

Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB_109_26

You asked:

I am writing to submit a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 for information relating to your Health Board's mobile MRI and CT service contracts.

Specifically, I would be grateful if you could provide the following information:

1. Mobile MRI and CT contracts

Details of the mobile MRI and CT contracts held by your Health Board for the periods 2024, 2025 and 2026, including equipment-only rentals as well as fully staffed and managed services. For each contract, please provide:

- **Contract value(s)**

We can confirm that Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board holds information relating to contract value.

However, we would like to advise you that the information you requested is being withheld under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The exemption which the Health Board has applied to this information is: Section (43)(2) of the Freedom of Information Act.

The Health Board considers the information to be of a commercially sensitive nature and that the release of this information would or would be likely to prejudice the commercial interests of any parties concerned.

The University Health Board accepts that there is a public interest in ensuring openness and transparency however, the Health Board believes that disclosure of information in a manner which fails to protect the interests and relationships arising in a commercial context could have the effect of discouraging companies from dealing with the Health Board because of fears that the disclosure of information could damage them commercially. In turn this could then jeopardise the Health Boards ability to compete fairly and pursue its function to bring forward development in the area and obtain value for money.

- **Which modality is the contract for, MRI, CT or Both**

Please see table below.

- **Current service provider(s) and the locations at which they operate**

Please see table below.

- **Contract duration(s)**

Please see table below.

- **Scheduled renewal date(s)**

Please see table below.

- **The number of bidders who submitted a response and the names of all bidders**

Please see number of bidders provided in the table below. Names have not been provided.

- **The ranking of all bidders who submitted responses**

There was no ranking in the process, the contract was awarded to the bidder with best value.

Site	Service	Staffed Y/N	Supplier	Start date	End date (original)	Number of bidders	Change with CCN?	CCN start date	CCN end date
PCH	CT	N	TIC	31/08/2024	31/10/2024	5	N		
LHP	CT	Y	TIC	01/10/2024	30/11/2024	7	Y	01/12/2024	31/12/2024

- PCH – Prince Charles Hospital
- LHP – Local Health Park

2. Procurement frameworks

Information on the frameworks through which these contracts were procured, including:

- **Name(s) of the framework(s) utilised**

Managed Equipment and Clinical Service Solutions (MECSS).

3. Responsible contacts

Contact details for the Radiology Managers and Procurement Managers responsible for overseeing these contracts, including:

- **Name(s)**

Bronwyn Baldwin.

- **Job title(s)**

Radiology Directorate Manager

- **Email address(es)**

Bronwyn.Baldwin@wales.nhs.uk

- **Telephone number(s)**

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