

Freedom of Information Request	FOI 22-475	19 th October 2022
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I am writing to make an open government request for all the information to which I am entitled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. I would like the following information to be provided to me as an electronic copy. If any of this information is already in the public domain, please can you direct me to it, with page references and URLs if necessary.

1. Does the Health Board have a dedicated on-site scanning team for paper records?

Yes

- a. If so, how many FTE are within the team? 90.3 WTE
- b. What volumes are the team scanning on daily/weekly/monthly/annual basis?

Daily example

Total Images in period	Total images in period (Back scanning)
28123	42634

Weekly example

Total Images in period	Total images in period (Back scanning)
148222	247568

Monthly example

Total Images in period	Total images in period (Back scanning)
714675	1006605

Annual Example

Total Images in period	Total images in period (Back scanning)
9003812	13659982

- c. Are the team scanning legacy records or day forward, or both?

 Both
- d. What hardware & software is used by the team?

Kodak scanners (i4250, i3400, i4600, i1400 models) supplied by Kodak, integrated with scanning software. Intelliscanner XDS, integrated with Intelliscanner software.

IQ Quattro scanners

- e. Is the hardware leased, rented or was it purchased outright?
 Purchased outright
- f. Who is responsible within the Health Board for the procurement of hardware and software? Please supply contact details.

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2. If the Health Board does not have a dedicated on-site scanning team, is there a contract for outsourced document scanning provisions?

Not applicable

- a. If so, who is this contract with?
- b. What is the value of the contract?
- c. When is the contract due for renewal?
- 3. Does the Health Board have on-site facilities to store paper records?

Yes

- 4. Does the Health Board have contract(s) for off-site storage?
 Yes
 - a. If so, who is the contract with? Hywel Dda University Health Board
 - b. Does the contract include scan on demand or digitising services?

No

- c. If so, what volumes of pages / images are scanned daily/weekly/monthly/annually?

 N/A
- d. What is the annual cost for outsourced scanning either ondemand or scheduled?

N/A

- 5. Are there departments within the Health Board that scan their own documents locally?
 - a. If so, what hardware and software is used to manage this? Clinical workstation document uploader tool
 - **b.** Are volumes captured? If so, what are they? $N \cap N$
 - c. What types of documents are scanned?

External patient letters/results
PAC documentation for anaesthetic review

6. Who in the Health Board is responsible for records / document management programmes/systems? Please provide contact details

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7. Who in the Health Board manages the contract(s) relationships with hardware providers and outsourced storage or scanning providers? Please provide contact details

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