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## **Cais Rhyddid Gwybodaeth / Freedom of Information request** **Ein Cyf / Our Ref: 22-I-056**

### **You asked:**

**Please can you provide the following information for the SBUHB for the Welsh Government Nosocomial investigation:**

#### **1. Number of nosocomial investigations completed to date**

Currently, 679 cases have been reviewed and 15 out of the total of cases are considered complete, as they have been through the final scrutiny process (set Welsh Government processes and quality assurance checks) including feedback and learning outcomes to clinical and managerial teams. These cases are at different stages but the expectation is the majority will move to be fully complete over the next six weeks which includes responses to next of kin / designated legal representative.

#### **2. Date the nosocomial investigations were completed**

08.09.2022 - 5

16.09.2022 - 5

11.10.2022 - 5

#### **3. Number of cases downgraded**

As at 12<sup>th</sup> October 2022 - nil

#### **4. Definition of downgraded**

Cases in which, following assessment, it is determined that the infection is not healthcare-acquired and therefore not within scope of the COVID-19 review framework.

#### **5. Number of cases re-categorised**

As at 12<sup>th</sup> October 2022 - nil



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## **6. Definition of re-categorised**

Cases on which an initial investigation has been conducted, utilising the surveillance definitions within the framework, and deemed not to meet the scope for inclusion in the programme of work.

An example of this would be where it was initially suspected that a patient had an indeterminate infection but following an investigation, it was concluded that in all probability, the acquisition was community acquired.

## **7. Has the next of kin/key contact been advised of the outcome in cases?**

As at 12<sup>th</sup> October 2022, no next of kin have received notice of outcome on any cases from SBUHB.

## **8. Number of nosocomial investigations in progress**

664

## **9. Has the next of kin/key contact been advised the nosocomial investigation is in progress?**

As at 12<sup>th</sup> October 2022, 61 families have been notified of commencement of review.

## **10. Number of nosocomial investigations not yet started?**

2,782

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