

Reference:	FOI.19229.26
Subject:	Implantable ports
Date of Request:	6 January 2026

Request and response:

1. Has your organisation purchased implantable ports in the last 3 years?
Please mark the appropriate with an 'x'.

Yes	X
No	

However, Hywel Dda University Health Board (UHB) does not use the term implantable ports, it categorises these items as 'Vascular Access Accessories'.

2. If yes, to question 1, please can you kindly provide a purchasing export report detailing the following relevant to implantable ports for the time periods stated and name the files according to the financial year, including all supply routes.
- Manufacturer
 - Brand
 - Product Code
 - Description
 - Volume (in pieces)
 - Supply route for example, Direct, NHS Supply Chain etc

Time Periods

- 1st April 2022 – 31st March 2023
- 1st April 2023 – 31st March 2024
- 1st April 2024 – 31st March 2025

The UHB provides the information requested for the products that fall within the Vascular Access Accessories category, purchased during the 2022/23, 2023/24 and 2024/25 financial years, at Attachment 1.

3. If yes, to question 1, please mark with an 'x' which clinicians/clinical areas implant ports:

Surgeons	
Anaesthetists	X
Interventional Radiology	X
Vascular Access Nurses	
Other (Please State): Anaesthetics Associates, Operating Department Practitioners and Anaesthetic Registered Nurses	X