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Freedom of Information request to Public Health Wales

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Information Requested:

After enquiring elsewhere, I have been directed to you for some statistics which appear to be elusive. Would be kind enough either to supply me with the following statistics or direct me to a source for them.

I wish to know:

- 1 the number of people obliged to quarantine in Wales after returning from those countries where this obligation was imposed since the date of that imposition and
- 2 the number or percentage of those quarantined who have tested positive for covid-19.

Information provided for the answer:

Thank you for your recent request for information. Please find below the data requested.

	Cumulative Total (8 June to 19 Oct)	Latest Week (12 Oct to 18 Oct)
Number of people needing to quarantine²	69,194	4,201

People who are self-reported as not exempt from quarantine requirements according to regulations in Wales at time Passenger Locator Form completed, as reported to Public Health Wales by Home Office.

In relation to the number that have tested positive for Covid-19 on their return unfortunately we do not hold this information. For some cases it may be indicated in free-text notes but cannot be extracted.

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