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Freedom of Information request to Public Health Wales

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Information Requested:

Would it be possible to get a further breakdown of data from the information published in your Rapid COVID-19 surveillance tables please.

I would like to understand the distribution of cases by

- town or ward in the Caerphilly county Borough Council please;
- age category in the County;
- Identified through track and trace; and
- Economic sector that individuals had been traced from. For example the service sector industry or household.

Information provided for the answer:

Thank you for your recent request.

With regard to questions 1 and 2, please find a link to our Coronavirus Dashboard from which details can be found about rates of infection in different areas of Wales.

<https://public.tableau.com/profile/public.health.wales.health.protection#!/vizhome/RapidCOVID-19virology-Public/Headlinesummary>

We do not hold Track and Trace information and you may wish to contact Caerphilly Borough Council for this information:-

<https://www.caerphilly.gov.uk/contact-us/General-enquiries/Information-Unit.aspx>

Although we do receive some information on economic background this is often incomplete and in free text boxes so we are unable to extract the data in a usable format. The Office of National Statistics may hold better data for this category of information and please find attached a link to their website.

Please find a link below:-

<https://www.ons.gov.uk/>

Alternatively, you may wish to direct your enquiry to the Office of National Statistics and I attach a link to their FOI team for your convenience:-

foi.team@ons.gov.uk

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

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