

Your Ref/Eich cyf:

Our Ref/Ein cyf: CTMUHB_329_22 Date/Dyddiad: 30 September 2022

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB_329_22

Thank you for your request for information received on the 1 September 2022, regarding secondary waiting lists. Please find the response from Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board set out below:

You asked:

I write about an FOI on secondary waiting lists and ask for the following information:

- 1. The number of patients waiting for a follow up appointment in July 2022 that were not captured in the official Referral to Treatment monthly statistics?
- 2. The number of patients waiting for a follow up appointment in July 2021 that were not captured in the official Referral to Treatment monthly statistics?
- 3. The number of patients waiting for a follow up appointment in March 2020 that were not captured in the official Referral to Treatment monthly statistics?

Our response:

This data is based on non-reported activity and is unvalidated. Therefore, we estimate there will be an increase on the actual numbers reported.

Please see information provided in the table below.

Census Date	Number of Patients
31/03/2020	23668
31/07/2021	24980
31/07/2022	28492

Croeso i chi gyfathrebu â'r bwrdd iechyd yn y Gymraeg neu'r Saesneg. Byddwn yn ymateb yn yr un iaith a ni fydd hyn yn arwain at oedi.

You are welcome to correspond with the health board in Welsh or English. We will respond accordingly and this will not delay the response.

Cyfeiriad Dychwelyd / Return Address:

Bwrdd Iechyd Prifysgol Cwm Taf Morgannwg, Pencadlys, Parc Navigation, Abercynon, CF45 4SN Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board, Headquarters, Navigation Park, Abercynon, CF45 4SN

Cadeirydd/Chair: Mr Emrys Elias Prif Weithredydd/ Chief Executive: Mr Paul Mears

We trust that this provides the information that you require. Under the terms of the Health Board's Freedom of Information policy, 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 me directly at the address below. If after Internal Review you remain dissatisfied you are also entitled to refer the matter to the Information Commissioner at the following address:

- Information Commissioner's Office Wales
 2nd Floor, Churchill House, Churchill Way, Cardiff, CF10 2HH
- Telephone: 0330 414 6421 / Email: wales@ico.qsi.qov.uk
- https://ico.org.uk/

You should note, however, that the Information Commissioner would normally expect you to have exhausted our internal complaints procedures before dealing with such an application. Further guidance may be found on the Information Commissioner's website <u>click here</u>.

Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board routinely publishes details of all Freedom of Information Act requests received in its disclosure log. The Disclosure Log can be found at http://cwmtafmorgannwg.wales/foi/disclosure-log/

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any queries.

Yours sincerely

The Freedom of Information Team /Y Tîm Rhyddid Gwybodaeth