

FOI 3160

24th June 2025

**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 – INFORMATION REQUEST**

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**Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 I would like to request an extract of the hospital medicines usage data held by Southern HSC Trust, detailing the volume of drugs dispensed by hospital pharmacies and homecare, at an individual product level. Please note that this request is for aggregated medicines usage data, and explicitly does not require any patient-level or patient-identifiable data.**

**Please could you provide a report containing data against the following fields, in .csv format, for each month, covering the most recent available data month and all previous months if possible back to October 2023 to Present (in line with the data published by NHS BSA on behalf of NHS England). Please include records for all dispensed products. England reports products at SNOMED VPID level, however a lower level of drug code is preferred if available in the following order of preference: APPID, APID, VPPID, VPID.**

**Fields requested:**

**Dispensing Date (YearMonth)  
HSC Trust identifier  
Hospital site identifier (if avail)  
Drug code  
Drug name  
Volume dispensed  
Volume Unit of measurement  
Indicative cost (if available)**

**Response:**

Please see attached document for response.

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