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Dear

**Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000**

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

I have a freedom of information request regarding the treatment of renal cell carcinoma. Could you please answer the following questions:

Q1. How many patients have been treated in the past 3 months with the following agents for renal cell carcinoma (any stage):

- Avelumab + Axitinib 0
- Axinitib 2
- Cabozantinib 4
- Everolimus 1
- Lenvatinib + Everolimus 0
- Lenvatinib + Pembrolizumab 1
- Nivolumab monotherapy 2
- Nivolumab + Cabozantinib 1
- Nivolumab + Ipilimumab 0
- Pazopanib 2
- Pembrolizumab monotherapy 1
- Pembrolizumab + Axitinib 0
- Radiotherapy only Not recorded in cEPMA system
- Sunitinib 5
- Temsirolimus 0
- Tivozanib 1
- Other active systemic anti-cancer therapy 0
- Palliative care only Not recorded in cEPMA system

Q2. In the past three months, how many advanced renal cell carcinoma patients received the following first-line treatments:

- Avelumab + Axitinib (Bavencio + Inlyta) 0
- Cabozantinib (Cometriq) 4
- Nivolumab (Opdivo) 2
- Nivolumab + Cabozantinib (Opdivo + Cometriq) 0
- Nivolumab + Ipilimumab (Opdivo + Yervoy) 0
- Lenvatinib + Pembrolizumab + (Kisplyx + Keytruda) 5

Q3. In the last 3 months, how many patients have been initiated\* on the following agents for treatment for Renal Cell Carcinoma?

- Nivolumab (monotherapy) 0
- Nivolumab + Ipilimumab 0
- Nivolumab + Cabozantinib 0
- Avelumab + Axitinib 0
- Lenvatinib + Pembrolizumab + (Kisplyx + Keytruda) 0

\*Patients are considered initiated if they have not been treated in the previous 6 months with any of the drugs that are part of the named regimen.

Q4. In the last 3 months, how many patients have undergone full or partial nephrectomy (any of the following OPCS codes M02.1, M02.2, M02.3, M02.4, M02.5, M03.1, M03.9, M04.2, M10.1 or M10.4)?  
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If you require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

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