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Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB_181_24

You asked:

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, I am writing to request information regarding Radiology and Tele-Radiology outsourcing conducted by your Trust. The information I seek is detailed below:

- 1. Total Radiology scans (X-ray, CT, MRI etc.) conducted by the Trust during 2022 and 2023,**
 - a. Total during 2022.**
 - b. Total during 2023**

Please see the information provided below and attached for:

POW – Princess of Wales Hospital

RGH and PCH – Royal Glamorgan Hospital and Prince Charles Hospital.

Exams Performed RGH and PCH

Year	Totals
2022	249370
2023	267386
Grand Total	516756

Exams Performed POW

Year	Totals
2022	123309
2023	129973
Grand Total	253282

- 2. Total Radiology scans conducted by the Trust during 2022 and 2023, broken down by body part (Breast, Chest, MSK etc),**
 - a. Breakdown for 2022**
 - b. Breakdown for 2023**

Please see attached.

- 3. Total Radiology scans conducted by the Trust during 2022 and 2023, broken down by body part (Breast, Chest, MSK etc), further broken down by type (CT, MRI etc.). i.e. Breast CT, Chest MRI etc.**
 - a. Breakdown for 2022**
 - b. Breakdown for 2023**

Please see attached.

4. Total number of Radiology work outsourced to Private Radiology Companies during 2022 and 2023,

a. Total during 2022

b. Total during 2023

Outsourced Reporting RGH and PCH

Year	Totals
2022	23297
2023	27693
Grand Total	50990

Outsourced Reporting POW

Year	Totals
2022	7449
2023	10984
Grand Total	18433

5. Total number of Radiology work outsourced to Private Radiology Companies during 2022 and 2023 by body part (Breast, Chest, MSK etc.),

a. Total during 2022

b. Total during 2023

We can confirm that the Health Board does hold this information. However to provide you with this data in the format requested, would require a manual trawl through individual radiology records. The Health Board estimates that the cost of locating, retrieving and extracting this data would significantly exceed the 18 hours time and £450 cost limit set out within Section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act.

However, to assist you with your request below we have provided the number of scans by type:

Scan Type – RGH and PCH

Scan type	2022	2023
CT	19557	22886
MRI	1496	3457
XR	2244	1350
Total	23297	27693

Scan Type - POW

Scan type	2022	2023
CT	6960	10159
MRI	482	822
XR	7	3
Total	7449	10984

6. Total number of Radiology work outsourced to Private Radiology Companies during 2022 and 2023 by their classification (routine, emergency, complex etc.),

- a. Total during 2022**
- b. Total during 2023**

Please see response to Q5.

- 7. Total spend in £ for outsourced Radiology work to Private Radiology Companies during 2022 and 2023,**
- a. Total during 2022**
 - b. Total during 2023**

Under section 21 of the Act, Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board is not required to provide information in response to a request if it is already reasonably accessible to you. We have answered a previous request in relation to the information you require, and this response is published via our [Disclosure Log](#) on the [Cwm Taf University Morgannwg Health Board](#) web site.

For ease of access, we have attached a link directly to the information below:

[CTMUHB 36 23](#)

- 8. List the Private Radiology Companies worked with during 2022 and 2023 and their individual spend,**
- a. Total during 2022 by Company**
 - b. Total during 2023 by Company**

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Please see response 7 with regard to spend.

- 9. Who is the person responsible for authorising the outsourcing of tele radiology within the Trust and what is their job title?**

The Radiology Manager and Clinical Director.

- 10. Does the Radiology within the Trust belong to part of a Radiology network in the region, and what is the name of that network?**

No.

- 11. Does the Trust share its Radiology services with any other Trusts?**

No.

- 12. Does your Trust adhere to a Framework for outsourced Tele-Radiology? If so, which ones?**

Yes. For further information please contact [NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership \(NWSSP\)](#) whom provides procurement services for all Wales NHS Health Boards.

They can be contacted at the following address:
shared.services@wales.nhs.uk