

Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTHB_26_20

You asked:

1. Please could you kindly advise which departments and healthcare professionals within your health board use elastomeric infusion devices?

The Outpatient Parenteral Treatment (OPAT) service and Velindre Oncology Outreach Service use elastomeric Infusion Devices.

2. Please could you also advise if you purchase elastomeric devices and if so:

- **What brand(s) do you purchase?**
Accufuser (Vigon).
- **What quantities do you purchase on an annual basis?**
Two.
- **Who are the main clinicians responsible within your health board for the prescribing and administration of elastomeric devices?**
Dr James Bolt – Consultant in Medicine.
- **What medicines do you fill the devices with?**
Flucloxacillin and piperacillin/tazobactam.
- **Do you fill elastomeric devices in your pharmacy aseptic unit if you have one?**
No.

3. Please could you also advise if you purchase pre-filled elastomeric devices from a commercial compounder and if so:

- **What drugs are provided pre-filled?**
5-Fluorouracil.
- **What quantities do you purchase on an annual basis?**
We have issued 56 pumps in the last 12 months.