

Freedom of Information Request	FOI 21-158	29 th April 2021
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- 1. Please clarify whether asbestos has been identified at St Woolos Hospital and if so, please provide documents identifying where asbestos was found and located within St Woolos Hospital.**
- 2. Please provide copies of any asbestos surveys that were carried out of St Woolos Hospital identifying asbestos including any sketch plans and photographs.**
- 3. Please provide copies of any documents which identify any work carried out to remove asbestos or work carried out to make asbestos safe within the hospital.**

We are conducting an inspection this month and therefore, awaiting these result to be included into the register.

However, we have established that in order to comply with your request it would exceed the appropriate costs limit under Section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 which is currently £450. As you will be aware this is not an exemption which requires us to consider the application of the public interest test. We have calculated that it would take in excess of 28 hours to pull every single document relating to surveying and remediation for St Woolos Hospital.

If information in relation to specific blocks/buildings at St Woolos Hospital could be provided this would significantly reduce the amount of time required to disseminate all of our asbestos records.