

# DEATHS REPORTED TO CORONERS

JANUARY - DECEMBER 2022

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<b>NAME:</b> <input type="text" value="Steven Lloyd"/>	<b>ADDRESS:</b> <input type="text" value="Police Station"/> <input type="text" value="Aberystwyth,"/> <input type="text" value="Ceredigion"/> <input type="text" value="SY23 1PH"/>
<b>DATE:</b> <input type="text" value="24/03/2023"/>	<b>E-MAIL ADDRESS:</b> <input type="text" value="steve.lloyd@dyfed-powys.police.uk"/>
<b>TELEPHONE:</b> <input type="text" value="01267 615104"/>	
<b>SOFTWARE PROVIDER (Please select from dropdown options)</b> <input type="text" value="Other (please specify)"/>	<b>FURTHER DETAILS - OTHER PROVIDER:</b> <input type="text" value="Please enter the name of your provider below"/> <input type="text" value="No Provider"/>

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Thank you

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**January to December 2022**

**FULL NAME OF CORONER'S AREA:**

**Ceredigion**

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**Section A1: new casework**

**SECTION A: DEATHS REPORTED TO CORONER IN 2022**

	With post mortem			Without post mortem			TOTAL		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
(i) Deaths reported to the coroner which <b>will not result in an inquest</b> (whether or not a certificate of any sort is issued)	82	58	140	102	94	196	184	152	336
(ii) Deaths reported to coroners on which <b>inquests are to be or were opened</b> (even if not concluded)	15	3	18	2	2	4	17	5	22
(iii) Deaths reported to coroners which are under investigation and it is <b>not yet known if an inquest will be opened</b>	11	9	20	0	0	0	11	9	20
<b>TOTAL (i) + (ii) + (iii)</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>212</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>378</b>
(iv) Number of cases transferred out of area under Sections 2 or 3 of the Coroners and Justice Act 2009 ( <b>not to be included above, even if they included a post mortem before transfer</b> )									6
(v) Deaths reported or referred to the coroner requiring <b>neither inquest nor the issue of any certificate</b> MUST BE INCLUDED IN THE "NO INQUEST NO POST MORTEM" box above, along with cases where certificates <b>were</b> issued. <u>For cases where sex of deceased not known, please indicate the number of such cases in the yellow cell on the right.</u>									0

**POST-MORTEM EXAMINATIONS - NOT** to include cases that were later transferred out (if more than one on the same body, only details relating to the FIRST PM should be included in this section.)

Number ordered at STANDARD RATE	173
Number ordered at NON-STANDARD RATE	5
Number of PMs which included HISTOLOGY	46
Number of PMs which included TOXICOLOGY	35
Number of PMs conducted using External Examination (even if the PM included an Autopsy), Imaging (even if the PM included an Autopsy), Test on Samples - (Toxicology/Histology if not part of an Autopsy)	177
Number of PMs conducted not including an Autopsy	1
Number of PMs conducted by a HO forensic pathologist	3
Number of second PMs conducted following request by defence lawyer	0
N.B. we do not require any further details of any second or subsequent PM ordered on the same body to be recorded here	

Number of Out of England orders made **0**

Number of deaths abroad (give details on separate page please) **0**

**For deaths in state detention (or within seven days of release from State Detention) reported to the coroner in 2022,**

**please provide a count of new cases in each of the following definitions:**  
**(For further details, if required, see the sheet "State Detention definitions")**

1. Prison custody	0
2. Police custody	0
3. Immigration removal centres	0
4. Mental Health Act detention	0
5. Residents of Probation Approved Premises	0
6. Secure training centre	0
7. Local authority secure children's homes	0
8. Release on temporary licence (ROTL)	0
9. Release from custody within previous seven days	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>

N.B. Please be aware that this data is cross-checked with the National Offender Management Service. Please check these figures as any discrepancies will cause delay in processing your return

Ceredigion

**Sections B, C and D: Casework completed during the year**

**SECTION B: CONCLUSIONS RECORDED AT INQUESTS IN 2022**  
(including inquests with juries)

	Numbers of conclusions (not treasure inquests)		
	Male	Female	Total
Killed unlawfully	0	0	0
Killed lawfully	0	0	0
Suicide	5	0	5
Attempted or self-induced abortion	0	0	0
Cause of death aggravated by lack of care, or self-neglect	0	0	0
Alcohol/Drug Related	1	0	1
Road Traffic Collision	3	0	3
Want of attention at birth	0	0	0
Deaths from industrial diseases	0	0	0
Deaths by accident or misadventure	2	4	6
Stillbirth	0	0	0
Deaths from natural causes	1	1	2
Open	1	0	1
Disasters (where inquest resumed after adjournment under Sch.1 of Coroners and Justice Act 2009)	0	0	0
Unclassified (including narrative conclusions)	0	0	0
<b>TOTAL [All conclusions]</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>18</b>

**AGE OF DECEASED IN INQUEST CONCLUSIONS:**

Number of inquest conclusions returned in 2022 where age of deceased at time of death was:	
Under 1 year	0
1 to 14 years	0
15 to 24 years	3
25 to 44 years	4
45 to 64 years	7
65 years and over	4
Age not known	0

**Notes**

1. The number of inquests into treasure concluded during 2022 must be equal to or greater than the number of verdicts of Treasure recorded in the box below it.

Sch.1, Para.1: Criminal charges/service charges may be brought

Sch.1, Para.2: Criminal charges/service charges have been brought

Sch.1, Para.3: Inquiry under the Inquiries Act 2005

Sch.1, Para.5: Suspended for other reasons

**SECTION C: INVESTIGATIONS SUSPENDED under Schedule 1, Paragraphs 1, 2, 3 and 5 of the Coroners and Justice Act 2009 which it has been decided NOT TO RESUME DURING 2022**

	Subsection under which Suspensions occurs (under new regulations)				
	Sch.1, Para.1	Sch.1, Para.2	Sch.1, Para.3	Sch.1, Para.5	Total
Murder	0	0	0	0	0
Manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0
Infanticide	0	0	0	0	0
Charges of causing death contrary to RTA 1988	0	0	0	0	0
Aiding, abetting, counselling or procuring suicide	0	0	0	0	0
Corporate manslaughter	0	0	0	0	0
Other criminal charges	0	0	0	0	0
Inquiry under Inquiries Act 2005 (no charge)			0		0
General power to suspend (no charge)				0	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

**Section D (a): INQUESTS in 2022**

	With juries	Without juries	TOTAL
Number of inquests (excluding treasure)	0	18	18
of which: inquests held by order of the High Court			0
inquests quashed or amended by the High Court			0

**Section D (b): EXHUMATIONS in 2022**

The number of exhumations ordered under Schedule 5 paragraph 6 of the Coroners Act 2009	0
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**Section D (c): TREASURE FINDS in 2022:**

Number of finds reported under the TREASURE ACT 1996	0
Number of inquests concluded (see note below) <sup>1</sup>	0
of which: Number of conclusions of treasure <sup>1</sup>	0
Number of inquests on Treasure Trove (only inquests on finds made before 24 Sept 1997 should be reported here).	0

**Section D (d): PREVENTION OF FUTURE DEATHS REPORTS SUBMITTED in 2022**

The number of Prevention of Future Deaths Reports issued in 2022 (regardless of inquest conclusion date)	0
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CONTINUED ON WORKSHEET "SECTION E"

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R		
1	Ceredigion																			
2	<b>SECTION E: TIME SPENT ON CASES</b>																			
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5																				
6	<b>1. Deaths investigated in 2022 where there was no inquest i.e. deaths reported at section A(i) (top row + 'sex not known')</b>																			
7	Number of cases reported at section A(i) in which certificates were issued within:																			
8	One week or less															290				
9	Over a week and up to one calendar month															+	20			
10	Over one calendar month <sup>1</sup>															+	26			
11	All deaths investigated where a certificate was issued, but there was no inquest															subtotal	336			
12	No certificate issued (in section A these will have been included in the "no inquest, no PM" part of A(i))															+	0			
13	All deaths reported in 2022 where there was no inquest, i.e. Section A (i) + cases where sex not known															=	336			
14																				
15																				
16	<b>2. Deaths in 2022 on which inquests are to be or were opened (even if not yet concluded) i.e. all deaths reported at Section A(ii)</b>																			
17	Number of cases reported at section A(ii) in which disposal certificates were issued within:																			
18	Deaths in England and Wales															One week or less		6		
19																Over a week and up to one calendar month		16		
20																Over one calendar month <sup>1</sup>		0		
21																TOTAL CASES - England and Wales		22		
22	Deaths elsewhere		TOTAL CASES - elsewhere		+	0														
23	All deaths in 2022 on which inquests are to be or were opened i.e. Section A(ii)															=	22			
24																				
25																				
26	<b>3. Deaths investigated in 2022 where it is not yet known if there will be an inquest i.e. deaths reported at section A(iii)</b>																			
27	<b>Please note, this should be a snapshot of investigations open at the end of 2022</b>																			
28	Number of cases reported at section A(iii) in which certificates were issued within:																			
29	One week or less															10				
30	Over a week and up to one calendar month															+	8			
31	Over one calendar month <sup>1</sup>															+	2			
32	All deaths where a certificate was issued, but it is not yet known if an inquest will be held															subtotal	20			
33	No certificate issued (in section A these will have been included in the "no PM" part of A(iii))															+	0			
34	All deaths reported in 2022 where it is not yet known if there will be an inquest, i.e. Section A (iii)															=	20			
35																				
36	<b>4. Deaths on which inquests in 2022 were: (a) concluded or (b) not resumed following adjournment under Schedule 1, Paragraphs 1, 2, 3 or 5. (i.e. all conclusions in section B plus all charges in section C)</b>																			
37	Number of cases where the inquest was either concluded, or adjourned under Schedule 1, Paragraphs 1, 2, 3 or 5, within:																			
38	Deaths in England and Wales															One month or less <sup>2</sup>		2		
39																One to three months <sup>2</sup>		0		
40																Three to six months <sup>2</sup>		4		
41																Six to twelve months <sup>2</sup>		10		
42																Over 12 months <sup>2</sup>		2		
43	TOTAL CASES - England and Wales		18																	
44	Deaths elsewhere		TOTAL CASES - elsewhere		+	0														
45	All deaths on which inquests were held in 2022 i.e. total of Sections B and C															=	18			
46																				
47																				
48	<b>5. Inquests still open or in progress at the end of 2022 (i.e. neither concluded, nor adjourned under Schedule 1, Paragraphs 1, 2, 3 or 5)</b>																			
49	Please indicate the number of inquests in progress for the following time periods:										Deaths in England and Wales				Deaths elsewhere					
50	1. Less than 6 months										5				0					
51	2. Over 6 months but not more than 12 months										7				0					
52	3. Over 12 months but not more than 2 years										1				0					
53	4. Over 2 years										0				0					
54	Start date <sup>3</sup> of oldest case in each column:										12/10/2021									
55	Please give brief descriptions of the two cases reported in the row immediately above:																			
56																				
57	<b>Footnotes to Section E:</b>																			
58	1. To include cases for which certificates had not been issued by 31 January 2023.																			
59	2. For cases adjourned under Schedule 1, Paragraphs 1, 2, 3 & 5 and not resumed, time should be measured up to the date when Form 120 was issued.																			
60	3. Please check that the dates are correct according to your case files. In particular, ensure the month and day have not accidentally been reversed (e.g. 4 May 2012 should appear as 04/05/12 (or 4 May 2012) and <b>not</b> as 05/04/12).																			
61																				
62																				













