

Freedom of Information Request	FOI 21-372	27 th September 2021
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1. How many patients have been treated (for any condition) in the last four months with:

- **Benralizumab**
- **Dupilumab**
- **Omalizumab**
- **Reslizumab**
- **Mepolizumab**

The Health Board is only able to supply information by quantity and not by the number of patients treated. The items dispensed below are for the period May 2021 to 30 August 2021 for respiratory:

		May	June	July	August
BENRALIZUMAB 30 mg in 1mL Pre-Filled Pen 1 Pre-Filled Pen Pack	Quantity	4	10	3	8
BENRALIZUMAB 30 mg in 1mL Pre-Filled Syringe 1 Pre-Filled Syringe Pack	Quantity	5	2	15	0
MEPOLIZUMAB (NUCALA) 100 mg in 1mL Pre-Filled Pen 1 Pre-Filled Pen Pack	Quantity	44	76	59	105
MEPOLIZUMAB (NUCALA) 100 mg in 1mL Pre-Filled Syringe 1 Pre-Filled Syringe Pack	Quantity	2	2	0	2
OMALIZUMAB 150 mg Pre-Filled Syringe 1 Pre-Filled Syringe Pack	Quantity	220	427	190	259
OMALIZUMAB 75 mg Pre-Filled Syringe 1 Pre-Filled Syringe Pack	Quantity	18	27	22	30

2. Of the total patients treated in the last four months with any of the products listed in Q1, please can you provide the split of the number of patients in the following age groups:

- **Age 6-11**
- **Age 12-17**
- **Age 18 and above**

The Health Board does not hold a register and would have to review every patient record to determine this. Therefore in order to comply with your request the Health Board has established that this would exceed the appropriate costs limit under Section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 which is currently £450. As you will be aware this is not an exemption which requires us to consider the application of the public interest test. We have calculated that it would take in excess of 18 hours to review the record of each patient.

3. How many patients have been treated in the last four months for asthma ONLY with:

- **Dupilumab**

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