# Freedom of Information request to Public Health Wales

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## Information requested:

- A breakdown of the number of detections at Carbapenemese-producing enterobacteriaceae (CPE) at each NHS hospital in Wales in 2017 and, separately, in 2018 (to date).
- The number of cases where CPE was an associative or contributory factor in a patient's death in 2017 and 2018.
- The number of cases where CPE was a direct factor in a patient's death in 2017 and 2018.

## Information provided for the answer:

Thank you for your email dated 17th October 2018.

The following numbers represent the total number of Carbapenemase Producing Organisms (CPO, including Enterobactericeae (CPE)) from both screens and clinical samples, patients deduplicated:

2017 Q1-Q4: 48

2018 Q2: 28

Unfortunately we don’t hold the information to answer points 2 & 3.

May we recommend that you contact the following sources who may be able to help you with your enquiry:-

Abertawe Bro Morgannwg University Health Board


Aneurin Bevan University Health Board
If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of the decision, you should write to the Corporate Complaints Manager, Public Health Wales NHS Trust, 3, Number 2, Capital Quarter, Tyndall Street, Cardiff, CF10 4BZ.

If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint or review, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the complaints procedure provided by the Trust. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner for Wales

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Cardiff
CF10 2HH

Telephone: 029 2067 8400

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