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**Address / Email:**

Dear

**Request Under Freedom of Information Act 2000**

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

**Request**

Q1. How many patients have been treated for any condition in the last 4 months with the following products?

- Botox
- Xeomin
- Dysport

Q2. How many patients have been treated for Spasmodic Torticollis (ICD-10 Code: G24.3) in the last 4 months with the following products?

- Botox
- Xeomin
- Dysport

Q3. How many patients have been treated for Neuromuscular dysfunction of bladder (ICD-10 Code N31) in the last 4 months with the following products?

- Botox
- Xeomin
- Dysport

Q4. How many patients have been treated for Disturbances of salivary secretion (ICD-10 Code K11.7) in the last 4 months with the following products?

- Botox
- Xeomin
- Dysport

Q5. How many patients have been treated for Clonic Hemifacial Spasm (ICD-10 Code; G51.3) in the last 4 months with the following products?

- Botox
- Xeomin
- Dysport

Q6. How many patients have been treated for Blepharospasm (G24.5) in the last 4 months with the following products?

- Botox
- Xeomin

Dysport

## Response

**Q1. In the 4 months, Jun24-Sep24, the following number of patients have been treated with the listed products:**

<i>Treatment</i>	<i>Issue Count</i>
<i>Botox</i>	151
<i>Xeomin</i>	<5
<i>Dysport</i>	0

As per NHS Digital rules the Trust does not publish numbers lower than 5 as this could lead to identification of the person(s) involved and cause distress to families and friends. The number of patients treated with the listed drugs is less than 5 therefore exemption Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act has been applied.

**Q2 - Q6:**

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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

**Freedom of Information Team**

**The Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust**