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Date: 15th July 2024
Ref: CORP 2024 - 130

Dear xxx

Freedom of Information request: Treatment regimens (CORP 2024 – 130)

Thank you for your request for information which the Trust received on 3rd June 2024.

Your Request:

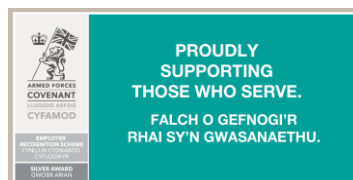
- 1) *Please provide the total number of patients treated in the last 6 months for:*
 - a. *Polycythaemia Vera (ICD10 code D45)*
 - b. *Myelofibrosis (ICD10 code D47.4)*
 - c. *Myelofibrosis (ICD10 code D47.4) patients aged 65 and older*
- 2) *How many patients were treated in the past 6 months (for any disease) with:*
 - a. *Ruxolitinib*
 - b. *Fedratinib*
 - c. *Momelotinib*
- 3) *How many patients were treated in the past 6 months for Myelofibrosis (ICD10 code D47.4) with:*
 - a. *Ruxolitinib*
 - b. *Fedratinib*
 - c. *Momelotinib*
- 4) *How many myelofibrosis (ICD10 code D47.4) patients has your trust diagnosed in the past 3 years?*
 - a. *Of these patients, how many were treated in the past 6 months with Hydroxycarbamide?*
 - b. *Of these patients, how many were treated in the past 6 months with Interferon therapy?*
 - c. *Of these patients, how many have received no active treatment in the past 6 months?*
- 5) *Does your trust participate in any clinical trials for the treatment of myelofibrosis? If so, can you please provide the name of each trial along with the number of patients taking part.*

Please find the Trust's response below:

The Trust notes that the information requested is the same as a previous request, to which a response was sent to you on 25th March 2024. As such, the Trust is applying a Qualified Exemption under Section 14(2) of the Freedom of Information Act, which states:

- (2) *Where a public authority has previously complied with a request for information which was made by any person, it is not obliged to comply with a subsequent identical or substantially similar request from that person unless a reasonable interval has elapsed between compliance with the previous request and the making of the current request.*

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The application of a Qualified Exemption under Section 14(2) is because a reasonable interval has not elapsed since the last time identical information was provided to you. The Trust suggests that you may wish to revise your periodicity of requests so that a reasonable interval has elapsed to enable the Trust to provide information to you whilst be mindful of its resources in providing such information - we recommend 9-12 months.

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. Please note that you must submit a request for a review within 40 days of the date of this letter.

You should forward your complaint to:

Mr Ian Bevan via FOI.VUNHST@wales.nhs.uk
Head of Information Governance
Velindre University NHS Trust
2, Charnwood Court
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Should you wish to take your complaint further, if you are still unhappy with the decision after review, you can contact the:

Information Commissioner's Office - Wales
2nd Floor
Churchill House
Churchill Way
Cardiff, CF10 2HH
Telephone: 0330 414 6421 / email: wales@ico.org.uk

Yours sincerely

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