

**We were asked:**

Q1. What communication support do the department, and the agencies and public bodies supported by the department, provide for deaf and hard of hearing people to access their services?

Q2 Do the department, and the agencies and public bodies supported by the department, provide NRCPD registered communication professionals for deaf people to access their services?

Q3. How many people have requested the use of a sign language interpreter to access services offered by the department, and the agencies and public bodies supported by the department, in the past year?

**We replied:**

A1. The Wales Office is not a public facing Department, and has no agencies or public bodies. As a small department, the Wales Office has access to Ministry of Justice resources to provide communication services for deaf and hard of hearing people.

A2. Please see above

A3. The Wales Office has received no requests for these services in the past year.