



Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board (CTMUHB)

CTMUHB partnership with local social enterprise to repurpose cardboard waste

- **Partnership initiative reduces health board's carbon footprint by 502.02kgCOe annually**

Since 2023, CTMUHB has partnered with Circular Economy Innovation Communities (CEIC) and Elite Animal Bedding, a local social enterprise to manage the health board's cardboard waste.

The health board produces over 3,000 tonnes of waste annually and non-confidential cardboard and paper contributes to a high percentage of this waste figure.

The repurposed cardboard waste supports the manufacture of animal bedding which is used by South Wales Police horses and dogs. Social enterprise Elite Animal Bedding enables the creation of local jobs and training opportunities for people. The programme is a clear demonstration of CTMUHB's commitment to the Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2016 and its wider role as an organisation leading the green agenda.