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Ref: CORP 2023 - 039

Dear \*\*\*\*\*

**Freedom of Information request – Number of Commercial Trials that have taken place across the Trust in 2022: CORP 2023 - 039**

Thank you for your request for the following information which we received on 1<sup>st</sup> March 2023

Your Request –

*I am trying to understand the level of clinical trials activity that is taking place in the UK. Specifically can you tell me how many commercial clinical trials have been taking place in this health board during the calendar year of 2022?*

*This could be completed trials, or trials that are ongoing. When I say “commercial trials”, I mean trials that are funded or sponsored by a commercial company such as a pharmaceutical company.*

The Trust's response:

The Trust has reviewed your request which is correctly formatted and complies with Section 8 of the Freedom of Information Act.

The Information you have requested is below:

- There are currently thirty-five commercial trials open to recruitment
- There are thirty-seven commercial trials that are closed to recruitment, but with patients still on active treatment/in follow up
- There are eleven studies in active setup

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I trust this answers your request for information, however, should you not be satisfied with the information supplied or the process of supplying it, you have a right to complain and request a review.

You should forward your complaint to:-

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Yours sincerely,

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