Reference:	FOI.8085.22
Subject:	Admissions to Intensive Care Units (ICU)
Date of Request:	28 January 2022

Requested:

Regarding Glangwili Hospital, Carmarthen and Prince Phillip Hospital, Llanelli. Can you please give the relevant information requested separately for these two hospitals.

- 1. How many patients have been admitted to ICU in Glangwili and Prince Phillip from 1/12/21 to your most recent records.
- 2. Out of these people admitted to ICU between the above dates, how many had either 0,1,2,3,4 doses of the CV19 vaccine.
- 3. Out of the patients admitted to ICU, how many have died and how many CV19 vaccinations had they had before death between the dates above.
- 4. Can you tell me out of the number of people who died, what are the number of people dying of just COVID 19 or COVID 19 with other complications between the dates above.

<u>Response</u>:

Hywel Dda University Health Board (UHB) is unable to provide you with a breakdown of the vaccination doses per hospital for question 2, as requested, as there is a potential risk of identifying individuals if these details were disclosed. Additionally, the UHB is unable to provide you with the vaccination status as requested in question 3, due to the potential risk of identifying individuals. The UHB is therefore withholding this detail under Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FoIA).

This information is protected by the Data Protection Act 2018/General Data Protection Regulations 2016 (GDPR), as its disclosure would constitute unfair and unlawful processing and would be contrary to the principles and articles 6 and 9 of the GDPR. This exemption is absolute and therefore, there is no requirement to apply the public interest test.

In reaching this decision, the Data Protection Act 2018/General Data Protection Regulations 2016 define personal data as data which relates to a living individual who can be identified solely from that data or from that data and other information which is in the possession of the data controller.

Whilst operating in accordance with the Section 45 Freedom of Information Code of Practice, the UHB has a duty to provide advice and assistance. Therefore, the UHB provides the information in a disclosable format below.

1. The UHB provides, within the table below, the number of patients admitted to ICU in Glangwili General Hospital (GGH) and Prince Phillip Hospital (PPH), during the period 1 December 2021 to 31 January 2022.

Hospital	Number
GGH	88
PPH	33

2. The UHB provides, within the tables below, the number of unvaccinated patients admitted to ICU in GGH and PPH and the vaccination doses received across both hospitals, during the period 1 December 2021 to 31 January 2022.

Vaccination dose	GGH	PPH
Unvaccinated	73	25

Vaccination dose	GGH and PPH
One	7
Тwo	7
Three	0
Booster	9

- 3. The UHB confirms that of the patients admitted to ICU, 21 died, during the period 1 December 2021 to 31 January 2022. A Section 40 exemption has been applied to the vaccination information as explained above.
- 4. The UHB provides, within the table below, the number of patients admitted to ICU that died of a COVID-19 related infection, during the period 1 December 2021 to 31 January 2022.

Hospital	Covid related
GGH	11
PPH	0