

FOI REF: 24/021

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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 has your trust/health board treated in the past 6 months (for any disease) with the following drugs:

• Aubagio (teriflunomide)	33
• Avonex (interferon beta-1a)	14
• Betaferon (interferon beta-1b)	1
• Brabio (glatiramer acetate)	0
• Copaxone (glatiramer acetate)	28
• Extavia (beta interferon-1b)	1
• Gilenya (fingolimod)	0
• Lemtrada (alemtuzumab)	0
• Kesimpta (ofatumumab)	0
• Mavenclad (cladribine)	0
• Mayzent (siponimod)	0
• Ocrevus (ocrelizumab)	0
• Plegridy (peginterferon beta-1a)	3
• Ponvory (ponesimod)	0
• Rebif (beta interferon-1a)	14
• Tecfidera (dimethyl fumarate)	48
• Tysabri (natalizumab)	0
• Tysabri (natalizumab) pre-filled syringes ONLY	0
• Vumerity (diroximel fumarate)	0
• Zeposia (ozanimod)	0

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2) How many patients are registered with your trust/health board for the following conditions:

- **Multiple sclerosis (any type)** 101
- **Relapsing remitting multiple sclerosis (RRMS)** 531
- **Primary progressive multiple sclerosis (PPMS)** 89
- **Secondary progressive multiple sclerosis (SPMS)** 272

As of 1st February 2024.

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

Should you be dissatisfied with the Trust's response to your request, you have the right to request an internal review. Please write to the Freedom of Information Department (esh-tr.foi@nhs.net), quoting the above reference, within 40 working days. The Trust is not obliged to accept an internal review after this date.

Should you still be dissatisfied with your FOI request, you have the right of complaint to the Information Commissioner at the following address:

The Information Commissioner's Office
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Yours sincerely

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