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Dear Andrew,

Thank you for your recent Written Question asking how the Welsh Government is contributing to and supporting the UK Recovery, Resilience and Growth Programme's clinical research workforce plan.

Officials from Health and Care Research Wales are part of the UK Recovery, Resilience and Growth Programme's Sustainable Workforce group which supports the clinical research workforce plan.

Additionally, Health and Care Research Wales developed the '*NHS Research and Development Framework*' published in July 2023, which aligns with the UK Research, Resilience and Growth Programme. NHS workforce is a key pillar in the framework and highlights that Research and Development should be part of an organisation's Workforce & Organisational Development strategy in order to facilitate research and attract talented staff.

Yours sincerely,

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