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Rydym yn croesawu gohebiaeth yn y Gymraeg neu'r Saesneg. Atebir gohebiaeth Gymraeg yn y Gymraeg, ac ni fydd hyn yn arwain at oedi. We welcome correspondence in Welsh or English. Welsh language correspondence will be replied to in Welsh, and this will not lead to a delay.

Cais Rhyddid Gwybodaeth / Freedom of Information request **Ein Cyf / Our Ref: 22-J-003**

You asked:

You have undertaken a review into the provision of trauma medics and location of air ambulance bases in Mid and North Wales. I would like to make a FOI request for

1. The data used to substantiate the review

We have recently responded to an FOIA request regarding this subject. Therefore I can confirm that the information you are seeking is held on our website within our FOIA disclosure log. Under Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act (information accessible by other means), we are not required to provide information in response to a request if the information is already reasonably accessible to you. May I therefore recommend that you look at these links to our website:

<https://sbuhb.nhs.wales/files/freedom-of-information-disclosure-log-2022/august/22-h-052-air-ambulance-relocation>

<https://sbuhb.nhs.wales/files/freedom-of-information-disclosure-log-2022/august/22-h-052-appendix-1-hospitals-attended-by-emrts>

<https://sbuhb.nhs.wales/files/freedom-of-information-disclosure-log-2022/august/22-h-052-easc-focus-2022-final>

2. Reasons for undertaking the review

EMRTS Cymru prides itself in developing evidence based services using routinely collected from missions and undertaking ongoing service analysis – this includes the routine evaluation of the first phase of 24/7 expansion. The most recent set of strategic priorities (21-22 and 22-23) set by the commissioners (the Emergency Ambulance Services Committee) for EMRTS Cymru included the requirement for a collaboratively developed demand and capacity strategy and the use of forecasting, modelling and health economic evaluations. These requirements are



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set within the Emergency Ambulance Services Committee's Commissioning Intentions for EMRTS Cymru. EMRTS Cymru works in partnership with the Wales Air Ambulance Charity to provide services and the Charity has also undertaken a strategic review of its services.

