

Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB_387_22

You asked:

I have recently attended the launch of a neuro café in Aberdare which is a wonderful support mechanism for residents with neurological conditions.

This brilliant venture is seeking further funding to secure the future of the café. To enable them with their funding application, they require information on people living with neurological conditions in Cwm Taf. Could you therefore advise me of the estimated number of people living with Neurological conditions in Cwm Taf please?

Our response:

We can confirm that Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board does not hold any data on the estimated number of people living with Neurological conditions in Cwm Taf.

In order to comply with our obligation set out in section 16, to provide help and assistance, we would like to advise you that the NHS Wales collaborative website [Neurological Conditions - NHS Wales Health Collaborative](#) states:

There are an estimated 100,000 people living with a neurological condition in Wales, and around 2,500 new diagnoses every year. There are more than 250 recognised neurological conditions. The most common conditions include multiple sclerosis, motor neurone disease, epilepsy, Parkinson's disease, muscular dystrophy and Acquired Brain Injury.

The NHS Wales collaborative may have the estimates broken down to Health Board level or be able to assist you further. You can contact them directly via the following link:

[Freedom of information - NHS Wales Health Collaborative](#)