



Bwrdd Iechyd
Addysgu Powys
Powys Teaching
Health Board

Information Governance Team
Hafren Ward
Bronllys Hospital
Bronllys
Brecon
Powys LD3 0LY
Email: Powys.FOI@wales.nhs.uk
Tel: 01686 252159/01874 442071

Our ref: IG/FOI/24.R.203

27 June 2024

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 10 May 2024, to confirm, in accordance with S.1(1)(a) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, that Powys Teaching Health Board (PTHB) partly holds the information that you require. For ease of reference your request is set out below and my response follows.

Your Freedom of Information (FOI) Request:

Under the Freedom of Information Act, we would like to request information as detailed below from your Trust. We would appreciate all the information you can provide in answer to our questions. If you cannot complete any of the questions, please continue where possible with the remaining questions. Please provide the information in the prepared answer template attached.

If your trust does not provide Hysteroscopies, please reply to this email stating this. Thank you.

Number of hysteroscopies

1. Please provide the total number of hysteroscopies performed at your Trust annually between 2013 and 2023 (inclusive). If annual breakdowns are not available, please provide the reporting period and numbers.

- a. Of those hysteroscopies, what is the total number per year (2013-2023 inclusive) conducted in an "outpatient setting" (not requiring overnight stay)?
- b. Of all hysteroscopies performed, how many were performed each year (2013-2023 inclusive) without General Anaesthetic?
- c. Of those performed without General Anaesthetic what is the number of hysteroscopies per year (2013-2023 inclusive) attempted that failed (the

Pencadlys
Tŷ Glasbury, Ysbyty Bronllys,
Aberhonddu, Powys LD3 0LU
Ffôn: 01874 711661



Headquarters
Glasbury House, Bronllys Hospital
Brecon, Powys LD3 0LU
Tel: 01874 711661

Rydym yn croesawu gohebiaeth Gymraeg
Bwrdd Iechyd Addysgu Powys yw enw gweithred Bwrdd Iechyd Lleol
Addysgu Powys



We welcome correspondence in Welsh
Powys Teaching Health Board is the operational name of
Powys Teaching Local Health Board

procedure was attempted but not completed, rather than a 'did not attend/missed appointment')

- d. What is the total number of 'did not attend/missed appointments' for all hysteroscopies per year (2013-2023 inclusive)?

Hysteroscopy information delivery

1. Do you routinely provide patient information about hysteroscopy in advance of the procedure? Y/N

2. For the following, please feel free to select multiple options if applicable:

- a. How is this information provided to the patient (via post, via email, in the waiting room, etc.)?
- b. When is this information provided (i.e. at the hysteroscopy appointment, sent with their appointment letter, etc)?
- c. What format does the information come in (verbal, written, video, etc.,)?
- d. Please provide us with a copy of the standard patient information leaflet or give a link to your Hysteroscopy information.

Powys Response:

Q1a-d (Number of hysteroscopies), Q1 & Q2a-c (Hysteroscopy information delivery). Please see FOI 24.R.203 Attachment 1 in response to your request for information on hysteroscopies.

Q2d Please see FOI 24.R.203 Attachment 2 - Hysteroscopy information leaflet.

Under the terms of the Health Board's Freedom of Information procedure, individuals seeking access to recorded information held by the Health Board are entitled to request an internal review of the handling of their requests. If you would like to complain about the Health Board's handling of your request, please contact us directly at the address below or register your complaint via powysfoi.foi@wales.nhs.uk

If after Internal Review you remain dissatisfied you are also entitled to refer the matter to the information commissioner at the Information Commissioner's Office (Wales), 2nd Floor, Churchill House, Churchill Way, Cardiff, CF10 2HH. Telephone Number: 0330 414 6421.

Yours sincerely



Joy Garfitt
Executive Director of Operations/ Director of Community & Mental Health

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.