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I refer to your Freedom of Information Act Request acknowledged by ourselves on 25th November 2019. Your request sought information relating to equality and diversity.

Please note that from 1st April 2019 responsibility for providing healthcare services for people in the Bridgend County Borough Council area transferred from Abertawe Bro Morgannwg University Health Board to Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board. In light of this change to ABMU's responsibilities, the organisation's name has changed to Swansea Bay University Health Board.

You requested information for the period 2017-18, 2018-19 and 2019-20.

1. How many staff or external consultants have been employed to provide equality or diversity training for staff?

None – Equality & Diversity training is delivered as an e-learning module as part of the NHS Wales Core Skills Training Framework.

- 2. What is the average cost of sending one member of staff or an equality or diversity awareness training course?
 - Nil training is via an e-learning module.
- 3. How many staff were given equality or diversity awareness training? 82.48% of staff have completed this on-line module (10,776 staff)
- **4.** What was the total cost of equality or diversity training? Nil training is via an e-learning module.



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- 5. How many employees with a job title featuring the words "equality", "inclusivity" or "diversity" has the Health Board employed?
 Two members of staff
- 6. What was the total value of the salary of all employees with job titles featuring the words "equality", "inclusivity" or "diversity"?

 You clarified on the 10th December 2019, that you wanted salary information regardless of whether they carry out training. Therefore the two posts mentioned in Q5 are on salary bands 1 x Band 6 and 1 x Band 7.
- 7. Has the Health Board issued any new job postings or advertisements for permanent staff, interns, agency workers or temporary workers where the list of requirements, preferences or desired attributes make reference to the sex or race of applicants?

 No.

I hope this information is helpful. If you require anything further please contact us at <u>FOIA.Requests@wales.nhs.uk</u>.

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Yours sincerely

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