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Corporate Services Headquarters 1 Talbot Gateway Baglan Port Talbot, SA12 7BR

I refer to your Freedom of Information Act Request acknowledged by ourselves on 19th November 2019. Your request sought information relating to readmission to Morriston Hospital with a head injury. You clarified on 20th November 2019 that you wanted figures for patients admitted to Morriston ED with a head injury (you defined as a head gash/split) that did *not* have a CT scan on this visit, but subsequently returned within 3 days for issues relating to the original head injury and received a CT scan at this readmission. On 27th November 2019 you clarified you wanted the last 6 months' worth of data. Please note this data was only available up until 31st October 2019 therefore the period we have supplied is 1st May 2019 – 31st October 2019.

How many patients have been re-admitted within a few days having not had initially a CT scan after a head trauma?

5 patients.

The search criteria used was where the ED diagnosis was 'head injury'.

I hope this information is helpful. If you require anything further please contact us at <u>FOIA.Requests@wales.nhs.uk</u>.

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Yours sincerely

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