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## Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB\_119\_25

### You asked:

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, I would like to request the following details regarding the ambulatory ECG monitoring service across the hospitals within your Health Board:

#### **1. The number of ambulatory ECG monitors fitted at each hospital within the Health Board in 2024.**

Princess of Wales Hospital - 2420  
Prince Charles Hospital - 1324  
Royal Glamorgan Hospital - 751  
Ysbyty Cwm Rhondda - 231

#### **2. The manufacturer(s) of ambulatory ECG monitors used at each hospital.**

POW – Spacelabs  
PCH – Spacelabs  
RGH – Spacelabs  
YCR – Spacelabs

#### **3. The current waiting times for patients to have an ambulatory ECG monitor fitted at each hospital.**

POW - 3 weeks for 24 hr tapes and 3 weeks for 48hr tapes  
PCH – 8 weeks  
RGH – 6 weeks  
YCR – 3 weeks

#### **4. The number of patients currently on the waiting list for ambulatory ECG monitoring at each hospital.**

POW – 50  
PCH – 166  
RGH – 58  
YCR - 19

#### **5. The number of ambulatory ECG recordings awaiting analysis at each hospital.**

POW - 0  
PCH – 0  
RGH – 0  
YCR - 0

**6. The current wait time for an ECG recording to be analysed once the patient has returned the monitor at each hospital.**

POW - All are analysed on day of return.

PCH, RGH, YCR -

The current wait time for an ECG recording to be analysed once the patient has returned the monitor at each hospital within 24 hours.

**7. The target timeframe within which each hospital aims to analyse routine ECG recordings after the monitor is returned.**

POW – 1 Day or within 24hrs

PCH, RGH, YCR

The target timeframe within which each hospital aims to analyse routine ECG recordings after the monitor is returned, maximum 48 hours.