

FOI REF: 25/098

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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 would like to request the following information:

- 1) **The number of patients with generalised Myasthenia Gravis (gMG) treated in each month for October, November, and December 2024.**

Please see the table below for the number of admissions with a diagnosis of Myasthenia Gravis, during the period requested:

Month	Number of Admissions
October	10
November	12
December	14

- 2) **The volume of medication dispensed and/or consumed in each month for October, November, and December 2024 for each of the products below for gMG patients.**

If it is more convenient to specify the number of vials, pre-filled syringes, or tables, that would also be very helpful.

a) Steroids

October 24	84 Tablets
November 24	0
December 24	56 tablets & 2 inhalers

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b) Acetylcholinesterase Inhibitors (ACHEis)

October 24	0
November 24	0
December 24	0

c) Immunosuppressants

October 24	200 tablets
November 24	0
December 24	50 tablets

d) Anti-CD20 (Rituximab)

October 24	0
November 24	0
December 24	0

e) Immunoglobulins

October 24	0
November 24	0
December 24	6 bottles

f) Anti-FcRn

October 24	0
November 24	0
December 24	0

g) Complement Inhibitors

October 24	0
November 24	0
December 24	0

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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