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Cais Rhyddid Gwybodaeth / Freedom of Information request
Ein Cyf / Our Ref: 22-H-051

You asked:

What was the total amount spent by the Health Board on energy costs (gas, electricity and fuel) for each of the last financial years (2016/17, 2017/18, 2018/19, 2019/20 & 2020/21)?

Our response:

In response to your query, we outline the figures below. However, we thought it might also be helpful to provide this additional information.

In Autumn 2021, Swansea Bay Health Board launched its own full-scale solar farm to aid in the reduction of energy costs for the operation of Morriston Hospital. The 4MW farm will supply almost a quarter of Morriston's power, cutting our electricity bill (by approximately £1,000,000 in the last year based on a kwh rate of 30p) and significantly reducing carbon emissions.

You can find more information on the project here -

<https://sbuhb.nhs.wales/news/swansea-bay-health-news/green-for-go-at-morriston-hospitals-unique-new-solar-farm>

The farm is the first in the UK to be directly wired to an acute hospital, is the latest in a series of environmental improvements across Swansea Bay, with more to follow in the months ahead.

	Electricity £	Gas £
2016/17	6,324,120	2,755,973
2017/18	6,516,130	2,417,941
2018/19	6,620,663	2,105,620
2019/20	5,829,317	2,005,417
2020/21	6,047,825	1,815,566
2021/22	7,330,425	2,307,792

