

Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB_502_22

You asked:

My research involves investigating the clinical management of functional neurological disorder (FND, also known as conversion disorder or functional seizures) in the NHS. Please would it be possible to be sent information on the following:

1. The number of NHS Functional neurological disorder/conversion disorder/functional seizure specific departments or centres in your health board.
2. The most common diagnostic tests used across your health board to diagnose patients with functional neurological disorder/conversion disorder/functional seizures in the last 5 years.
3. The most common treatments used across your health board to support patients with Functional neurological disorder/conversion disorder/functional seizures in the last 5 years.
4. The number of patients in your health board diagnosed with Functional neurological disorder/conversion disorder/functional seizures in the last 5 years

Our response:

The Health does not hold the information requested.

Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board commission Neurological Services from Cardiff & Vale (C&V) and Swansea Bay (SB) University Health Boards (UHB) with Consultants providing outreach services to Cwm Taf Morgannwg (CTM) patients. Support is also provided within C&V and SB UHB's for patients with more complex needs/those who require specialist inpatient care.

Therefore, you may wish to redirect your request directly to:

Cardiff and Vale University Health Board - CAV.FOI.Requests@wales.nhs.uk

Swansea Bay University Health Board - FOIA.Requests@wales.nhs.uk