

## Freedom of Information Act 2000 - Request Reference Fol/21/265

### Patients with Crohn's Disease

#### **Request Details**

Can you provide information on the total number of patients with Crohn's disease or ulcerative colitis treated in hospitals in your Health Board between 1 January 2015 and 31 December 2019 who were:

1. White British
2. South Asian (Pakistani, Indian, Bangla Deshi, Sri Lankan background)
3. Afro-Caribbean

For each of these three groups how many received treatment either as in-patients or outpatients with: Biologics (infliximab, adalumimab, golumimab, vedoluzimab)

#### **Response Details**

Cardiff and Vale University Health Board (the UHB) does not hold this information. Specifically, the UHB does not hold a record of ethnicity for all patients. However, under its Section 16 obligation, the duty to provide advice and assistance, the UHB would like to inform you that it does compile information in the form of coded clinical data upon discharge from hospital.

The number of distinct patients coded with Crohn's Disease or Ulcerative Colitis in a Cardiff and Vale Hospital between 1 January 2015 and 31 December 2019 is **3,723**.

Please note this does not represent the total number of patients who were treated with Crohn's for this time period but is instead limited to inpatient and daycase activity (i.e. excluding all outpatient activity).