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Dear [Redacted],

I refer to your Freedom of Information Act Request acknowledged by ourselves on 12th November 2020. I apologise for the delay in responding. Your request sought information relating to memory clinics.

1. Could you please provide the names and addresses of memory services/clinics that operate within the Organisation?

Neath Port Talbot Locality

Memory Clinic – Port Talbot. Neath Port Talbot Hospital, Port Talbot SA12 7BX
Memory Clinic – Neath, Tonna Hospital, Tonna, Neath SA11 3LX

Swansea Locality

Primary Care Assessment Team – Westfa Day Hospital. 1 Phillips Parade, Swansea. SA1 4JL
Primary Care Assessment Team – Ty Garngoch, Hospital Road, Swansea. SA4 4LH

2. What diagnostic services does each clinic provide?

To have a confirmed diagnosis of Dementia or to be given an explanation into their memory problems for individuals experiencing memory difficulties.

3. How many people were referred to these memory clinics in the following financial years? Please provide information for each service/clinic.

Service/Clinic name	2017/2018	2018/2019	2019/2020
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Swansea	960	823	856
Neath Port Talbot	351	324	348

4. How is the Service/Clinic staffed? Please provide information for each service/clinic.

Neath Port Talbot Locality

Each service has Consultant Psychiatrist, locum consultant or speciality doctor, Band 6 CPN, Band 5 CPN, Band 4 Dementia Coordinator.

Swansea Locality

Between the two services there are 4 Consultant Psychiatrists, locum consultant or speciality doctor, Band 8a psychologist.

Each service has Band 7, Band 6 CPN, Band 5 CPN, Band 4 and Band 2 plus admin staff.

5. Could you please provide information about the role, responsibility, and level of seniority of the Health Care professional in charge of the Memory Service/Clinic? Please provide information for each service/clinic.

Consultant Psychiatrist allocates referrals to CPNs or to Outpatient Clinics. Responsible for overseeing running of service and diagnosis

6. Does the service/clinic provide Amyloid-PET imaging (API) and Cerebrospinal Fluid Testing (CSF)? If Yes, how many tests did the clinics undertake in the following financial years: Please provide information for each service/clinic.

No tests undertaken in the specified years.

Service/Clinic name	2017/2018	2018/2019	2019/2020

7. If the clinics do perform CSF testing, are the samples sent to a laboratory outside the clinic? If Yes, could you provide the name and location?

Not applicable, no tests undertaken.

8. What were the average waiting times for GP referrals to memory clinics in the following financial years?

2017/2018	2018/2019	2019/2020
	11 days	19 days



Please note that this information is not available prior to 2018/19. Before this, memory clinic waiting times were included in general Outpatient waiting times, so cannot be separated.

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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