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**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 - Ref: FOI/012245**

With reference to your FOI request that was received in connection with 'Eczema/psoriasis patients' please see response below.

**Within your trust, how many patients are you currently treating for chronic eczema ?  
Of these how many for hand eczema ?**

**If you can provide the treatment, please split these eczema patients by their current drug treatment;**

**Acitretin  
Alitretinoin  
Tacrolimus  
Pimecrolimus  
PUVA - topical psoralen with UVA  
PUVA - oral psoralen with UVA  
Betamethasone dipropionate or valerate creams or ointments  
Betamethasone creams or ointments  
Fluocinonide creams or ointments  
Fluticasone propionate creams or ointments  
Mometasone furoate creams or ointments  
Diflucortolone valerate creams or ointments  
Clobetasol propionate creams or ointments  
Other**

**Does your trust treat Psoriasis patients with Fumaderm, if so, how many in the past year ?  
If you are unable to split the treatment by diagnosis, please provide the total by treatment from your pharmacy.**

The Trust does not clinically code Outpatient 'diagnosis' or 'treatments' it only clinically codes specific procedures undertaken.

Information would only be held in individual patient case notes.

The Trust's Pharmacy IT system does not have details of the indication for which a drug is prescribed , this information would be held in the individual patient case notes.