



26 April 2023

Our Ref: RFI 50475

Dear

**Freedom of Information Act 2000
Information in Relation to Treatment of Dermatological Conditions**

I am writing to confirm that the South Eastern Health & Social Care Trust (the Trust) has now completed its search for information relating to above which you requested on 13 April 2023.

A response to each of the questions raised has been provided by the Hospital Services Directorate and is attached in Appendix A.

If you are unhappy as to how this request has been handled, you have the right to seek a review within the Trust in the first instance. You should write to the Information Governance Department, Lough House, Ards Community Hospital (informationgovernance@setrust.hscni.net) within two months of the date of this response and your complaint will be considered and a response provided, within 20 working days of receipt.

If, after receiving a response, you remain unhappy, you can refer your complaint to the Information Commissioner at The Information Commissioner's Office –Northern Ireland, 3rd Floor, 14 Cromac Place, Belfast, BT7 2JB. It is important to note that if you refer any matter to the Information Commissioner, you will need to show evidence of having gone through the Trust's internal review procedure to try to resolve the matter with the Trust in the first instance.

If you have any queries about this letter, please do not hesitate to contact me. Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

Yours sincerely

Rebecca Manning
Information Governance Manager (Interim)

Q1. Could you please provide the number of patients treated in the last 4 months, by the dermatology department, with each of the following products listed in Table 1:

A1. Please see Table 1.

Table 1

Treatment	No. of Patients Treated
Abrocitinib	Nil
Baricitinib	<5
Dupilumab	70
Tralokinumab	Nil
Upadacitinib	5

Where numbers within Table 1 are 1-4, in line with Trust policy, it is given as <5, to reduce any risk of identification of individual patients.