

Case Study

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What did you hope to learn from your placement at Public Health Wales?

Before coming to Public Health Wales I wanted to learn more about finance in the public sector and what was done from day-to-day by the finance team within the organisation. I wanted to experience working in a public sector organisation and see first-hand the techniques the finance team used in their work.

What did you find most interesting?

Being able to attend several meetings, especially the day 5 meeting on the financial position of the organisation. Also, being able to experience the software the organisation use such as Oracle and Qlik View.

Has your placement influenced your choice of career in any way?

Before coming to Public Health Wales I never thought of working in a public sector organisation of any kind, but the two week placement has definitely changed my mind, and working in the public sector could be a possible career path.

Any other comments?

Thank you to everyone that gave their time by giving me work, explaining and giving my feedback on my workover the two weeks. I would highly recommend this work placement opportunity to anyone interested in the finance field or the public sector.