

Reference:	FOI.16680.25
Subject:	Health Board contacts
Date of Request:	24 February 2025

Requested:

The person who holds the following job title or responsibilities within your organisation. Please could you include their **Job title, name and email address**.

1. Director of Digital
2. Director of Digital Transformation
3. Chief Information Officer
4. Director of Information Technology
5. Chief Clinical Information Officer
6. Head of Information Technology
7. Digital Innovations Lead
8. Associate Director of Informatics – Infrastructure
9. Digital Systems Technical Lead
10. Deputy Digital Portfolio Director
11. Director of Improvement and Integration
12. Head of ICT Operations
13. Digital Services Project Manager
14. Chief Digital Information Officer
15. Chief Nursing Information Officer
16. Digital Applications Manager
17. Digital Services Manager
18. Head of Information and Performance

Response:

Hywel Dda University Health Board (UHB) is withholding some of the requested information. This decision has been made as it is not within the reasonable expectations of the individual that their personal data would be put into the public domain. This information is classed as personal data of a third party. Therefore, it is being withheld in accordance with the exemption set out in section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FoIA), by virtue of section 40(3)(a) of the FoIA, which permits a public authority to withhold personal data other than the requestor's where the disclosure would breach Data Protection principles.

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

In reaching this decision, the DPA and UK GDPR define personal data as data that 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, 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 not covered by the Section 40 exemption below.

The UHB confirms that it does not hold all the information exactly as requested, as some of the job titles listed do not match the job titles held within the UHB or do not exist within the UHB. Therefore, the UHB provides within the table below, a list of the job titles held and their lead officers, all of whom can be contacted via the Digital Team by email digitalseniorteam.hdd@wales.nhs.uk.

Job Title	Lead Officer
Director of Digital	Anthony Tracey
Director of Digital Transformation	Carolyn Williams, Head of Digital Innovation and Transformation
Chief Information Officer	Job title not held
Director of Information Technology	Job title not held
Chief Clinical Information Officer	Vacant post
Head of Information Technology	Job title not held
Digital Innovations Lead	Job title not held
Associate Director of Informatics – Infrastructure	John Hackett, Infrastructure Operations Manager
Digital Systems Technical Lead	Job title not held
Deputy Digital Portfolio Director	Job title not held
Director of Improvement and Integration	Job title not held
Head of ICT Operations	Gavin Jones, Head of Digital Operations
Digital Services Project Manager	Section 40 exemption
Chief Digital Information Officer	Job title not held
Chief Nursing Information Officer	Judith Bowen, Lead Clinical Informatics Nurse
Digital Applications Manager	Chris Haines, Application Support Manager
Digital Services Manager	Job title not held
Head of Information and Performance	Gareth Beynon, Head of Information Services Tracy Price, Performance Manager