

<u>Freedom of Information Act 2000 - Request Reference Fol/22/065</u> Epilepsy Service Information

Information Requested:

What arrangements and services do Cardiff and Vale University Health Board has in place for transition from Paediatrics to adult services for people with epilepsy.

Response details:

Cardiff and Vale University Health Board has several avenues for transition from paediatrics to adult services for people with epilepsy.

- 1) The paediatric and adult services work closely together at consultant and specialist nursing levels, with close formal communication and referrals from paediatrics to adults at transition, and typically an overlap in clinic appointment for 6 12 months for complex cases.
- 2) A joint monthly teenager epilepsy meeting, with both paediatric and adult epilepsy consultants.
- 3) Close working adult epilepsy specialists with the Learning Disability Team (these services provided by Swansea Bay Health Board for Cardiff and Vale).