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Subject:	NHS dentists
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Requested:

I would like to submit the following Freedom of Information Requests:

1. What is the length of time people are having to wait to register onto a waiting list at NHS dental surgeries that come under the Hywel Dda University Health Board? We would like month-by-month figures for 2021, compared with 2020.
2. What is the length of time that people are having to wait for routine check-ups at NHS dental surgeries that come under the Hywel Dda University Health Board? We would like month-by-month figures for 2021, compared with 2020.
3. What is the length of time that people are having to wait for surgery and or operations at NHS dental surgeries that come under the Hywel Dda University Health Board? We would like month-by-month figures for 2021, compared with 2020.
4. How many dentists left their position at dental surgeries that come under the Hywel Dda University Health Board in 2020 and 2021? And were their roles filled?
5. What is the full capacity of dentists you need within your health board?
6. What is the current number of dentists you have within the health board?

Response:

Hywel Dda University Health Board (UHB) regrets to inform you that it does not hold the information requested. We would therefore recommend that you redirect your request to the NHS Dental Practices directly, who may be able to help you further with your enquiry.

Contact details of all NHS Dental Practices within the UHB's geographical area are available on the NHS Wales Health in Wales website and can be accessed via the following link:

[Health in Wales | Dentists in Hywel Dda University Health Board](#)