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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 Iron Infusion and Iron Extravasation.

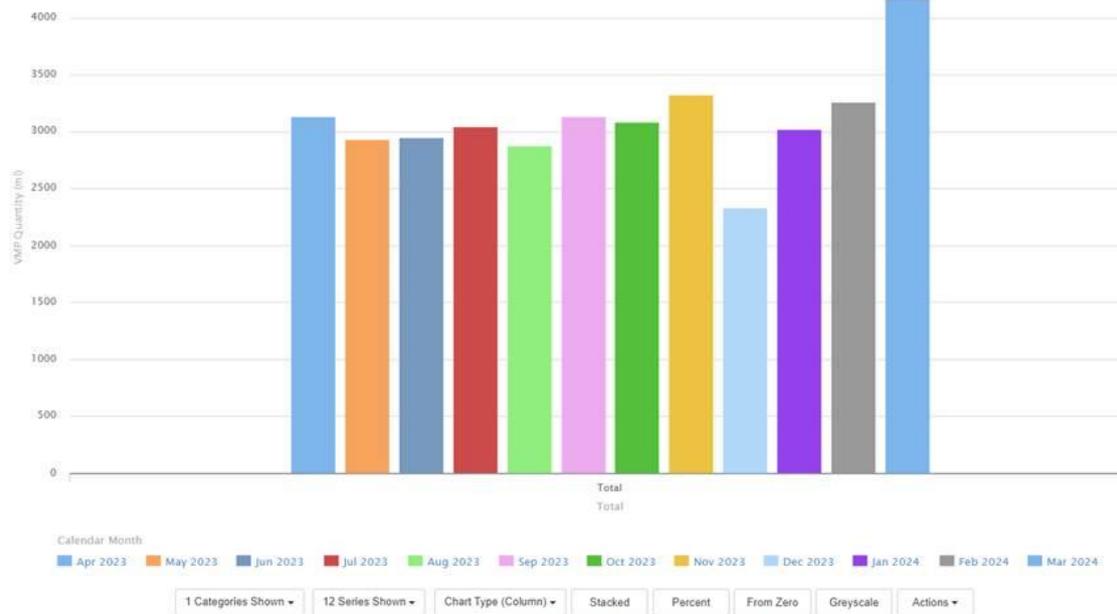
*You asked: All questions are shown as received by the Trust.*

- 1. How many iron extravasations have been reported within your organisation, if possible, could I have a 5- or 10-year breakdown?*
- 2. Do you know how often IV iron is given, prescribed and used within the organisation?*
- 3. Are patients given any information leaflets/documents prior to infusion? May I have a copy?*
- 4. Do you have an iron infusion policy - May I kindly have a copy?*

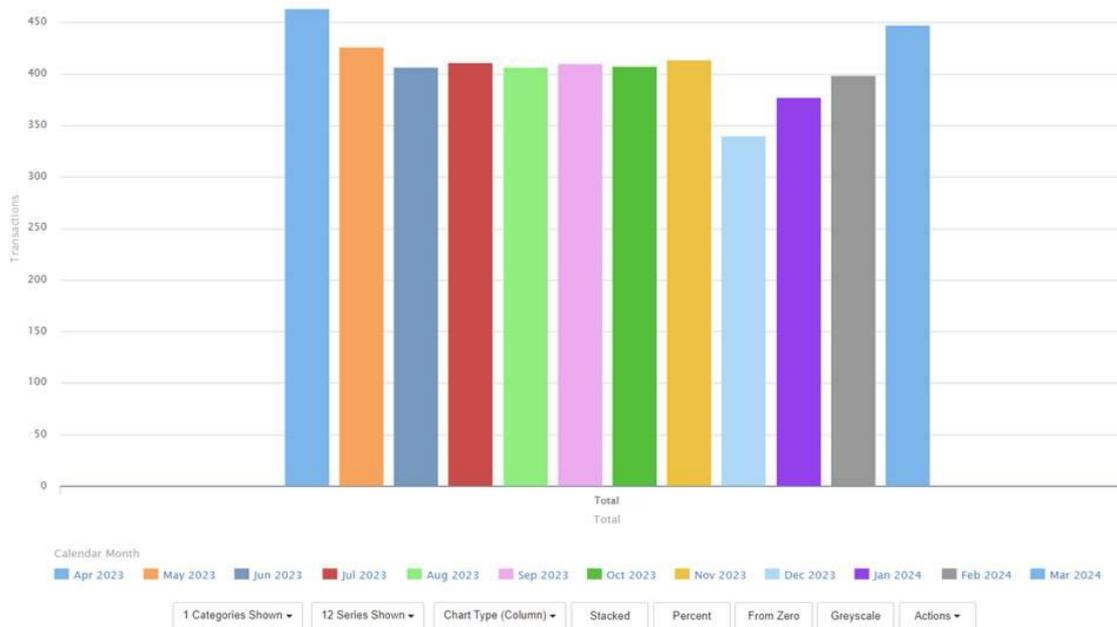
Trust response:

Q1. In the last five years there have been two reports, one in 2022 and one in 2023.

Q2. Very regularly – We have 12 months of data for the number of ml for all iv iron. Please see below:



The following table is the number of transactions – i.e. the number of times it was issued:



Q3. The leaflets that are given to patients at the time of the infusion have been attached to this email.

Q4. A copy of the clinical guideline and prescription chart is attached to this email.