

<b>Reference:</b>	EIR.15297.24
<b>Subject:</b>	Water usage
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**Requested:**

Please can you provide the data for the amount of water used, and the cost, for all of the major hospitals within the Hywel Dda Health Board, within the past TWO years.

**Response:**

Hywel Dda University Health Board (UHB) does not hold the information exactly as requested. Therefore, the UHB provides within the tables below and overleaf, the water and sewage volumes and the associated costs invoiced for by its supplier, Welsh Water, for its four (4) acute hospitals, during the 2022/2023 and 2023/24 financial years.

<b>2022/23</b>			
<b>Hospital</b>	<b>Water (m<sup>3</sup>)</b>	<b>Sewage (m<sup>3</sup>)</b>	<b>Cost (£)</b>
Glangwili General Hospital (GGH)	114,796	99,779	306,063
Withybush General Hospital (WGH)	64,181	52,627	180,917
Prince Philip Hospital (PPH)	43,484	34,619	131,711
Bronglais General Hospital (BGH)	29,262	24,411	95,807

<b>2023/24</b>			
<b>Hospital</b>	<b>Water (m<sup>3</sup>)</b>	<b>Sewage (m<sup>3</sup>)</b>	<b>Cost (£)</b>
GGH	121,351	105,296	362,719
WGH	60,881	49,922	194,223
PPH	42,148	33,874	140,272
BGH	30,439	25,416	108,756

Please note: the figures are inclusive of water and sewage volumes and associated costs utilised by other organisations on the hospital sites, e.g. third-party managed laundry, and renal units, which the UHB sub-meters and retrospectively recovers the costs of supplying.

Additionally, the hospital sites are fed from various supplies of different sizes. Some of the smaller supplies' figures for the 2023/24 financial year have an estimated element, as they are invoiced six-monthly, and we are yet to receive the invoices for March 2024.