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Further to your recent request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) 2000, I now set out our answers to your specific questions, and any clarifications sought and provided, as follows:

1. How many patients were treated in the last 3 months by the Gastroenterology department (for any medical condition) with the following biologic drugs:

• Adalimumab – Humira	6
• Adalimumab Biosimilar	271
• Etrasimod	0
• Filgotinib	13
• Golimumab – Simponi	1
• Golimumab Biosimilar	1
• Infliximab – Remicade	4
• Infliximab Biosimilar	131
• Mirikizumab	14
• Ozanimod	2
• Risankizumab	35
• Tofacitinib	4
• Upadacitinib	74
• Ustekinumab – Stelara	4
• Ustekinumab Biosimilar	206
• Vedolizumab	130
• Guselkumab	34

2. If you are able to link patient treatment to a disease, could you please provide the number of patients treated in the last 3 months for Ulcerative Colitis ONLY with the following biologic drugs:

• Adalimumab – Humira	1
• Adalimumab Biosimilar	91
• Etrasimod	0
• Filgotinib	13
• Golimumab – Simponi	1
• Golimumab Biosimilar	0
• Infliximab – Remicade	0
• Infliximab Biosimilar	54
• Mirikizumab	13
• Ozanimod	2

• Risankizumab	0
• Tofacitinib	4
• Upadacitinib	30
• Ustekinumab – Stelara	0
• Ustekinumab Biosimilar	47
• Vedolizumab	78
• Guselkumab	5

I trust this information is helpful in its detail or explanation however, if you are dissatisfied with the response, then you have the right to request an internal review. If you wish to seek an internal review, please write to the Freedom of Information Team at esh-tr.foi@nhs.net quoting the above FOI reference number, within 40 working days. Please note the Trust is not obliged to accept a request for an internal review after this time period.

Yours faithfully

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