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Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB_196_25

You asked:

- 1. Please can you confirm the emergency departments (ED) within your trust - both their name and address.**

Under section 21 of the Act, Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board is not required to provide information in response to a request if it is already reasonably accessible to you.

Please see the information you require, provided in the link below:

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- 2. In each of your EDs are your registered nurses (RN) allowed to give intravenous (IV) morphine.**

Yes.

- 3. In each of your EDs are your registered nurses allowed to give intravenous (IV) diamorphine.**

Yes.

- 4. In each of your EDs are your registered nurses allowed to give intravenous (IV) fentanyl.**

Yes.

- 5. If RNs are allowed to give either IV Morphine, IV Diamorphine or IV Fentanyl - did they undertake a specific drug training package?**

No, there is no additional training package for specific drugs. There is a general training programme for IV administration which all RNs undertake prior to administration of IV drugs.

- 6. If so which drug, was it for? Would you be able to share this training package?**

Not applicable

- 7. If they are not allowed to give IV Morphine, IV Diamorphine or IV Fentanyl who is allowed to give each of the drugs?**

RNs are allowed but can also be administered by clinicians.

- 8. For each of the drugs are there any specific areas where the drugs can only be given with in the ED?**

Usual practice would be to administer IV drugs to patients in a monitored trolley space. If a trolley space could not be accommodated, a portable monitor would be taken to the patient and the patient would be monitored and observed by a registered nurse.