

FOI REF: 24/081 Eastbourne District General Hospital

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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:

Time Frame: October 2022 - September 2023:

1) How many total generalized Myasthenia Gravis patients were treated in the hospitals (Inpatient & Outpatient)?

Please see the table below for the number of admissions with Generalised Myasthenia Gravis.

Please note that diagnosis codes do not drill down to Outpatient clinics.

Number of Admissions		Secondary Diagnosis	
165	75		90

- 2) How much volume in mg was used for the following therapies:
 - i) Immunosuppressants:

a)	Azathioprine	11,900mg
b)	Methotrexate	0
c)	Mycophenolate mofetil	239,000mg

ii) Anti-CD20 - Rituximab:

a) MabThera 0

b) Rituximab Biosimilars 0

iii)	Anti-FcRn:
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a) Vyvgart (Efgartigimod) 0

iv) Complement Inhibitors:

a) Soliris (Eculizumab) 0

b) Ultomiris (Ravulizumab) 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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