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Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB_581_24

You asked:

Could I request the following info please for all of the years (or the years that data is available): 2022, 2023, 2024

- 1. Number of inmates from HMP Parc Prison, including Young Offenders Institute in Bridgend, admitted to hospital or a health facility (managed by Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board) due to a drug overdose or a suspected drug overdose.**

Less than 5.

Please note - the exact figures have been withheld due to the low numbers involved. This is due to the potential risk of identification if we released the number of patients for the specific year who have been admitted with this condition, which might then be linked with other information available in the public domain. Also, responses under the Freedom of Information Act are made available to the public at large. Therefore, 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.

- 2. Number of inmates transferred to a CTM hospital or health facility as a consequence of drug overdose.**

Please see response to questions 1 and 3.

- 3. Number of inmates treated by CTM for drug overdose without being admitted to hospital.**

Please see provided below the number of A&E attendances (not admitted to hospital):

2022 = 27

2023 = 16

2024 = 15 – (incomplete year up Oct 2024)

Please note:

- The data has been extracted using free text on presenting complaint.
- It does not include those who may have been treated by healthcare in HMP Parc Prison.

- It does not include those that may have attended an outpatient appointment, as these are not clinically coded.