

Reference:	FOI.241.19
Subject:	Contact details for Hywel Dda University Health Board's (UHB) tissue viability nurses
Date of Request:	4 March 2019

Requested

Please could you provide the names, telephone numbers and the email address of all tissue viability nurses employed by Hywel Dda HB.

Response

The UHB employs three tissue viability nurses, one based within each of the UHB's counties, based at Glangwili General Hospital, Bronglais General Hospital and Withybush General Hospital, each working part time hours.

The UHB is withholding the names and direct contact details of the tissue viability nurses. This decision has been made as it is not within the expectations of these individuals that their personal data would be put into the public domain. This information is classed as personal data of third parties and is therefore being withheld in accordance with section 40 (2) of the FOI by virtue of section 40 (3) (a) (i) which permits a public authority to withhold personal data other than the requester's where the disclosure would breach a Data Protection Principle.

The Data Protection Act (DPA) / General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) defines 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.

However, the UHB can confirm that there is a generic tissue viability email address which is monitored by the nurses regularly:

TissueViability.GGH.HDD@wales.nhs.uk