



Llywodraeth Cymru
Welsh Government

ATISN 16637

30 September 2022

Dear ,

ATISN 16637 – Community Health Council Funding for ‘Have Your Say Wales’

Information requested

Thank you for your request which I received on 7 September. You asked for:

In relation to the Community Health Councils of Wales (CHC) Covid survey ‘Have Your Say Wales’:

- 1. Who is funding the CHC?*
- 2. What is the amount of this funding?*
- 3. Over what time period is the survey running for?*
- 4. Is the survey being undertaken in partnership with the UK Covid Inquiry?*

Our response

The information you requested is enclosed.

1. Who is funding the CHC?

Community Health Councils (CHCs) will be undertaking this work within existing budgets this year. The Board of CHCs oversees the seven local CHCs. It is hosted by Powys Teaching Health Board and baseline funding is allocated annually to the health board by the Welsh Government.

WQ89585 relates to this topic and an answer was published on 20 September ([Written Question - WQ85985 - Welsh Parliament \(assembly.wales\)](#)).

2. What is the amount of this funding?

See Q1. No additional funding is being provided for the survey.

3. Over what time period is the survey running for?

The CHCs are planning and running the survey.

4. Is the survey being undertaken in partnership with the UK Covid Inquiry?

The CHC will provide information to the UK Covid Inquiry. The response to the Written Question provided above notes that the work is separate from the Inquiry's Listening project.

Next steps

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CF10 3NQ

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Yours sincerely,