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**Requested:**

1. How many patients requested the funding element to have their health procedure/ operations undertaken in Europe?
2. How many patients were provided the funding, ie up to £6000, to actually have that operation?

**Response:**

1. Between 5 April 2017 and 5 April 2018, Hywel Dda University Health Board (UHB) received requests from fifteen (15) patients requesting funding for procedures or operations to be undertaken in Europe.
2. Of the fifteen (15) applications received, thirteen (13) were approved.