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Aneurin Bevan
University Health Board

Our Ref: JP/lab/FOI 20-404 Direct Line: 01633 435956 20th November 2020
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Dear Ms Jones

Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act, received on 14th November 2020, reference number **FOI 20-404**.

Please can you tell me how much Diamorphine and Midazolam was prescribed and given on 27th Sept 2017 on D4w which was being used as C6E.

Was the controlled drugs book completed or not?

I note that we responded to the same request from yourself on 9th March 2020 ref **FOI 20-093** and whilst we are not obliged to provide the information again for clarity it is included here.

The Health Board's policy reflects the recommendations from the National Institute for Health and Care Excellence (NICE), and the respective regulations that registers only have to be retained for 2 years from the date of the last entry:

1.2.2 Controlled drugs registers must be kept for 2 years from the date of the last entry, in line with Regulation 23 of the 2001 Regulations.

However, in order to comply with our obligation under Section 16 to advise and assist, please see detailed below the link to the Regulation where you will find further information.

<https://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2001/3998/contents/made>

If you are not satisfied with the way your request has been handled, you have the right to request a review. This would be looked into in accordance with the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) guidelines, which state that a request for review should be received within two months of you receiving the Health Board's response to your request for information.

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In the meantime, if you have any other queries please do not hesitate to contact Richard Howells on the contact details provided above.

Yours sincerely



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