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Bwrdd Iechyd Prifysgol  
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Swansea Bay University  
Health Board

Cadeirydd/Chair: **Emma Woollett**  
Prif Weithredwr/Chief Executive: **Mark Hackett**

**gofalu am ein gilydd, cydweithio, gwella bob amser**  
**caring for each other, working together, always improving**

Rydym yn croesawu gohebiaeth yn y Gymraeg neu'r Saesneg. Atebir gohebiaeth Gymraeg yn y Gymraeg, ac ni fydd hyn yn arwain at oedi. We welcome correspondence in Welsh or English. Welsh language correspondence will be replied to in Welsh, and this will not lead to a delay.

## **Cais Rhyddid Gwybodaeth / Freedom of Information request** **Ein Cyf / Our Ref: 22-J-025**

Please note that we record this information by site, not by building. Each site can be made up by multiple buildings.

### **You asked:**

**In accordance with the FOI Act, can you provide the following information, please?**

- **The number of health board buildings containing asbestos.**  
As at 24<sup>th</sup> June 2022, out of 73 Health Board sites, 19 are confirmed to have asbestos present, with a further 4 suspected.
- **The percentage of health board buildings containing asbestos.**  
26% of Health Board sites are confirmed to have asbestos present and 5.4% are suspected to have asbestos present.

Please note that inspections of sites are carried out by a competent and qualified UKAS accredited asbestos specialist on an annual basis. At this time plans are reviewed, developed and implemented to manage the risk ensuring proper control and safety of anyone on the premises. The Health Board does not routinely remove asbestos unless it is in a dangerous condition or will be disturbed as part of upgrading works.



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