

Royal Stoke University Hospital

Quality, Safety and Compliance Department

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Email foi@uhnm.nhs.uk

Dear

I am writing in response to your email dated 8th April 2019 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding Prolia treatments.

As of 1st November 2014 University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust (UHNM) manages two hospital sites – Royal Stoke University Hospital, and County Hospital (Stafford). Therefore the response below is for the two sites combined from that date where appropriate.

- Q1 How many patients were treated with Prolia (denosumab 60mg) in the period 1st July 2017 31st December 2017?
- A1 Two hundred and twenty four (224) patients were issued Denosumab 60mg/ml injection from the pharmacy department within the period requested.
- Q2 Of the above patients, how many were subsequently treated with Prolia (denosumab 60mg) in the period of 1st January 2018 30th June 2018?
- A2 One hundred and forty seven (147) patients were issued Denosumab 60mg/ml injection from the pharmacy department within the period requested.
- Q3 Of the above patients, how many were subsequently treated with Prolia (denosumab 60mg) in the period of 1st January 2018 30th June 2018?
- A3 Ninety five (95) patients were issued Denosumab 60mg/ml injection from the pharmacy department within the period within the period requested.

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This letter confirms the completion of this request. A log of this request and a copy of this letter will be held by the Trust.

If you have any queries related to the response provided please in the first instance contact my office.

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If following review of the responses I can be of any further assistance please contact my secretary on 01782 676474.

Yours,

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