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Rydym yn croesawu gohebiaeth yn y Gymraeg ac yn y Saesneg. We welcome correspondence in Welsh or English.

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Dear

I refer to your Freedom of Information Act Request acknowledged by ourselves on 10<sup>th</sup> July 2020. Your request sought information relating to pregnancy terminations.

**Please disclose all policies, guidance, and instructions, including terms, conditions, eligibility, and format/method of payment, held by Swansea Bay University Health Board with regards to:**

- 1. Up-front funding for or reimbursement of travel available for patients and escorts of patients receiving Terminations of Pregnancy, both under nationally-directed schemes and any other provisions;**  
Swansea Bay Health Board does not have any policies, guidance or instructions relating to this.
- 2. Up-front funding for or reimbursement for overnight stays available of patients and escorts of patients receiving Terminations of Pregnancy;**  
Swansea Bay Health Board does not have any policies, guidance or instructions relating to this.
- 3. Where different to (1) above, up-front funding for or reimbursement of travel available for patients and escorts of patients receiving non-primary care, both under nationally-directed schemes and any other provisions; and**  
Swansea Bay Health Board does not have any policies, guidance or instructions relating to this.
- 4. Where different to (2) above, up-front funding for or reimbursement of overnight stays available for patients and escorts of patients receiving non-**



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**primary care;**

Swansea Bay Health Board does not have any policies, guidance or instructions relating to this.

**Further, please disclose:**

**5. The 2020-21 Swansea Bay University Health Board budget for up-front funding for or reimbursement of travel and overnight stays for patients receiving:**

**a. Terminations of pregnancy; and**

Swansea Bay Health Board does not have a budget for this

**b. Non-primary care**

Swansea Bay Health Board does not have a budget for this

I hope this information is helpful. If you require anything further please contact us at [FOIA.Requests@wales.nhs.uk](mailto:FOIA.Requests@wales.nhs.uk).

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If after Internal Review you remain dissatisfied you are also entitled to refer the matter to the information commissioner at the Information Commissioner's Office (Wales), 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Churchill House, Churchill Way, Cardiff, CF10 2HH. Telephone Number: 029 2067 8400.

Yours sincerely



Pam Wenger

**Director of Corporate Governance**

