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Dear

Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, please see response below

Request

I am trying to understand how Pembrolizumab is used in the treatment of Melanoma. Could you please answer the following:

Q1. How many patients have you treated with Pembrolizumab in the three months from May 2023 to July 2023 for:

- Melanoma any stage
- Stage IIb/IIc Melanoma
- Stage III Melanoma
- Metastatic Melanoma

Q2. How many Stage IIb/IIc melanoma patients were on a "Watch and Wait" strategy in the three months from May 2023 to July 2023? These would be patients where a decision has been made to wait before commencing any treatment. -

Response

Melanoma patients would be treated at New Cross Hospital, Wolverhampton.

If you are dissatisfied with our response, you have the right to appeal in line with guidance from the Information Commissioner. In the first instance you may contact the Information Governance Manager of the Trust.

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Should you disagree with the contents of our response to your appeal, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioners Office at.

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If you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

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