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Ein cyf/Our ref: WQ80373

Darren Millar MS  
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Dear Darren,

I am writing in response to WQ80373: How many patients, per local health board, were tested for Covid-19 prior to being discharged into care homes since 1 March 2020?

Since the 16 May, all people being discharged from hospital to live in care homes regardless of whether or not they were admitted to hospital with Covid-19 have been routinely tested.

However, the Welsh Government do not record that information specifically and we are therefore unable to provide this information.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Vaughan Gething". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

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