

## E-mail request

Our ref: ATISN 15148 Date: 25 May 2021

Dear

## **ATISN 15148**

Thank you for your request which I received on 20 May 2021. You asked for the following information:

The mortality rates for Morriston Hospital Swansea (2015 – 2020).

Welsh Government does not hold this information.

The Office for National Statistics (ONS) collect and produce mortality statistics for England and Wales based on information from the death registration process. However, this analysis is resident based and not hospital based, i.e. where the individual lived.

Information on mortality numbers and rates by age, sex and area of residents for years prior to 2020 can be found on the Office for National Statistics' <u>website</u>. Deaths rates for 2020 have not been finalised by the ONS. In the interim the number of deaths by area of residence can be found as part of their <u>excess mortality report</u>.

For further information on this data, please contact the ONS at <a href="health.data@ons.gov.uk">health.data@ons.gov.uk</a>

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: <u>Freedom.ofinformation@gov.wales</u>

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