

**Freedom of Information Act 2000 - Request Reference FoI/20/465**

**DNA and WNB Policy**

**Request details**

**Can you please provide the following for your Health Board:**

**1. Did not attend (DNA) policy**

Cardiff and Vale University Health Board does not have a specific DNA policy but uses Welsh Government guidance as the source of waiting time management rules. Attached, therefore, is the latest Welsh Government 'Rules for managing referral to treatment waiting times version 7 October 2017' – please see page 20 for specific guidance on DNAs. Rules for managing DNAs for patients on a suspected cancer pathway are different – and are due to change. The Health Board is currently awaiting updated written guidance on managing DNAs for patients on a cancer pathway.

**2. Was not brought (WNB) policy (if available as a separate policy for children and young people), please advise if there is not a separate policy**

There is no policy in place.