

Our ref: IG/FOI/FOI.052.24

17 October 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 October 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:

I am writing to submit a Freedom of Information request information regarding accidental injury data from A&E departments on Christmas Day 2023 in Wales. Specifically, I would like to request:

1. Total A+E Admissions on 25/12/23 for your region.
2. Total Accidental Injury Cases Reported in A&E on 25/12/23 for your region.
3. The Reported Mechanism of Injury for reported Accidental Injuries on 25/12/23 for your region.

### Powys Response:

I can confirm that Powys Teaching Health Board (PTHB) does not have Accident and Emergency (A&E) departments, only Minor Injury Units (MIU).

Q1. Please see the table below for total MIU admissions for 25 December 2023.

MIU Location	Number of patients
Welshpool	7
Llandrindod Wells	2
Brecon	7

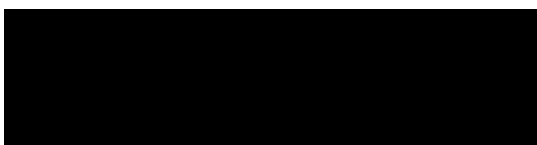
Q2 & Q3. I can confirm there was 16 accidental injury cases reported to MIU's on 25 December 2024. Please see the table below for the total Accidental Injury Cases Reported broken down by the reported mechanism.

Injury Cases Reported	Number of patients
Medical	1
Infect/ Inflamm system	2
Thermal Burn	1
Asthma	1
Emergency Contraception	1
Post-Op Wound	2
Bite	1
Laceration	7

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](mailto: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.