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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 Ophthalmology injectors.

*You asked:*

- 1. Within your trust how many trained and active staff do you have that can administer the anti-VEGF injection [Ranibizumab, Bevacizumab or Aflibercept]?*
- 2. Within your trust how many intra-vitreous injections/implants have been used in the latest 4 months, if possible between September to December 2019. If your trust is able to identify injections/implants by eye conditions please split by the drug used [Ranibizumab, bevacizumab, Aflibercept, Fluocinolone and Dexamethasone]. If you are unable to split by condition then please just indicate the number of times a drug has been used (regardless of condition)*

Trust response:

### Wet Age Related Macular Degeneration (wAMD)

Ranibizumab	773
Bevacizumab	1
Aflibercept	1453
Fluocinolone	0
Dexamethasone	0

### Diabetic Macular Oedema (DMO)

Ranibizumab	333
Bevacizumab	39
Aflibercept	285

Fluocinolone 0  
Dexamethasone 27

Retinal Vein Occlusion - Central or Branch (CRVO or BRVO)

Ranibizumab 310  
Bevacizumab 3  
Aflibercept 173  
Fluocinolone 0  
Dexamethasone 13

Other e.g. mCNV

Ranibizumab 0  
Bevacizumab 16  
Aflibercept 0  
Fluocinolone 0  
Dexamethasone 13