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I am responding to your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act. The answers to your specific questions are as follows:

- 1) **For the 4 months from May to August 2025, how many unique* patients received the following intra-vitreous treatments for any eye condition:**

	May 2025	June 2025	July 2025	August 2025
Aflibercept	456	446	473	398
Bevacizumab	11	18	18	16
Brolucizumab (Not used by the Trust's Ophthalmology department)	0	0	0	0
Dexamethasone	7	19	13	10
Faricimab	544	553	601	564
Ranibizumab	35	24	29	23

***Please count a patient only once for any treatment, regardless of how many injections or implants they may have received.**

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- 2) For the patients above, how many were new to intra-vitreous treatment? Please provide the patient numbers by the treatments listed below, excluding patients who previously had received any of these treatments.

	May 2025	June 2025	July 2025	August 2025
Aflibercept	174	123	84	48
Bevacizumab	3	3	4	7
Brolucizumab (Not used by the Trust's Ophthalmology department)	0	0	0	0
Dexamethasone	3	2	3	6
Faricimab	50	81	63	65
Ranibizumab – Lucentis	1	0	0	0
Ranibizumab Biosimilar	0	3	0	2

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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