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Ref: CORP 2024 - 121

Dear xxx

## **Freedom of Information request: Treatment of Renal Cell Carcinoma (CORP 2024 – 121)**

Thank you for your request for information which the Trust received on 13<sup>th</sup> June 2024.

Your Request:

**Q1.** *How many patients have been treated in the past 3 months with the following agents for renal cell carcinoma (any stage) :*

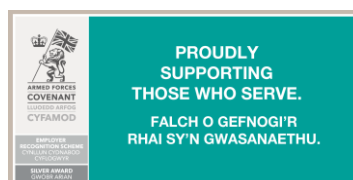
- *Avelumab + Axitinib*
- *Axinitib*
- *Cabozantinib*
- *Everolimus*
- *Lenvatinib + Everolimus*
- *Lenvatinib + Pembrolizumab*
- *Nivolumab monotherapy*
- *Nivolumab + Cabozantinib*
- *Nivolumab + Ipilimumab*
- *Pazopanib*
- *Pembrolizumab monotherapy*
- *Pembrolizumab + Axitinib*
- *Radiotherapy only*
- *Sunitinib*
- *Temsirolimus*
- *Tivozanib*
- *Other active systemic anti-cancer therapy*
- *Palliative care only*

**Q2.** *In the last 3 months, how many patients have undergone full or partial nephrectomy (any of the following OPCS codes M02.1, M02.2, M02.3, M02.4, M02.5, M03.1, M03.9, M04.2, M10.1 or M10.4)?*

**Q3.** *Does your trust participate in any clinical trials for the treatment of renal cell carcinoma? If so please provide the name of each trial and number of patients that are taking part?*

Please find the Trust's response below:

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There have been 98 renal cell carcinoma patients treated with the above. This is the number of unique patients treated, some may have received more than one of these drugs/treatments.

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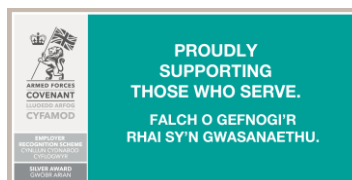
Velindre University NHS Trust is a nationally recognised specialist centre of excellence for the provision of non-surgical oncology, therefore data regarding patients that have undergone the above procedure is not held.

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The Trust participates in the below clinical trials:

- MITRE – total participants recruited: **14**
- Renal Refine – total participants recruited: **<6**
- TransRAMPART – total participants recruited: **0**

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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. 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:

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Yours sincerely

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