

Reference:	FOI.2050.19
Subject:	Injuries suffered by other parties as a result of participation in coasteering activities.
Date of Request:	27 November 2019

Requested:

1. We specifically request information available to you in relation to injuries suffered by other parties as a result of participation in coasteering activity at Blue Lagoon, Aberdeiddy Bay.
2. Please can you confirm to what extent and how you will record, for example, the accident location where a patient has suffered an injury and the type of injury suffered.

We require information for the years 2014 and 2019.

Response:

Hywel Dda University Health Board (UHB) is unable to provide you with the information requested as it is estimated that the cost of answering your request would exceed the "appropriate level" as stated in the Freedom of Information (Fees and Appropriate Limit) Regulations 2004. The "appropriate level" represents the estimated cost of one person spending 18 hours or (2 ½ working days) in determining whether the UHB holds the information, and locating, retrieving and extracting the information.

In order to provide you with the requested information the UHB would need to manually scrutinise all patient records for the years 2014 and 2019 to identify any information that fulfils your request.

The UHB is therefore applying an exemption under Section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOI), which provides an exemption from a public authority's obligation to comply with a request for information where the cost of compliance is estimated to exceed the appropriate limit.