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Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB_06_25

Thank you for your request for information received on the 6 January 2026, regarding Implantable Ports. Please find the response from Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board set out below:

You asked:

We would like to understand the volume of implanted ports (as defined below) used within NHS organisations throughout the UK and would be most grateful if you could kindly provide the below information:

Implanted Port: An implanted port is a totally implantable vascular access device made of two components: a reservoir with a self-sealing septum, which is attached to a silicone catheter. The port is usually placed subcutaneously on either the chest or the arm

Information requested in respect of Implantable Ports

1. Has your organisation purchased implantable ports in the last 3 years? Please mark the appropriate with an 'x'.

Yes	
No	X

2. If yes, to question 1, please can you kindly provide a purchasing export report detailing the following relevant to implantable ports for the time periods stated and name the files according to the financial year, including all supply routes.

- Manufacturer
- Brand
- Product Code
- Description
- Volume (in pieces)
- Supply route for example, Direct, NHS Supply Chain etc Time Periods
- 1 st April 2022 – 31st March 2023
- 1 st April 2023 – 31st March 2024
- 1 st April 2024 – 31st March 2025

N/A.

3. If yes, to question 1, please mark with an 'x' which clinicians/clinical areas implant ports: (please select all that are relevant)

Surgeons	
Anaesthetists	
Interventional Radiology	
Vascular Access Nurses	
Other (Please State)	

Other:

N/A.