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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:

1. How many patients were treated in the last 4 months (August to November 2023) by the dermatology department with each of the following products:

•	Abrocitinib	0
•	Acitretin	4
•	Alitretinoin	0
•	Azathioprine	0
•	Baricitinib	0
•	Ciclosporin	0
•	Dupilumab	89
•	Methotrexate	2
•	Mycophenolate mofetil	0
•	Pimecrolimus	0
•	Phototherapy (UVB or PUVA) - for At	opic Dermatitis only
	Phototherapy in total	50
	Phototherapy for Dermatitis	0
•	Tacrolimus ointment	0
•	Tralokinumab	7
•	Upadacitinib	0

2. Of the patients treated in the last 4 months with any of the products listed in question 1, please provide the number of patients by the following age group:

•	Age 6-11	0
•	Age 12-17	0
•	Age 18 and above	102

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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