



Our ref: IG/FOI/23.R.233

14 July 2023

Sent via email to: [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED]

**Request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000**

I write further to your request for information which was received on 11 July 2023, to confirm, in accordance with S.1(1)(a) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, that Powys Teaching Health Board (PTHB) does hold the information that you require.

For ease of reference your request is set out below and our response follows:

Your Freedom of Information (FOI) Request:

I am seeking information on the following points about elective surgeries.

- 1. The number of elective operations scheduled. I would like this information for 2021-22, 2022-23, and the first six months of 2023.
  - 1a. Please provide a breakdown by service or speciality.
- 2. The number of elective operations performed. I would like this information for 2021-22, 2022-23, and the first six months of 2023.
  - 2a. Please provide a breakdown by service or speciality.

Powys Response:

- 1. Please see the table below for the number of elective surgeries scheduled:

	FY 2021-2022	FY 2022-2023	April – June 2023
Diagnostics	12	13	3
ENT	25	17	10
General Medicine	1404	1478	339
General Surgery	190	201	39
Geriatric Medicine		1	

Gynaecology	35	51	8
Ophthalmology	962	1174	281
Oral Surgery	214	242	25
Orthopaedics	329	378	75
Podiatry	62	58	16
Urology	31	39	9
Grand Total	3264	3652	805

2. Please see the table below for the number of elective surgeries performed:

	FY 2021-2022	FY 2022-2023	April – June 2023
Diagnostics	6	10	3
ENT	12	6	4
General Medicine	1045	1155	250
General Surgery	103	120	19
Geriatric Medicine		1	
Gynaecology	19	27	5
Ophthalmology	719	790	177
Oral Surgery	109	151	13
Orthopaedics	201	172	48
Podiatry	38	34	7
Urology	17	19	5
Grand Total	2269	2485	531

Please note: All Data from WPAS for all procedures scheduled within PTHB.

Should you need any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me at the address below.

If you are dissatisfied, with the way your request has been dealt with by PTHB, you have the right to request a review in which case you should write to:

Chief Executive  
Powys Teaching Health Board Headquarters  
Glasbury House  
Bronllys Hospital  
Bronllys  
Brecon  
Powys LD3 0LY

If you are still dissatisfied at the end of the review, you may complain to the Information Commissioner, who can be contacted at the following address:

Information Commissioner's Office - Wales  
2<sup>nd</sup> Floor,  
Churchill House,  
Churchill Way,  
Cardiff, CF10 2HH  
Tel: 029 2067 8400 Fax 029 2067 8399  
[www.ico.org.uk](http://www.ico.org.uk) [twitter.com/iconews](https://twitter.com/iconews)

Rydym yn croesawu derbyn gohebiaeth yng Nghymraeg. Byddwn yn ateb y fath ohebiaeth yng Nghymraeg ac ni fydd hyn yn arwain at oedi. We welcome receiving correspondence in Welsh. We will reply to such correspondence in Welsh and this will not lead to a delay.

Yours sincerely



**Pete Hoppood**  
**Director of Finance, Information & IT Services**  
**Deputy Chief Executive**