

Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB_484_23

You asked:

I should like to make a Freedom of information request to the Cwm Taf Health Board on the therapy treatment provided in the Health Board area to children living with Cerebral Palsy.

FOI Questions

1. How many children are living with Cerebral Palsy in Cwm Taf LHB area?

(a) 0-3 year olds?

(b) 4-19 year olds?

The Health Board only record diagnoses via clinical coding at the inpatient stage. Therefore, we are unable to provide the number of children that are living with Cerebral Palsy in the Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board area.

2. How are you providing Therapy treatment to children with Cerebral Palsy and in 2022/23 for how many children? as follows:-

(a) 0-3 years

- (i) How many by your LHB Community therapists?**
- (ii) How many by other Welsh LHB therapists?**
- (iii) How many by external therapists from the rest of UK?**
- (iv) How many by external therapists in Wales?**

(b) 4 - 19 years

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Apologies, but we do not collate data in this way and therefore are unable to provide the required information. Each team collates data slightly differently but none of them collates based on whether they have a diagnosis of Cerebral Palsy or not.