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Subject:	Sterile Services Department
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Requested:

This information specifically relates to the processing of surgical instruments, and the facility and equipment within. The questions that I am seeking answers to are listed in the attached document. I would appreciate it if you would use this template when providing your information.

1. Which of the following hospitals within the Health Board have a Sterile Services Department (SSD) on site?

Hospital	Yes	No
Glangwili General Hospital		
Bronglais General Hospital		
Prince Philip Hospital		
Withybush General Hospital		

2. Are all sterile service facilities accredited to MDD 93/42/EEC and ISO13485 and, do they meet the requirements of HBN13, 2004?

Accreditation	Yes	No	Comments
MDD 93/42/EEC			
ISO13485			
HBN13, 2004			

3. Which Hospital department do the Sterile Service Department sit under, e.g. Facilities & Estates Department?

	Sterile Services
Departmental Responsibility	

4. What equipment is currently installed in each Hospitals Sterile Services Department to include washer disinfectors, steam sterilisers (autoclaves), and low temperature steriliser e.g. Sterrad, V-PRO etc.? Please complete the tables below:

a. Washer Disinfectors

Hospital	Manufacturer/s e.g. Getinge, Belimed etc.	Model/s	Number of Machines	Install Date/s
Glangwili General				
Bronglais General				
Prince Philip				

Withybush General				

b. Steam Sterilisers (Autoclaves)

Hospital	Manufacturer/s e.g. Getinge, Belimed etc.	Model/s	Number of Machines	Install Date/s
Glangwili General				
Bronglais General				
Prince Philip				
Withybush General				

c. Low Temperature Sterilisers

Hospital	Manufacturer/s e.g. Sterrad	Model/s	Number of machines	Install Date/s
Glangwili General Hospital				
Bronglais General				

5. For the equipment stated in Q4 above, please state the number of cycles completed over the last 12 months for all:

Hospital	Washer Disinfectors Annual Cycle Count =	Steam Sterilisers Annual Cycle Count =	Low-Temp Sterilisers Annual Cycle Count =
Glangwili			
Bronglais			
Prince Philip			
Withybush			

6. In the table below, please provide details (manufacturer, product name, and price) on the consumables e.g. washer disinfectant detergent, utilised in the equipment listed in question 4.

Equipment Type	Consumable	Manufacturer	Product Name & Code
Washer Disinfectant	Detergent #1		
Washer Disinfectant	Detergent #2		
Autoclave	Bowie Dick Test		
Low-Temp Steriliser	Hydrogen		

7. Have you planned investment in the Sterile Services reprocessing facility - e.g. Autoclaves, reverse osmosis plant, boilers etc.? If so, please list which site.

Proposed	Hospital Location/s
FY20	
FY21	

Response:

Hywel Dda University health Board (UHB) provides the information as requested in the document attached, Attachment 1.