

FOI 3769

2nd June 2026

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 – INFORMATION REQUEST

Q1. How many patients were treated in total, regardless of diagnosis, with the following medicines in the 3 months between the start of January 2026 and the end of March 2026, or latest 3-month period available?

Response:

Name of medicine	Number patients treated
1.1 Abemaciclib (Verzenios)	35
1.2 Alpelisib (Piqray)	0
1.3 Elacestrant (Orserdu)	0
1.4 Fulvestrant (fulvestrant or Faslodex)	*Information not centrally held
1.5 Inavolisib (Inaqovi)	0
1.6 Palbociclib (Ibrance)	33
1.7 Ribociclib (Kisqali)	22
1.8 Capivasertib (Truqap)	<5
1.9 Talazoparib (Talzenna)	0
1.10 Olaparib (Lynparza)	<5

The Trust has a legal duty to protect patient confidentiality and, in line with this duty, the figure <5 has been provided where figures are very low. This is because of the potential risk of identification of an individual. In reaching this decision the Trust has taken into account the small geographical area which the Trust serves and the sensitivity of the information requested. In addition the Trust has taken into account the fact that all information disclosed in response to an FOI is disclosed to the 'world at large' and is published on the Trust website.

S 40 (2) (third party information) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 has been applied to exempt the exact figures from disclosure. The Trust does not consider the disclosure of the information to be fair to the individuals concerned as there is the potential risk of identification of an individual(s) which they would not expect, and which

would therefore breach the fairness element of the first principle of the Data Protection Act 2018

*This information is not recorded centrally and therefore retrieving it would involve a manual search of individual patient records. As such we cannot provide this information as the cost of locating and retrieving the information exceeds the “appropriate limit” as stated in the Freedom of Information (Fees and Appropriate Limit) Regulations 2004. In order to obtain this information from a large number of individual patient records would exceed the £450 limit and is therefore cost prohibitive.

Under section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, Public Authorities are not obliged to comply with an information request where to do so would exceed the cost limit.

In addition, it would not be appropriate to search through individual patient records for the purposes for responding to a FOI request, there would be no patient expectation that medical records would be used in this way.

Furthermore, under Section 16 of the Freedom of Information Act, we can advise that it would require an extensive manual review of all patient records just to ascertain if information relevant to your request is held. As such, we advise that there is no way to refine this request to bring it within the appropriate limit.

Q2. How many patients were treated specifically for breast cancer in the 3 months between the start of January 2026 and the end of March 2026?

Response:

Type of breast cancer	Number patients treated
2.1 Olaparib - All types of breast cancer	<5
2.2 Olaparib - Locally advanced or metastatic breast cancer	*Information not centrally held
2.3 Talazoparib – All types of breast cancer	*Information not centrally held

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