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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**

- The number of patients seen for any reason, within the latest 12 months of data available to the trust, with a recorded diagnosis of Myasthenia Gravis (ICD 10 code G70.0).
- Of these patients, the number treated within the last 12 months with:
  1. Plasma exchange (PLEX)
  2. Intravenous Immunoglobins (IVIG)
  3. Rituximab
  4. Efgartigimod

**Response**

1. The number of patients seen for any reason, within the latest 12 months of data available to the trust, with a recorded diagnosis of Myasthenia Gravis (ICD 10 code G70.0)

**40 patients have ICD10 diagnosis code of G70.0. Of those 7 had the diagnosis within the first position meaning it is their primary diagnosis for that spell.**

2. Of these patients, the number treated within the last 12 months with:
  - i. Plasma exchange (PLEX) - **0**
  - ii. Intravenous Immunoglobins (IVIG) - **0**
  - iii. Rituximab - **0**
  - iv. Efgartigimod - **0**

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

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