

Date: 18th February 2026
Ref: CORP 25/26 - 239

Dear xxx

Freedom of Information request: Clinical Placements for Overseas Medical Students (CORP 25/26 – 239)

Thank you for your request for information which the Trust received on 21st January 2026.

Your Request:

Please could we have the data for the past 3 financial years.

- How many medical students not based at a UK medical school undertook a clinical placement of any length at your trust, and from which medical school were these students from?*
- How many medical students not based at a UK medical school undertook a clinical placement at your trust for more than 6 weeks, and which medical school were these students from?*

Please find the Trust's response below:

From our records, this information is not held centrally, we have not accepted or arranged any overseas medical student placements or observerships.

I trust this answers your request for information, however, should you not be satisfied with the information supplied or the process of supplying it, you have a right to complain and request a review. Please note that you must submit a request for a review within 40 days of the date of this letter.

You should forward your complaint to:

Mr Ian Bevan via FOI.VUNHST@wales.nhs.uk
Head of Information Governance
Velindre University NHS Trust
2, Charnwood Court
Heol Billingsley
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Should you wish to take your complaint further, if you are still unhappy with the decision after review, you can contact the:

Information Commissioner's Office - Wales
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Yours sincerely

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