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I refer to your Freedom of Information Act Request acknowledged by ourselves on 10<sup>th</sup> September 2021. Your request sought information relating to Orthodontic activity.

**1) Details of the NHS orthodontic providers with whom the Health Board have commissioned activity and the addresses of where the orthodontic activity is provided from (both within the Health Board's catchment area or outside it depending on the commissioned activity). I would like to know the details for NHS orthodontic provision within the General Dental Services (General Dental Practice), Orthodontic Specialist Practice, Community Dental Services, Secondary Care Orthodontic Services.**

The table below lists the 3 dental practices who provide orthodontic care as part of their GDS contract (Dentists with a Special interest), the 2 specialist orthodontic practices, and Morriston Hospital where the secondary care orthodontic service is based. All SBU orthodontic provision is within the SBUHB catchment area.

General Dental Services	Orthodontic Specialist Practice	Secondary Care Orthodontic Services
Cwmdulais Dental Practice, 8 Station Road, Crynant, Neath, SA10 8NW	Neat Teeth, Lambert Rd, SA1 Waterfront, Swansea, SA1 8EL	Morriston Hospital, Heol Maes Eglwys, Cwmrhydyceirw, Swansea SA6 6NL
GCG Dental Practice, 97 Heol Cae Gurwen, Ammanford, SA18 1PB	The Orthodontic Centre, 63 Sketty Rd, Sketty, Swansea, SA2 0EN	



**2) For the Primary Dental Care Commissioned activity, I would like to know the amount of Orthodontic activity commissioned. As such, I would be grateful if you could provide the number of recurrent UOAs which are allocated to each contract. If there has been any non-recurrent orthodontic activity commissioned within the last three years with any of the providers, I would be grateful if you could also provide details of that as well.**

The tables below list the amount of Orthodontic activity commissioned by UOAs (there are multiple contracts held at sites) – there has been no non-recurrent orthodontic activity commissioned in the last 3 years:

Specialist Ortho Contracts	Total UOAs
Contract 1	10,822
Contract 2	3,000
Contract 3	2,500
Contract 4	2,500
Contract 5	5,000
Contract 6	9,014
<b>Total</b>	<b>32,836</b>

GDS with special interest	Total UOAs
Contract 1	3,062
Contract 2	1,351
Contract 3	694
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,107</b>

I hope this information is helpful. If you require anything further please contact us at [FOIA.Requests@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:FOIA.Requests@wales.nhs.uk).

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Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "P. a. wenger". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Pam Wenger  
**Director of Corporate Governance**

