

FOI 3573

11th March 2026

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 – INFORMATION REQUEST

I would like to submit an FOI request for the amount of human albumin in grams purchased by the Southern Trust in 2024 and 2025 (the entire calendar year),

- a. broken down by manufacturer (Bio Products Laboratory, Grifols, Biotest, CSL Behring, Octapharma, Takeda),
- b. by concentration (4.5%, 5%, 20%) and
- c. by service ordering albumin (ICU, Liver unit, etc.) Many thanks for considering my request.

Response:

Our system does not classify on the same numbers of parameters that BSO (Business Services Organisation) does.

Please see below the raw data for source. Numbers of vial supplied are not listed in the BSO raw data but are totalled below.

To year end 2025 from April 2025

CAH	BLOOD BANK	HBB	ALBUMIN 20%	699
CAH	BLOOD BANK	HBB	ALBUMIN 5% 500ML	107
DHH	BLOOD BANK	HBB	ALBUMIN 20%	77

Jan 2024

CAH	BLOOD BANK	HBB	ALBUMIN 20%	1082
CAH	BLOOD BANK	HBB	ALBUMIN 20% ALBUNORM 100ML	34
CAH	BLOOD BANK	HBB	ALBUMIN 20% ALBUREX 100ML	366
CAH	BLOOD BANK	HBB	ALBUMIN 5% 400MLS	1
CAH	BLOOD BANK	HBB	ALBUMIN 5% 500ML	71

CAH	BLOOD BANK	HBB	ALBUMIN 5% ALBUNORM 500ML	6
CAH	BLOOD BANK	HBB	ALBUMIN 5% ALBUREX 500ML	81
DHH	BLOOD BANK	HBB	ALBUMIN 20%	130
DHH	BLOOD BANK	HBB	ALBUMIN 20% ALBUREX 100ML	14

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