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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 20 May 2024 and clarification received on 23 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:

Please respond to the following requests in line with the 2000 Freedom of Information Act: Based on data from the last financial year:

1. Please state what percentage of your total discharges from the Acute Medical Unit are discharged home/to usual place of residence without support.
2. For those patients, what was the average length of stay in the Acute Medical Unit?
3. Please state what percentage of all admitted patients from A&E waited more than 12 hours from decision to admit to actual admission (12hr+ trolley waits).
4. Please state what percentage of cancelled elective operations for non-clinical reasons were due to:
 - a. Unavailable ward beds
 - b. Unavailable surgeon
 - c. Unavailable anaesthetist
 - d. Unavailable theatre staff

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Powys Teaching Local Health Board

Clarification Requested:

Please can you confirm the data range you are requesting.

Clarification Received:

I have asked for the data to cover the last financial year so presume this is April 2023 - April 2024.

Powys Response:

Q1. I can confirm Powys Teaching Health Board (PTHB) does not have an acute medical unit. Patients requiring acute secondary care would be admitted to a district general hospital outside of Powys.

Q2. Not Applicable.

Q3. PTHB does not have Accident and Emergency departments, only Minor Injury Units (MIU). Patients access A&E services from district general hospitals located outside of Powys.

Q4. Please note we are unable to distinguish between staff types as requested, therefore we have provided data on cancellations due to Unavailable Clinical Staff.

Unavailable ward beds 0%

Unavailable clinical staff 45.5%

Other reasons 54.5%

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



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We welcome receiving correspondence in Welsh. We will reply to such correspondence in Welsh and this will not lead to a delay.