

Appendix 2

DEATHS REPORTED TO CORONERS January to December 2023

FULL NAME OF CORONER'S AREA:

Ceredigion

PLEASE READ THE NOTES CAREFULLY BEFORE COMPLETING AND READ THE CHECKS SUMMARY BEFORE SUBMITTING

Section A1: new casework

SECTION A: DEATHS REPORTED TO CORONER IN 2023									
	With post mortem			Without post mortem			TOTAL		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
(i) Deaths reported to the coroner which will not result in an inquest (whether or not a certificate of any sort is issued)	66	52	118	93	83	176	159	135	294
(ii) Deaths reported to coroners on which inquests are to be or were opened (even if not concluded)	4	4	8	4	0	4	8	4	12
(iii) Deaths reported to coroners which are under investigation and it is not yet known if an inquest will be opened	7	9	16	1	1	2	8	10	18
TOTAL (i) + (ii) + (iii)	77	65	142	98	84	182	175	149	324
(iv) Number of cases transferred out of area under Sections 2 or 3 of the Coroners and Justice Act 2009 (not to be included above, even if they included a post mortem before transfer)									1
(v) Deaths reported or referred to the coroner requiring neither inquest nor the issue of any certificate MUST BE INCLUDED IN THE "NO INQUEST NO POST MORTEM" box above, along with cases where certificates were 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 - <u>NOT</u> 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	139
Number ordered at NON-STANDARD RATE	3
Number of PMs which included HISTOLOGY	41
Number of PMs which included TOXICOLOGY	28
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)	2
Number of PMs conducted not including an Autopsy	1
Number of PMs conducted by a HO forensic pathologist	1
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) **3**

For deaths in state detention (or within seven days of release from State Detention) reported to the coroner in 2023,

**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
TOTAL	0

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

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

SECTION B: CONCLUSIONS RECORDED AT INQUESTS IN 2023 (including inquests with juries)			
	Numbers of conclusions (not treasure inquests)		
	Male	Female	Total
Killed unlawfully	0	0	0
Killed lawfully	0	0	0
Suicide	1	1	2
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	0	0	0
Road Traffic Collision	0	0	0
Want of attention at birth	0	0	0
Deaths from industrial diseases	0	0	0
Deaths by accident or misadventure	2	1	3
Stillbirth	0	0	0
Deaths from natural causes	0	0	0
Open	0	0	0
Disasters (where inquest resumed after adjournment under Sch.1 of Coroners and Justice Act 2009)	0	0	0
Unclassified (narrative conclusions)	0	0	0
TOTAL [All conclusions]	3	2	5
AGE OF DECEASED IN INQUEST CONCLUSIONS:			
Number of inquest conclusions returned in 2023 where age of deceased at time of death was:			
Under 1 year			0
1 to 14 years			0
15 to 24 years			0
25 to 44 years			1
45 to 64 years			2
65 years and over			2
Age not known			0

Inquests breakdown:	
Number of inquest in writing	5

Notes

1. The number of inquests into treasure concluded during 2023 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 2023					
	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
TOTAL	0	0	0	0	0

Section D (a): INQUESTS in 2023			
	With juries	Without juries	TOTAL
Number of inquests (excluding treasure)	0	5	5
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 2023			
The number of exhumations ordered under Schedule 5 paragraph 6 of the Coroners Act 2009			0

Section D (c): TREASURE FINDS in 2023:	
Number of finds reported under the TREASURE ACT 1996	0
Number of inquests concluded (see note below) ¹	0
of which: Number of conclusions of treasure ¹	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 2023	
The number of Prevention of Future Deaths Reports issued in 2023 (regardless of inquest conclusion date)	0