

Dear xxx

**Freedom of Information request: Usage of Medicines in Secondary Care (CORP 25/26 – 077)**

Thank you for your request for information which the Trust received on 8<sup>th</sup> July 2025.

Your Request:

**1. SACT Cancer report**

*An extract of records from the chemotherapy ePMA system dated between 1<sup>st</sup> May 2025 and 30<sup>th</sup> June 2025, or to the latest date for which data is available, for all solid tumour and haematology malignancies (ICD-10 primary diagnosis codes C\* and D\*)*

Source: NHS Digital, NHS Data Model and Dictionary, Systemic Anti-cancer Therapy Data Set [https://www.datadictionary.nhs.uk/data\\_sets/clinical\\_data\\_sets/systemic\\_anti-cancer\\_therapy\\_data\\_set.html](https://www.datadictionary.nhs.uk/data_sets/clinical_data_sets/systemic_anti-cancer_therapy_data_set.html)

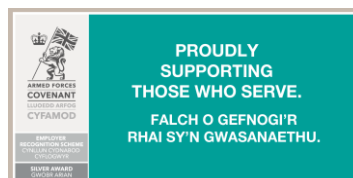
Organisation code (code of provider)
Organisation identifier (of SACT administration)
Primary diagnosis (ICD-10 3rd or 4th digit)
Regimen treatment intent
Drug Regimen
Clinical trial indicator
Drug name
Actual dose
Unit of measure
Route of administration
Cycle number
SACT administration date

Please find the Trust's response below:

As warned in our previous response to you, the Trust is applying an exemption under Section 14(2) Freedom of Information Act 2000 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 Trust received the same request from you every few months, therefore 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 recommends revising the frequency 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.

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](mailto:FOI.VUNHST@wales.nhs.uk)  
Head of Information Governance  
Velindre University NHS Trust  
2, Charnwood Court  
Heol Billingsley  
Parc Nantgarw  
Cardiff  
CF15 7QZ

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](mailto:wales@ico.org.uk)

Yours sincerely

**Non Gwilym**  
**Interim Director of Corporate Governance**  
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