Freedom of Information request to Public Health Wales

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**Information requested:**

We would like to receive the “figure of expenditure for all advertising”

_(Initial request was received on August 22nd - Please provide us with an exact figure of expenditure for direct recruitment from 1 January to 31 December 2016. Direct recruitment includes, but is not limited to, the advertising of job vacancies in printed journals, newspapers, radio, online recruitment websites, job fairs, internal recruitment open days as well as social media and search advertising. Direct recruitment excludes the fees paid to recruitment agencies. Disclosure of the requested information is to calculate the cost of direct recruitment in the NHS Wales and the efficiencies that maybe achievable through Sustainability and Transformation Partnerships (STPs) or similar initiative, if they were established beyond NHS England.)_

**Information provided for the answer**

The expenditure is as follows:

| Jan – March 2016 | £79,106 |
| April – Dec 2016 | £159,935 |
| **TOTAL**        | **£239,041** |

The above figure may include expenditure on advertising related to public health campaigns and promotions, in addition to staff advertising / recruitment.
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, No 2 Capital Quarter, Tyndall Street, Cardiff, CF10 4BZ

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