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Freedom of Information request to Public Health Wales

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Information Requested:

I would like to make a freedom of information request:

Please could you give me the figures for the deaths in Wales, with Covid-19 as the sole symptom, in the period 1.1.20 - 31.12.20?

I am seeing numerous figures each day, from a variety of sources, but these always include patients who have other illnesses and have caught Covid-19 on top of them. Can I please have the figures of those with no other illness apart from Covid-19.

Information provided for the answer:

Thank you for your recent request.

Public Health Wales publish an interactive dashboard where you can find information about numbers of Covid-19 cases and deaths across Wales. This is updated daily. The link to the dashboard is here: [Covid-19 Dashboard](#)

This will give you information on the total number of deaths that have been reported to PHW, where there was a laboratory test that confirmed a diagnosis of Covid-19 within the last 28 days.

The Office of National Statistics publish further information regarding deaths and please find a link to their website below:-

<https://www.ons.gov.uk/search?q=covid+deaths>

I hope that this information is of assistance.

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