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Subject:	Ionising radiation exposure during pregnancy
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Requested:

What is your radiology department's standard operating procedure for making pregnancy enquiries prior to ionising radiation exposure?

Please attach current SOP/SOPs with relevant physical/digital enquiry form that the department uses to make these enquiries.

Response:

Hywel Dda University Health Board (UHB) provides the requested information within Attachments 1 – 3.

Document name	Description
Attachment 1	The Ionising Radiation (Medical Exposure) Regulations 2017, IR(ME)R Radiology Department Employer's Procedures EP-8: Procedure for establishing whether an individual of childbearing potential may be pregnant or chestfeeding
Attachment 2	Radiology request form
Attachment 3	Radiology request form – Urgent Suspected Cancer (USC)