

Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTHB_147_19

You asked:

I am writing to ask about intravenous anaesthetic agent - Propofol - used across your Board. In particular, I would like to know the total volume of propofol used/issued PER YEAR between 2006 and 2018 by intensive care unit (ICU) and operating theatre (OT) as shown below:

- Total (annual) volume of propofol used/issued in ICU units PER YEAR for 2006-2018 (in millilitres or litres).

- Total (annual) volume of propofol used/issued in OT units PER YEAR for 2006-2018 (in millilitres or litres).

If it is easier to provide another unit of measure (for example, vial), please provide **details of the products** (incl. pack size and mL per vial) so that I can calculate the volume in millilitres/litres.

Our response:

Please note that Cwm Taf Health Board was formed in 2009, therefore, due to disparate systems used within predecessor organisations, we are only able to provide information from this date onwards.

Please see information provided in the table below:

Propofol 10mg/ml (ml's issued)		
Year	ITU	OT
2009	258500	340850
2010	321600	347050
2011	321600	362100
2012	309900	380700
2013	419200	344950
2014	393500	370750
2015	508700	355300
2016	628400	348300
2017	499050	440600
2018	522400	468250