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Subject:	Cancer diagnosis
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Requested:

1. Can you tell me the total number of cancer diagnoses made by your health board for every year from 2020 up until the date of this email (19/08/24) please?
2. Do you have any information on how many of these diagnoses have also received a covid-19 vaccine?

Response:

1. Hywel Dda University Health Board (UHB) provides, within the table below, the number of cancer diagnoses made, as recorded on the UHB's Welsh Patient Administration System (WPAS), during the 2020 to 2023 calendar years and from 1 January to 19 August 2024.

Calendar year	Number
2020	2,610
2021	4,493
2022	3,637
2023	3,761
1 January to 19 August 2024	2,375

Please note:- for the data provided for question 1, a patient may have more than one (1) diagnosis for more than one (1) condition.

2. The UHB can confirm that 13,688 patients have been identified as having a cancer diagnosis and have received at least one (1) Covid-19 vaccination, as recorded on WPAS during the period 1 January 2020 to 19 August 2024. However, the Covid-19 vaccine may precede or succeed a cancer diagnosis in the given timeframe.