## **Grwp lechyd a Gwasanaethau Cymdeithasol Health and Social Services Group**



Ein cyf/Our ref ATISN 10663

17 August 2016

Dear,

## Request for Information – reference ATISN 10663

Thank you for your email of 15 August asking for the following information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000:

How many contracts were awarded to private companies by the NHS In Wales in 2013-14, 2014-15, 2015-16.

What was the total worth of these contracts for each year.

Figures to include but not limited to eg mobile scanner units; treatment/operations paid for at private facilities; any contract allowing private firms to run/provide medical services for patients on behalf o the NHS.

The Welsh Government does not hold this information. You may wish to approach individual health boards and trusts in Wales for this information. Here is a link to the *Health in Wales* website:

http://www.wales.nhs.uk/ourservices/directory/LocalHealthBoards

If you are dissatisfied with the Welsh Government's handling of your request, you can ask for an internal review within 40 working days of the date of this response. Requests for an internal review should be addressed to the Welsh Government's Freedom of Information Officer at:

Information Rights Unit, Welsh Government, Cathays Park,



Cardiff, CF10 3NQ

or Email: FreedomofInformationOfficer@wales.gsi.gov.uk

Please remember to quote the ATISN reference number above.

You also have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner. However, please note the Commissioner will not normally investigate a complaint until it has been through our own internal review process. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF

The request you sent me contains personal information about you – for example, your name and address. I will only use this personal information in accordance with the Data Protection Act 1998 to deal with your request and any matters which arise as a result of it. I will keep your personal information and all other information relating to your request for three years from the date on which your request is finally closed. Your personal information will then be disposed of securely.

Any information released under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 or Environmental Information Regulations 2004 will be listed in the Welsh Government's Disclosure Log (at <a href="http://wales.gov.uk/about/foi/responses/?lang=en">http://wales.gov.uk/about/foi/responses/?lang=en</a>).

Yours sincerely,