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

Dyddiad/Date: 18th February 2020

Ein Cyf / Our Ref: 20-A-031



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

I refer to your Freedom of Information Act Request acknowledged by ourselves on 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2020. Your request sought information relating to clinical nurse specialists. You clarified on 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2020 that by "CNS" you are referring to the central nervous system and by "helping" you mean "working with" across our Oncology, Neurology and Neurosurgery departments.

The number of clinical nurse specialists helping brain and CNS tumour patients, who have been employed within the Swansea Bay University Health Board for each year since 2008.

Swansea Bay Health Board does not have any clinical nurse specialists working specifically with brain tumour or CNS tumour patients.

Our brain tumour and CNS tumour patients are treated by the clinical nurse specialists who work within Oncology, Neurology and Neurosurgery.

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

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Yours sincerely

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