

FOI REF: 23/541

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## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT

I am responding to your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act. The answers to your specific questions are as follows:

I am analysing the usage of new biologic and targeted medications within dermatology and respiratory medicine. Could you please answer the following questions:

1) How many patients were treated in July 2023 (or latest available month) by the Dermatology department with the following drugs:

•	Abrocitinib (Cibinqo)	0
•	Baricitinib (Olumiant)	0
•	Dupilumab (Dupixent)	45
•	Omalizumab (Xolair)	9
•	Tralokinumab (Adtralza)	4
•	Upadacitinib (Rinvoq)	0

2) How many patients were treated in July 2023 (or latest available month) by the Respiratory Medicine department with the following drugs:

•	Benralizumab (Fasenra)	0
•	Dupilumab (Dupixent)	0
•	Mepolizumab (Nucala)	0
•	Omalizumab (Xolair)	0
•	Reslizumab (Cinqaero)	0
•	Tezepelumab (Tezspire)	0

If I can be of any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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Yours sincerely

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