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Dear ,

INFORMATION REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000

We are now pleased to respond to your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

You asked:

1. Does your trust run a dedicated Gastroenterology infusion clinic for the treatment of patients with Infliximab [or Vedolizumab] If Yes, how frequently are they run ?

Patients attend any day of the week, the day is dependent upon when the patient is available for the 1st infusion as the treatment plan is week 0, week 2, week 6 and then every six or eight weeks thereafter.

2. Could you please provide me with the following numbers of patients treated in the last six months with the following drugs for the conditions listed below. 1st of June to 30th of November.

	Rheumatology [Rheumatoid Arthritis, Ankylosing Spondylitis and Psoriatic Arthritis]	Dermatology [Psoriasis]	Hidradenitis suppurativa (sometimes known as acne inversa) L73.2	Gastroenterology [Crohns / Ulcerative Colitis]
Abatacept (Orencia)				
Adalimumab (Humira)				
Apremilast (Otezla)				
Certolizumab Pegol (Cimzia)				
Etanercept (Enbrel)				
Golimumab (Simponi)				
Infliximab (Remicade)				133
Infliximab biosimilar (Inflectra)				1 (Nov)
Infliximab biosimilar (Remsima)				
Rituximab (MabThera)				
Secukinumab (Cosentyx)				
Tocilizumab (RoActemra)				
Tofacitinib [Xeljanz]				

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Ustekinumab (Stelara)				
Vedolizumab (Entyvio)				21

I hope you find this information useful, however if you are not entirely satisfied with this response please do not hesitate to contact the Information Governance Department on 01257 488271. If we do not hear from you within 28 days we will assume that we have been able to accommodate your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Yours sincerely,



Andrew Foster

Chief Executive

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