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Freedom of Information request to Public Health Wales

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Information requested:

I am writing to you to request the following information from the Public Health Wales (PHW) under the Freedom of Information (FOI) Act 2000 (the Act);

1. An overview of the roles, responsibilities and remit of PHW.
2. An estimate of the population PHW's remit covers.
3. An overview of positions offered by PHW.
4. The number of staff currently employed by PHW.
5. The number of staff paid on the Agenda for Change (AfC) scale.
6. A breakdown of the number of staff employed on each band of the AfC scale from band 1 through to band 9.
7. The number and/ or percentage of staff employed by PHW who work in a non-clinical capacity, i.e. those who do not work directly with patients in an acute setting or in the community. This includes members of any healthcare profession (e.g. nursing and medical) in managerial roles with no direct patient clinical contact.
8. The number and/ or percentage of staff employed by PHW who work in a clinical capacity, i.e. those who work directly with patients in an acute setting or in the community.

Information provided for the answer:

1. An overview of Public Health Wales (PHW) and our remit can be found on our website in the About Us section <http://www.wales.nhs.uk/sitesplus/888/home>

2. PHW is an all Wales service, population of Wales can be found here
<https://gov.wales/statistics-and-research/mid-year-estimates-population/?lang=en>
3. An overview of the positions offered by PHW can be found in the Annual Accounts report 2017/18 on the PHW internet within the Publications section
<http://www.wales.nhs.uk/sitesplus/documents/888/PHW%20Annual%20Accounts%202017-18%20%282%29.pdf>
4. The number of staff employed by PHW headcount = 1767 FTE = 1568.66
5. The number of staff paid on the Agenda for Change (AfC) scale = 1655 & FTE = 1470.05
6. Breakdown of the number of staff employed on each band of the AfC scale from band 1 to 9;

Pay Grade	Headcount	FTE
Band 1 & 2	105	90.95
Band 3	248	203.95
Band 4	234	206.26
Band 5	231	212.04
Band 6	276	241.13
Band 7	250	221.24
Band 8 - Range A	138	130.89
Band 8 - Range B	57	55.42
Band 8 - Range C	49	47.02
Band 8 - Range D	29	26.55
Band 9	38	34.60

7&8. The number of staff in a clinical/non clinical capacity. PHW does not work in an acute setting or deliver in the health community. For the average number of employees, please refer to question 3.

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of the decision, you should write to the Corporate Complaints Manager, Public Health Wales NHS Trust, 3, Number 2, Capital Quarter, Tyndall Street, Cardiff, CF10 4BZ.

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