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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 prescriptions issued.

You asked:

1. The number of prescriptions issued within the Trust, per month, for the period November 2018 - September 2019, for the following items: a. Sativex;

a. Sativex,

b. Nabilone;

c. Epidiolex/Epydiolex;

d. Unlicensed cannabis-based products for medicinal use (CBPMs).

2. Total costs to the Trust associated with prescriptions of unlicensed

cannabis-based products for medicinal use over the same time period.

Trust response:

1.

a. Sativex; prescription dispensed in each of the following months: Jan 19, Feb 19, Apr 19, Jul 19, Sep 19, Dec 19.

- b. Nabilone; 1 in Nov 18 (from epact data)
- c. Epidiolex/Epydiolex; 0
- d. Unlicensed cannabis-based products for medicinal use (CBPMs). 0
- 2. Zero