

Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Request Reference FoI/24/161

Patient Menus

Information Requested:

I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information for University Hospital of Wales, in your trust:

- Please provide the standard inpatient menus and vegan inpatient menus used in February 2024, plus the standard inpatient menus and vegan inpatient menus that will be used in April 2024 (if the vegan menu is incorporated into another special menu please provide that menu)
- Please provide information on the consumption of each menu item during February 2024 (how many times was each menu item chosen during this period by inpatients?)
- Please confirm how many beds the University Hospital of Wales has
- How many hospital sites do you have, do they all have the same catering providers?
- Please confirm who the catering provider is for inpatient menus

Response Details:

Please see the attached PDFs and Excel documents for the patient menus and consumption report.

There are approximately 1,119 beds at University Hospital of Wales. Please note, however, that this figure is based on the number of beds as at a point in time. Depending on demand, the number of beds is flexed to meet these pressures, therefore the number of beds can vary.

There are three main hospital sites with inpatients: University Hospital of Wales, University Hospital Llandough and Barry Hospital. University Health Board Catering Services provide catering to our patients and includes its own Central Food Production Unit.