



Ref: ATISN 26357

12 November 2025

Dear ,

ATISN 26357 – Clinical Negligence Claims

Thank you for your request to the Welsh Government for information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) received on 10 November 2025 regarding clinical negligence claims.

You requested the following:

- 1. Please provide the following information per specialty for clinical negligence claims for 2023, 2024, 2025 for all NHS Wales Health Boards*
- 2. Number of Immediate Needs Assessment performed per medical specialty per year for all NHS Wales Health Boards.*

Our Response

Welsh government does not hold the information you have requested and you may wish to contact the health boards directly. I have added a link below that provides contact points for each health board: [Contact Us - NHS Wales](#)

For information, I have attached a copy of the annual review from Welsh Risk Pool which shows the distribution of the top eleven clinical specialties in clinical negligence matters for 2021 to 2025 which may be of interest. NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership may also be able to assist with the information you are seeking and they can be contact on [Freedom of Information Act 2000 - NHS Wales Shared Services Partnership](#)

Next Steps

If you are dissatisfied with the Welsh Government's handling of your request, you can ask for an internal review within 40 working days of the date of this response. Requests for an internal review should be addressed to the Welsh Government's Freedom of Information Officer at:

Information Rights Unit
Welsh Government
Cathays Park



Cardiff
CF10 3NQ
or Email: Freedom.ofinformation@gov.wales

Please remember to quote the ATISN reference number above.

You also have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF

However, please note that the Commissioner will not normally investigate a complaint until it has been through our own internal review process.

Yours sincerely,