

Reference:	FOI.19975.26
Subject:	Language services tender
Date of Request:	20 March 2026

Requested:

1. When the organisation last ran a procurement or tender process for language services, including (but not limited to) translation, interpretation, or transcription services.
2. The evaluation weighting used in that tender, specifically the percentage weighting allocated to quality and the percentage weighting allocated to price (e.g., 70% quality / 30% price).
3. The quality and price scores awarded to each bidder in that tender, including:
 - The name of each bidder (unless withheld under Section 43 or other relevant exemption).
 - The quality score for each bidder.
 - The price score for each bidder.
 - The total score for each bidder (if available).

Response:

Hywel Dda University Health Board (UHB) does not hold the requested information as it has not tendered for any language services.

However, whilst operating in accordance with the Section 45 Freedom of Information Code of Practice, the UHB has a duty to provide advice and assistance. The UHB has answered a similar Freedom of Information request, FOI.19616.26 - Interpreting, translation and transcription services, which is available on our disclosure log. The UHB has therefore applied an exemption under Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FoIA) as this information is already in the public domain. A link to the UHB's disclosure log webpage has been provided below.

[Disclosure Log - Hywel Dda University Health Board \(nhs.wales\)](#)