Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB_369_23

You asked:

I would like to find out how many people in the Cwm Taf Morgannwg are currently in hospital with covid 19?

Of these, I would like to know how many are vaccinated and how many are unvaccinated?

Our response:

As at 29.08.2023 there were:

13 patients positive with Covid 19 – regardless of *acquired status whom were vaccinated.

Less than 5 patients positive with Covid 19 – regardless of *acquired status whom were not vaccinated.

*Acquired status means, that the infection could have been acquired in the community / hospital (at any stage).

Where the figures are less than 5, the exact figures have been withheld due to the low numbers involved.

Where numbers are low we have considered that there is the potential for the individuals to be identified from the information provided, when considered with other information that may also be in the public domain. Also, responses under the Freedom of Information Act are made available to the public at large. The data is classed as personal data as defined under the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and Data Protection Act 2018 and its disclosure would be contrary to the data protection principles and constitute as unfair and unlawful processing in regard to Articles 5, 6, and 9 of GDPR. We are therefore withholding this detail under Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. This exemption is absolute and therefore there is no requirement to apply the public interest test.