

Usage Of Medicines In Secondary Care

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Further to your Freedom of Information Act request, please find the Trust's response, in **blue bold text** below:

Royal Devon's Eastern FOI Office Response

(1) Drug Patient Level Contract Monitoring (DrPLCM) report

Data fields from the DrPLCM report, as specified in table 1 (below). Please do not send patient IDs or cost data, as I appreciate this would compromise data privacy and commercial sensitivity.

(2) SACT Cancer report

An extract from the chemotherapy ePMA system showing patients treated by drug and diagnosis, as specified in table 2 (below).

Please email your response by reply with the data in .csv format
Please include the following data fields in each of these data extracts:

(1) Table 1 - Drug Patient Level Contract Monitoring (DrPLCM) report

Please select all DrPLCM records between *Apr 2021 to March 2022* for all hospitals in your NHS Trust.

Field Number	Name of "Data Element" from NHS Data Model and Dictionary for DrPLCM
1	FINANCIAL MONTH
2	FINANCIAL YEAR
5	ORGANISATION IDENTIFIER (CODE OF PROVIDER)
6	ORGANISATION SITE IDENTIFIER (OF TREATMENT)
9	ORGANISATION IDENTIFIER (CODE OF COMMISSIONER)
19	ACTIVITY TREATMENT FUNCTION CODE
22	CLINICAL INTERVENTION DATE (DRUG DISPENSED)
23	THERAPEUTIC INDICATION CODE (SNOMED CT, OR ICD-10, OR TEXT DESCRIPTION)
24	HIGH-COST TARIFF EXCLUDED DRUG CODE (SNOMED CT DM+D)
25	DM+D TAXONOMY CODE (HIGH-COST TARIFF EXCLUDED DRUG)
26	DRUG NAME (HIGH-COST TARIFF EXCLUDED DRUG)
27	ROUTE OF ADMINISTRATION (SNOMED CT DM+D)
28	DRUG STRENGTH (HIGH-COST TARIFF EXCLUDED DRUG)
29	DRUG VOLUME (HIGH-COST TARIFF EXCLUDED DRUG)
30	DRUG PACK SIZE (HIGH-COST TARIFF EXCLUDED DRUG)
31	DRUG QUANTITY OR WEIGHT PROPORTION (HIGH-COST TARIFF EXCLUDED DRUG)

32	UNIT OF MEASUREMENT (SNOMED CT DM+D)
33	DISPENSING ROUTE (HIGH-COST TARIFF EXCLUDED DRUG)
34	PROVIDER REFERENCE NUMBER
35	COMMISSIONED SERVICE CATEGORY CODE
36	SPECIALISED SERVICE CODE
37	NATIONAL CANCER DRUGS FORM CODE
46	CONTRACT MONITORING ADDITIONAL DETAIL (FIRST)
47	CONTRACT MONITORING ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTION (FIRST)

(2) Table 2 - SACT Cancer report

Please select data records from the chemotherapy ePMA system between Oct 2021 and Mar 2022, for all solid tumour or haematological malignancies (ICD-10 primary diagnosis codes = C* or D*).

Field number	Data Field from NHS Data Model and Dictionary for SACT
10	ORGANISATION IDENTIFIER (CODE OF PROVIDER)
11	PRIMARY DIAGNOSIS (tumour type)
12	PRIMARY DIAGNOSIS CODE (SNOMED CT OR ICD-10 3 or 4 digit)
13	ADJUNCTIVE THERAPY TYPE
	TNM STAGE
14	SACT TREATMENT INTENT
15	SACT DRUG REGIMEN ACRONYM
	DRUG REGIMEN DESCRIPTION
	NUMBER OF PLANNED CYCLES
22	CLINICAL TRIAL INDICATOR
27	SACT DRUG NAME
28	SACT DRUG SNOMED CT DM+D
29	SACT ACTUAL DOSE
30	SACT UNIT OF MEASUREMENT
35	SACT THERAPY ADMINISTRATION DATE
	ADMINISTRATION MONTH
	ADMINISTRATION YEAR
	LINE OF THERAPY
36	ORGANISATION IDENTIFIER (OF SACT THERAPY ADMINISTRATION)
	NUMBER OF PATIENT RECORDS

To provide you with the information requested under your questions (above) would require the manual extraction and manipulation of information from various sources which would exceed the appropriate cost limit as set out in Section 12 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and is therefore exempt. In addition to the above, the data for this request would contain high levels of personal data which would require multiple redactions, again, exceeding the appropriate cost limit.

12. — (1) Section 1(1) does not oblige a public authority to comply with a request for information if the authority estimates that the cost of complying with the request would exceed the appropriate limit. The appropriate limit of £450 represents the estimated cost of one person spending two and a half days This would entail Trust staff:-

- **Determining whether the information is held.**
- **Locating the information, or a document containing it.**
- **Retrieving the information, or a document containing it.**
- **Extracting the information from a document containing it**