

Our ref: IG/FOI/FOI.398.25

7 August 2025

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 July 2025, to confirm, in accordance with S.1(1)(a) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, that Powys Teaching Health Board (PTHB) does not hold 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:

Regarding the research stated in the Standards of Care Version 7 published by WPATH (the World Professional Association for Transgender Health) - in which it states 6% - 23% of Children who have Gender Dysphoria, does it persist until Adulthood. Therefore I am asking as per the Freedom of Information Act (2000):

Q1. How many children under the age of 16 who have been referred for Gender Dysphoria, have then been prescribed with Puberty blockers, and then Cross Sex hormones.

Powys Response:

I can confirm Powys Teaching Health Board (PTHB) does not collect this level of data and as such we are unable to respond to your request.

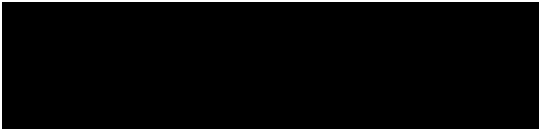
Should you wish to know, prescribing data at a GP practice level is publicly available on the NWSSP website: [General Practice Prescribing Data Extract - NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership](#)

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 Powys.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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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.