

Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB_172_22

You asked:

Under the FOI Act, I would like to request information regarding your total annual expenditure and average annual expenditure per service user for mental and physical health community nursing and residential care home services.

I am requesting this data for the past 5 financial years (FY2016-17, FY2017-18, FY2018-19, FY2019-20, FY2020-21) broken down by the categories in the list below.

Please note that the subcategories are there both for additional detail if it is available, but also to provide an example of what primary diagnosis/need we are including.

For the categories I am looking to obtain the information for services users whose primary diagnosis falls into each category, but if you have an alternative method of categorisation, I would be happy to receive that with some explanation of your categorisation method.

If the breakdown by subcategories would be unreasonably time-consuming, you may choose to treat it as optional and solely provide information for the categories.

In your reply please also include explanations for each category of what primary diagnosis you have included in those categories.

The categorisations we are interested in obtaining the information for are the below:

- Acquired brain injuries – examples including:
 - o Traumatic brain injury
 - o Strokes
 - o Others
- Neurodegenerative diseases – examples including:
 - o Huntington's disease
 - o Multiple sclerosis
 - o Parkinson's disease
 - o Motor neurone disease
 - o Muscular dystrophy
 - o Cerebral palsy
 - o Other
- Cognitive disorders – examples including:
 - o Early-onset dementia
 - o Severe dementia
 - o Alzheimer's
 - o Other
- Psychotic and personality disorders – examples including:
 - o Psychotic disorders
 - o Personality disorders
- Learning disabilities and Autistic Spectrum Disorder – examples including:

- o General learning disability
- o Learning disabilities with autistic spectrum disorder
- o Autistic spectrum disorder
- o Complex learning disability (learning disabilities with multiple co-morbidities)
- Physical disabilities – examples including:
 - o Spinal injury
 - o Sensory impairment

For your convenience I have included an excel template for you to fill in

Our response:

We can confirm that Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board is unable to provide the information requested. The Health Board do not capture individual patient data for our Community Nursing teams in a form that would allow us to categorise. This activity is not clinically coded and without diagnosis codes the detailed, activity cannot be identified centrally. The Health Board do not cost community patient contact on an individual patient basis.