

FOI REF: 24/111

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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 have been treated with the following drugs in the past 4 months:

- **Atogepant (Aquipta) – any disease** 0
- **Erenumab (Aimovig) – any disease** 20
- **Eptinezumab (Vyepi) – any disease** 28
- **Fremanezumab (Ajovy) – any disease** 9
- **Galcanzumab (Emgality) – any disease** 77
- **Rimegepant (Vydura) – any disease** 2
- **Botulinum Toxin (i.e., Botox, Dysport, Xeomin) – migraine ONLY** 1

2) How many patients have you treated in the last 4 months for chronic migraine (15+ headache days per month) and episodic migraine (4-15 headache days per month) with the following drugs:

Drugs	Chronic Migraine (15+ headache days per month)	Episodic Migraine (4-15 headache days per month)
Atogepant	0	0
Erenumab	14	4
Eptinezumab	29	10
Fremanezumab	7	2
Galcanzumab	44	27
Rimegepant	3	8
Botulinum Toxin	101	0

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3) Does the trust actively initiate a treatment pause (usually at 12 months) of anti-CGRP (calcitonin gene-related peptide inhibitors) migraine treatment with the aim to re-start treatment if the patient continues to fit the criteria (Yes/No)?

No.

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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