

Freedom of Information Act 2000 - Request Reference FoI/22/612
GP Shared Protocols

Information Requested:

Please can you provide me with any written communications since January 2020 between the health board and GP practices (including e.g. via clusters) about a) NHS GPs having shared care protocols with private providers or b) requests from private providers for NHSGPs to take blood tests.

This might include queries from individual GP practices, it might include announcements from or - passed on by - the health board of policies regarding such protocols etc.

Response details:

Cardiff and Vale University Health Board (the UHB) does not hold this information. Under Section 16 of the FOIA, which provides us with the duty to advise and assist, the UHB can inform you that as GP practices are independent contractors we do not hold information on any shared care protocols they may have established with private providers.