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Freedom of Information Act 2000

I am writing in response to your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 in relation to dispensed drugs.

You asked:

1. Can I ask although the Trust is not commissioned to provide Dermatology services would it be possible to provide data for the number of drugs dispensed regardless of indication / condition in the last three months?

Drug Name

Acitretin

Alitretinoin

Pimecrolimus

Tacrolimus

Dupixent (Dupilumab)

Phototherapy including with ultraviolet (UVB) radiation or psoralen ultraviolet A (PUVA)

Potent Topical Corticosteroids (creams or ointments) total

Amcinonide 0.05% (Cyclocort)

Betamethasone dipropionate 0.05% (Diprosone)

Betamethasone valerate

Clobetasol proionate

Desoximetasone 0.25% (Topicort)

Diflucortolone valerate

Fluocinonide 0.05% (Lidex)

Fluticasone propionate 0.005% (Cutivate)

Halcinonide 0.05% (Halog)

Mometasone furoate 0.1% (Elocon ointment)

Triamcinalone acetonide 0.5% (Kenalog, Aristocrt cream)

Betamethasone dipropionate 0.25% (Diprolene)

Clobetasol dipropionate 0.05% (Temovate)

Diflorasone diacetate 0.05% (Psorcon)

Halbetasol propionate 0.05% (Ultravate)

Immunospressive therapies total

Azathioprine

Ciclosporin

Methotrexate

2. The number of drugs dispensed regardless of indication / condition in the past 3 months?

Drug Name

Etanercept

Infliximab

Adalimumab

Ustekinumab

Trust response:

A transaction indicates one dispensing, e.g. an event which would generate a prescription charge.

Drug	Total Transactions Aug-Oct 2018
Acitretin	2
Azathioprine	71
Ciclosporin	34
Methotrexate	840
Mometasone	30
Tacrolimus	41
Triamcinolone	3

Potent Topical Corticosteroids (creams or ointments)	
Drug	Total Transactions Aug-Oct 2018
Beclometasone	1
Betamethasone	69
Betamethasone and antibiotics	10
Betamethasone and antiseptics	3
Clobetasol	32
Clobetasone	14
Hydrocortisone	82
Hydrocortisone and antibiotics	22
Hydrocortisone butyrate	1
Miconazole, combinations	13
Mometasone	5
Triamcinolone and antibiotics	3
Immunosuppressive Therapies	
Drug	Total Transactions Aug-Oct 2018
Abatacept	97
Adalimumab	626
Azathioprine	71

Ciclosporin	25
Infliximab	437
Leflunomide	7
Lenalidomide	98
Methotrexate	838
Mycophenolic acid	70
Pomalidomide	10
Tacrolimus	41
Thalidomide	15
Tocilizumab	394
Ustekinumab	22
Vedolizumab	21

Drug	Total Transactions Aug-Oct 2018
Adalimumab	626
Etanercept	402
Ustekinumab	22
Infliximab	437