

Freedom of Information Request	FOI 21-073	1 <sup>st</sup> March 2021
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**I would like to know what the actual amplification rate (number of cycles of amplification) that PCR tests have been carried out in Wales between 1st March 2020 and 31st December 2020?**

**Has this been standardised across all PCR test providers in Wales?**

**Have the NHS Wales recommended a specific amplification rate?**

**I would also like the same data for the PCR test from 22nd January to the present day.**

The Health Board does not hold this information. Public Health Wales as the national public health agency for Wales and the main operator of the national laboratory capacity will hold this information. Please contact them via the following link: <https://phw.nhs.wales/use-of-site/contact-us/freedom-of-information/>