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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:

A. How many total patients and new patients* have been treated with the following drugs in the past 4 months (June to September 2026):

	Total Patients	New Patients*
Atogepant	34	34
Erenumab	76	12
Eptinezumab	67	11
Fremanezumab	10	2
Galcanezumab	110	16
Rimegepant	19	19
Botulinum Toxin (i.e., Botox, Dysport, Xeomin) - migraine ONLY	205	14

* New patients are defined as patients who were not treated with any of the above drugs in the previous 4-month period (February to May 2026).

B. How many patients have you treated in the last 4 months (June to September 2026) for chronic migraine (15+ headache days per month) and episodic migraine (4-15 headache days per month) with the following drugs:

	Chronic Migraine (15+ headache days/month)	Episodic Migraine (4-15 headache days per month)
Atogepant	Data not collected	Data not collected
Erenumab	47	29
Eptinezumab	53	14
Fremanezumab	3	7
Galcanezumab	69	41
Rimegepant	Data not collected	Data not collected
Botulinum Toxin	205	0

Please note that East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust no longer holds data on gepants. Once patients are stable on gepants they are discharge to their GP.

C. How many patients have you treated in the last 4 months (June to September 2026) for ACUTE migraine with:

- **Rimegepant (Vydura)** 12
- **Atogepant (AQUIPTA)** 7

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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