

Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Request Reference FoI/24/236
Physician Associates

Freedom of Information Act 2000 request at 10/4/24

- 1. How many physician associates are currently employed in your organisation? If so, which departments do they work in?**

There are 18 physician associates employed by Cardiff and Vale University Health Board in the following departments:

- Gastroenterology – 1
- General Medicine – 7
- General Practice – 1
- General Surgery – 6
- Neonatal Intensive Care – 1
- Renal Medicine – 2

- 2. How many physician associates are prescribers?**

None.

- 3. How many radiology requests have been made by physician associates?**

The Radiology, Medical Physics and Clinical Engineering Department does not accept referrals from physician associates due to their registration status.

- 4. Are physician associates involved in or of hours on call rotas?**

Physician associates are not part of on-call rotas.

- 5. Are physician associates training/working in endoscopy? If so, do any manage gastrointestinal bleeds in, or out of hours?**

There are no physician associates in the Endoscopy Department.