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Sent by email to:

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB_351_24

Thank you for your request for information received on the 5 July 2024, regarding unpaid carers. Please find the response from Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board set out below:

You asked:

As in previous years, we want to include data collected directly from councils across Wales. This information will be published on our website along with the Track the Act briefing and the information we are also requesting from Local Health Boards.

Question 1: How many unpaid carers have been given access to a Carers Needs Assessment as part of the hospital discharge process across your Local Health Board area?

Question 2:

a) How many new services for unpaid carers were commissioned and/or delivered by the health board in the financial year April 2023 to March 2024?

Cadeirydd/Chair: Jonathan Morgan **Prif Weithredwr/Chief Executive:** Paul Mears

*Croeso i chi ohebu â'r bwrdd iechyd neu ein ffonio yn y Gymraeg neu'r Saesneg. Byddwn yn ymateb yn yr un iaith a ni fydd hyn yn arwain at oedi.
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b) How many ongoing services for unpaid carers were continued to be funded and/or delivered by the health board in the financial year April 2023 to March 2024?

Our response:

We can confirm that the Health Board does not hold this information.

However, you may wish to redirect your request to the Local Authorities and Cwm Taf Morgannwg Regional Partnership Board, who should be able to assist you with this request. The relevant email addresses are provided below:

- Rhondda Cynon Taf County Borough Council - freedomofinformation@rhondda-cynon-taff.gov.uk
- Merthyr Tydfil Borough Council - FOI@merthyr.gov.uk
- Bridgend County Borough Council - foi@bridgend.gov.uk

- Cwm Taf Morgannwg Regional Partnership Board – hello@ctmregionalpartnershipboard.co.uk

Under the terms of the Health Board's Freedom of Information policy, individuals seeking access to recorded information held by the Health Board are entitled to request an internal review of the handling of their requests. If you would like to complain about the Health Board's handling of your request please contact me directly at the address below. If after Internal Review you remain dissatisfied you are also entitled to refer the matter to the Information Commissioner at the following address:

- Information Commissioner's Office - Wales
2nd Floor, Churchill House, Churchill Way, Cardiff, CF10 2HH
- Telephone: 0330 414 6421 / Email: wales@ico.gsi.gov.uk
- <https://ico.org.uk/>

You should note, however, that the Information Commissioner would normally expect you to have exhausted our internal complaints procedures before dealing with such an application. Further guidance may be found on the Information Commissioner's website [click here](#).

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Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any queries.

Yours sincerely

The Freedom of Information Team /Y Tîm Rhyddid Gwybodaeth

