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Freedom of Information request to Public Health Wales

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Information Requested:

'Please provide the statistics for the number of Covid-19 (SARS-CoV-2) new infections in Wales attributed to close-contact personal services (hairdressing, beauty therapy, spa and wellness centres etc. or associated locales such as hotel spas) from the 13th July 2020 or most available nearest data-collection start-date, to the most recent data collection cut-off date. In addition to the data, please express the number of infections incurred as a percentage of all recorded location-attributable infections in Wales during the collection period.'

Information provided for the answer:

Thank you for your recent request.

Thank you for your recent request. I have consulted with the relevant department who have advised that Public Health Wales do not hold this level of detailed accurate information.

I understand that the World Health Organisation may hold some information relevant to your enquiry and I attach a link below:-

<https://www.who.int/news-room/q-a-detail/coronavirus-disease-covid-19-how-is-it-transmitted>

I am sorry that I cannot be of more help on this occasion.

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