

Reference:	FOI.3546.20
Subject:	COVID-19 in care homes
Date of Request:	13 July 2020

Requested:

1. Please could you state how many patients were discharged to care homes after a positive Covid-19 test from March 17th to April 15th 2020
2. Please could you state how many patients were discharged to care homes without being tested for Covid-19 from March 17th to April 15th 2020
3. Please could you state how many patients were discharged to care homes with a negative test for Covid-19 from March 17th to April 15th 2020
4. Please state whether you have reviewed any of these discharges between March 17th to April 15th to check if they led to any further transmission of Covid-19. If so, please state the number that were recorded as leading to further transmission.
5. Please provide a copy of any reports in which the trust's discharge of patients to care homes during the March 17th to April 15th 2020 is analysed in relation to the Covid-19 pandemic.

Response:

1. The UHB confirms four (4) of the patients discharged tested positive for COVID-19 during the period 17 March to 15 April 2020.
2. The UHB confirms one hundred and seventeen (117) patients discharged were not tested for COVID-19 during the period 17 March to 15 April 2020.
3. The UHB confirms twenty-five (25) of the patients discharged had a negative result for COVID-19 during the period 17 March to 15 April 2020.
4. The UHB confirms no formal review of these discharges has been undertaken as at the date of your request.
5. This information is already within the public domain; therefore, the UHB has applied an exemption under Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, as the information is accessible by another means.

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