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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**

- Q1. Please provide the total number of patients treated in the last 6 months for:
- Polycythaemia Vera (ICD10 code D45)
  - Myelofibrosis (ICD10 code D47.4)
  - Myelofibrosis (ICD10 code D47.4) patients aged 65 and older
- Q2. How many patients were treated in the past 6 months (for any disease) with:
- Ruxolitinib
  - Fedratinib
  - Momelotinib
- Q3. How many patients were treated in the past 6 months for Myelofibrosis (ICD10 code D47.4) with:
- Ruxolitinib
  - Fedratinib
  - Momelotinib
- Q4. How many myelofibrosis (ICD10 code D47.4) patients has your trust diagnosed in the past 3 years?
- Of these patients, how many were treated in the past 6 months with Hydroxycarbamide?
  - Of these patients, how many were treated in the past 6 months with Interferon therapy?
  - Of these patients, how many have received no active treatment in the past 6 months?
- Q5. Does your trust participate in any clinical trials for the treatment of myelofibrosis? If so, can you please provide the name of each trial along with the number of patients taking part.

**Response**

**Q1. Please provide the total number of patients treated in the last 6 months for:**

Polycythaemia Vera (ICD10 code D45)	< 5
Myelofibrosis (ICD10 code D47.4)	13
Myelofibrosis (ICD1 code D47.4) patients aged 65 and older	13

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 in the last 6 months is less than 5, therefore Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act has been applied.

Q2. How many patients were treated in the past 6 months (for any disease) with:

Ruxolitnib	7
Fedratinib	< 5
Momelotinib	< 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 in the last 6 months is less than 5, therefore Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act has been applied.

Q3. How many patients were treated in the past 6 months for Myelofibrosis (ICD10 code D47.4) with:

Ruxolitnib	5
Fedratinib	< 5
Momelotinib	< 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 in the last 6 months is less than 5, therefore Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act has been applied.

Q4. How many myelofibrosis (ICD10 code D47.4) patients has your trust diagnosed in the past 3 years?

8 patients

- Of these patients, how many were treated in the past 6 months with Hydroxycarbamide? < 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 in the last 6 months is less than 5, therefore Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act has been applied.

- Of these patients, how many were treated in the past 6 months with Interferon therapy? 0 patients recorded
- Of these patients, how many have received no active treatment in the past 6 months? Not recorded in pharmacy systems

Q5. Does your trust participate in any clinical trials for the treatment of myelofibrosis? If so, can you please provide the name of each trial along with the number of patients taking part.

**The Trust does not participate in any clinical trials.**

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

Yours sincerely

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