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Dear

**Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000**

Thank you for requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

**Request**

1) In the past 6 months, what was the number of patients treated with a combination of Dabrafenib + Trametinib for the following conditions:

A) Metastatic Melanoma

B) Adjuvant Melanoma

C) BRAF mutated Lung Cancer

2) In the past 6 months, what was the number of patients treated with a combination of Encorafenib (Braftovi) + Binimetnib (Mektovi) for the following conditions:

A) Metastatic Melanoma

B) Colorectal Cancer

**Response**

1) In the past 6 months, what was the number of patients treated with a combination of Dabrafenib + Trametinib for the following conditions:

A) Metastatic Melanoma - **0**

B) Adjuvant Melanoma – **0**

C) BRAF mutated Lung Cancer – **0**

2) In the past 6 months, what was the number of patients treated with a combination of Encorafenib (Braftovi) + Binimetnib (Mektovi) for the following conditions:

A) Metastatic Melanoma - **< 5**

**The Trust does not publish numbers lower than 5 as this could lead to the identification of the person(s) involved and cause distress to families and friends. The number of patients treated with a combination of Encorafenib (Braftovi) and Binimetnib (Mektovi) for Metastatic Melanoma over the requested timeframe is less than 5, therefore Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act has been applied.**

B) Colorectal Cancer – 0

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

Yours sincerely

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