

Freedom of Information Act 2000 - Request Reference FoI/23/321

Labour policy guidelines

Information Requested:

Please could you provide the following management guidelines Cardiff and Vale University Health Board (the UHB) had in place between 2020-2021?

1. Care of women with pre-existing conditions (specifically pancreatitis)
2. Management of proteinuria in labour
3. Provision of Syntocinon in labour
4. Midwifery led care - all Wales maternity and neonatal guidelines

Information Response:

1. Cardiff and Vale University Health Board (the UHB) does not hold a policy document specifically for the care of women with pancreatitis as it does not exist. The only document that exists is a generalised policy for care of women with pre-existing conditions, please see the following link: **[Intrapartum care for women with existing medical conditions or obstetric complications and their babies \(nice.org.uk\)](https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/TA254)**
2. The UHB does not hold a policy document specifically for management of proteinuria in labour, it is included in the following document: **[wisdom.nhs.wales/health-board-guidelines/c-vmantenatalcarefile/hypertensive-disorders-in-pregnancy-and-home-bp-monitoring-002-pdf/](https://www.wisdom.nhs.wales/health-board-guidelines/c-vmantenatalcarefile/hypertensive-disorders-in-pregnancy-and-home-bp-monitoring-002-pdf/)**
3. The UHB does not hold a policy document specifically for the provision of Syntocinon in labour, it is included in the following document: **[wisdom.nhs.wales/health-board-guidelines/c-vmanaestheticfile/obstetric-anaesthesiacvma-guidelines-aug-2022pdf/](https://www.wisdom.nhs.wales/health-board-guidelines/c-vmanaestheticfile/obstetric-anaesthesiacvma-guidelines-aug-2022pdf/)**
4. **[All Wales Midwifery-Led Care Guidelines \(nhs.wales\)](https://www.nhs.uk/publications/all-wales-midwifery-led-care-guidelines/)**