

Freedom of Information Act 2000 - Request Reference FoI/23/523
Electronic Patient Record Systems

Information Requested:

1. What Electronic Patients Records System do you use and when was it implemented?

Cardiff and Vale University Health Board (the UHB) does not have an Electronic Patients Records (EPR) system at present.

- 2. Does the Health Board scan paper records? If yes, do you**
- scan day forward and legacy records? or
 - just day forward records?

Yes, and the UHB does both.

- 3. Is above handled**
- In house by your own scanning team?
 - Outsourced to an off site external service provider?
 - On site by an external provider?
 - Combination of above?

Only by an in-house scanning team.

- 4. If any of the above outsourced, please name provider(s) and details of when the contract(s) ends**

Not applicable.

- 5. What route to market used to obtain these services (a) open tender (b) framework - if yes, which one?**

Not applicable.

- 6. Do you have a published road map for paper-free at point of care 'Digital at point of care'? If yes, please provide a copy or link to this document**

Not at present.

- 7. Finally, please advise names of any individuals involved in this process including your (a) Medical Records Manager (b) Chief Information Officer (c) Digital Project Lead?**

In response to (a) and (c):

After considering your request, the UHB believes that the data requested is classed as personal data as defined under the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and Data Protection Act 2018 and its disclosure would be contrary to the data protection principles and constitute unfair and unlawful

processing in regard to Articles 5, 6, and 9 of GDPR. We are therefore withholding this detail under Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. This exemption is absolute and therefore there is no requirement to apply the public interest test.

In response to (b):

The UHB does not have a Chief Information Officer. However, as per our duty to advise and assist under section 16 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, the UHB can inform you that its Senior Information Risk Owner is David Thomas, Director of Digital and Health Intelligence, and its Chief Clinical Information Officer is Mark Wardle.