

Freedom of Information Request	FOI 23-230	24 th May 2023
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Please can you supply, via email, the following information for the financial years 2022/23 and 2023/24:

1. Who the Health Board contract with to provide ophthalmology services and what contracting mechanism is used?

The Health Board contracted with Practice Plus Group in 2022/23. The Health Board has not contracted any services for the financial year 2023/24 to date.

2. What sub specialities are outsourced via such contracts e.g. cataracts, glaucoma monitoring etc.

For 2022/23 the Health Board outsourced cataract patients only. Currently, no services have been outsourced for the financial year 2023/24.

3. What volumes, in £ per month, are outsourced for ophthalmology services

For 2022/23 370 cataract procedures at a total cost of £383,012, split below by month.

	Apr-22	May-22	Jun-22	Jul-22	Aug-22	Sep-22
Cataract Treatments	90	95	106	18	1	60
Costs	£93,201	£100,046	£110,435	£16,166	£1,518	£61,646

Currently, no services have been outsourced for the financial year 2023/24,

4. Does the Health Board insource any Ophthalmology service provision currently? If yes which companies provide this resource?

No.