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Freedom of Information request to Public Health Wales

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Information Requested:

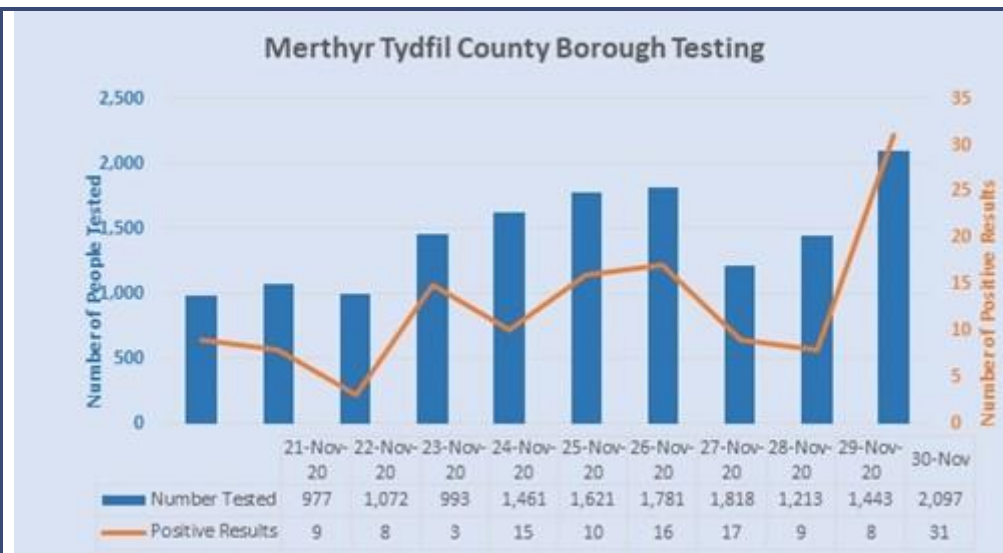
Merthyr Tydfil Borough Council have confirmed that 6,124 people had participated in the mass Covid-19 testing scheme currently being run in the borough between Saturday, 21st November 2020 and Wednesday, 25th November 2020 (5 days). They also said that the release of the figures for positive tests in this timeframe is not their responsibility but that of PHW.

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, please provide me with the number of positive tests under the mass Covid-19 testing scheme in the Merthyr Tydfil Borough Council area during this time (22/11/20 to 25/11/20).

Information provided for the answer:

Thank you for your recent request. Unfortunately, Public Health Wales do not hold the information requested. However, since the 1st December, Merthyr Tydfil Borough Council has begun to publish the information requested. Please find the link below:-

<https://www.merthyr.gov.uk/news-and-events/latest-news/latest-mass-testing-results/>



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