

Our ref: IG/FOI/FOI.137.26

27 April 2026

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 30 March 2026, 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 the Health Board's response follows.

Your Freedom of Information (FOI) Request:

I am writing to request information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 relating to the commissioning and delivery of Lung Health Check / Lung Cancer Screening programmes within your organisation's area of responsibility.

Please provide responses to the questions below. If any part of the information is not held by your organisation, I would be grateful if you could confirm this and, where possible, indicate which organisation may hold the relevant information.

Programme Existence and Delivery

Q1. Do you currently operate a Lung Health Check/ Lung Cancer Screening programme?

Q2. Is the programme delivered:

- Directly by the NHS, or
- By a third-party / private sector provider? If so, who?

Scanning and Equipment

Q3. If the programme is delivered directly by the NHS, has CT scanning equipment been purchased to support delivery of the programme?

Q4. How is CT scanning capacity delivered as part of the programme:

- In-house,
- Via mobile units, or
- Via a third-party provider?

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Contractual Information

Q5. What is the contract start date for the Lung Health Check/ Lung Cancer Screening programme?

Q6. What is the contract end date (or expected end date, if applicable)?

Q6. Who is the responsible officer or programme director for the programme?

Funding

Q8. What is the total funding allocated to Lung Health Checks / Lung Cancer Screening in your area for the current financial year?

Q9. What is the source of this funding (for example: NHS England, Integrated Care Board, Cancer Alliance, or other)?

Commissioning Responsibility

Q10. Which organisation is the commissioning body for the programme?

- NHS England
- Integrated Care Board (ICB)
- Cancer Alliance
- Other (please specify)

Programme Footprint and Delivery Model

Q11. At what level is the programme commissioned and delivered:

- ICB level,
- Trust level,
- Place / locality level, or
- A combination of the above?

Future Plans

Q12. Are there any current plans to expand the programme footprint or change the delivery model within the next 12–24 months?

Integrated Screening

Q13. In light of any recent or planned ICB mergers or footprint changes, are there plans to develop an integrated screening programme (for example, combining lung screening with other screening pathways)?

Powys Response:

Q1 - Q13. I can confirm that Powys Teaching Health Board (PTHB) does not currently provide lung cancer screening as it is not yet implemented within Wales, we are working with Public Health Wales and NHS Performance and Improvement to support the implementation of the national screening programme in due course.

With regards to lung health checks, I can confirm that PTHB does not provide this service. Due to the rural and sparsely populated nature of Powys, we do not have District General Hospital (DGH) services within the county. Our residents access acute and specialist services from neighbouring District General Hospitals. I therefore recommend you contact them directly for this information. The table below lists the main health boards and NHS Trust from which we

commission health services for Powys residents. Please note that all providers may not necessarily offer services that fall within the definition in your request.

Health Trust/Organisation	FOI Contact Details
Gloucestershire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	ghn-tr.foi@nhs.net
Midlands Partnership University NHS Foundation Trust	FOI@mpft.nhs.uk
The Robert Jones Agnes Hunt Orthopaedic Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	rjah.foi@nhs.net
Sandwell and West Birmingham NHS Trust	swb-tr.SWBH-GM-FOIRequests@nhs.net
The Shrewsbury and Telford Hospital NHS Trust	sath.foi@nhs.net
The Royal Wolverhampton NHS Trust	rwh-tr.foi@nhs.net
Worcestershire Acute Hospitals NHS Trust	wah-tr.FOI@nhs.net
Wye Valley NHS Trust	Freedom.Information@wvt.nhs.uk

Health Board/Organisation	FOI Contact Details
Aneurin Bevan University Health Board	FOI.ABB@wales.nhs.uk
Betsi Cadwaladr University Health Board	bcu.foi@wales.nhs.uk
Cardiff & Vale University Health Board	FOI.Requests@wales.nhs.uk
Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board	CTM.FreedomOfInformation@wales.nhs.uk
Hywel Dda University Health Board	FOI.hyweldda@wales.nhs.uk
Swansea Bay University Health Board	FOIA.Requests@wales.nhs.uk
Velindre University NHS Trust	Foi.vunhst@wales.nhs.uk

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Address: Information Commissioner's Office (Wales), 2nd Floor, Churchill House, Churchill Way, Cardiff, CF10 2HH.

Telephone: 0330 414 6421

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Web site: <https://ico.org.uk/>

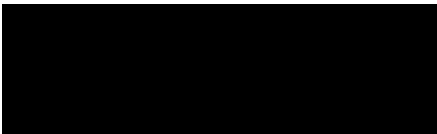
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Yours sincerely



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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.