middle Grade, and Junior) and specialty (eg Emergency Medicine, Paediatrics, Radiology, etc.).

There is no requirement to maintain records of numbers of Doctors given an SELR.

However, we can confirm during the month of September 2021, one Doctor in Psychiatry is planned to be given a SELR.

3. Whether or not the Health Board has been employing Doctors via MTI (Medical Training Initiative).

Yes, Cwm Taf Morgannwg UHB has been employing Doctors via MTI (Medical Training Initiative).

4. If Yes to Question 3, please provide a breakdown by the number of Doctors per month employed on MTI for the past 10 years across every grade (Consultant, Middle Grade, and Junior) and specialty (eg Emergency Medicine, Paediatrics, Radiology, etc.).

The organisation has employed doctors on MTIs over the last 10 years, but there is no requirement to maintain records of MTI numbers.

However, currently Cwm Taf Morgannwg UHB employs via the MTI scheme, one Doctor in Adult Psychiatry, one Doctor in General Surgery, one Doctor in Trauma & Orthopaedics and one Doctor in Paediatrics.