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Requested:

In relation to FOI/3849/20 response, I was wondering if you could provide some clarifications on a couple of the answers:

1. With regards to question 3, is it possible to lay out which procedures were performed by upper GI surgeons, Colorectal surgeons, gastroenterologists and nurse endoscopists?
2. And with regards to question 4, is it possible to clarify what procedures were performed in theatre (i.e. OGD, colonoscopy etc)?

Response:

1. Hywel Dda University Health Board (UHB) provides, within the table overleaf, the endoscopy list, procedures and the specific job role performing each procedure, for the period 1 January to 31 December 2019, as requested.

Endoscopy list	Procedure	Nurse Endoscopist	Upper GI Surgeons	Colorectal surgeons	Gastroenterologists
Surgical Endoscopy	Gastrosopies	No	Yes	Yes	No
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Surgical Endoscopy	Flexible Sigmoidoscopy	No	Yes	Yes	No
Surgical Endoscopy	Endoscopic Retrograde Cholangio Pancreatography (ERCP)	No	No	Yes	No
Surgical Endoscopy	Endoscopic Ultrasound (EUS)	No	Yes	No	No
Gastroenterology Endoscopy	Gastrosopies	Yes	No	No	Yes
Gastroenterology Endoscopy	Colonoscopies	No	No	No	Yes
Gastroenterology Endoscopy	Flexible Sigmoidoscopy	Yes	No	No	Yes
Gastroenterology Endoscopy	ERCP	No	No	No	Yes

2. The UHB provides, within the table below, the number of endoscopies and the procedure performed in theatre, for the period 1 January to 31 December 2019, as requested.

Endoscopy procedure	Number of procedures
Colonoscopy	9
ERCP	136
EUS	1
Flexible Sigmoidoscopy	37
Gastroscopy	42
Other	77
Total	302