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Sent via email to: [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED]

Request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

I write further to your request for information, which was received on 17 April 2024 to confirm, in accordance with S.1(1)(a) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, that Powys Teaching Health Board (PTHB) does not hold the information that you require.

Your Freedom of Information (FOI) Request:

Please answer the questions with regards to NHS patients, i.e., excluding patients that received treatment as part of clinical trials or private healthcare.

1. Do you treat patients with Acute Myeloid Leukaemia (AML) in your Trust?
If yes, please proceed to Question 3, if no, please answer Question 2

2. Where do patients diagnosed with AML in your Trust receive treatment?

3. Please complete the table below with how many newly diagnosed patients with AML have started first-line treatment with each of the following therapies during the 6-month period October 2023 to March 2024?

- Azacitidine monotherapy
- Low dose cytarabine (LoDAC) monotherapy
- Venetoclax + azacitidine
- Venetoclax + LoDAC
- Ivosidenib
- Intensive chemotherapy-based regimen
 - Examples include: cytarabine and daunorubicin, idarubicin, fludarabine, mitoxantrone, etoposide (VP-16), 6-thioguanine (6-TG), methotrexate (MTX) or 6-mercaptopurine (6-MP), gemtuzumab ozogamicin with daunorubicin cytarabine, or FLAG-Ida (fludarabine, cytarabine, granulocyte-colony stimulating factor and idarubicin)
- Best supportive care

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- Other
 - Do not include prophylactic therapies such as GCSF, anti-fungals, antihistamines, anti-nauseants

Note: this should only include patients with AML who have started first-line treatment during the 6-month window

Answer:

Treatment option	Number of newly diagnosed patients with AML starting first line treatment during the 6-month period October 2023 to March 2024
Azacitidine monotherapy	
(LoDAC) monotherapy	
Venetoclax + azacitidine	
Venetoclax + LoDAC	
Ivosidenib	
Intensive chemotherapy-based regimen	
Best supportive care	
Other	

Powys Response:

Q1. I can confirm that we do not treat patients with Acute Myeloid Leukaemia (AML) in Powys Teaching Health Board (PTHB).

Q2 Powys patients requiring diagnosis and treatment for AML would be referred to one of our neighbouring district general hospitals and their contact details are below should you wish to contact them directly:

Health Board/Organisation	FOI Contact Details
Aneurin Bevan University Health Board	FOI.ABB@wales.nhs.uk
Betsi Cadwaladr University Health Board	bcu.foi@wales.nhs.uk
Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board	Freedomofinformation@wales.nhs.uk
Hywel Dda University Health Board	FOI.hyweldda@wales.nhs.uk
Swansea Bay University Health Board	FOIA.Requests@wales.nhs.uk
Velindre University NHS Trust	FOI.VUNHST@wales.nhs.uk

NHS Providers (England)	Contact Details
Shrewsbury & Telford NHS Trust	info@sath.nhs.uk
Gloucester NHS Trust	https://foi.glosnhs.net/secureforms/informationrequestform/
Wye Valley NHS Trust	freedom.information@wvt.nhs.uk
Worcestershire Acute Hospitals NHS Trust	wah-tr.FOI@nhs.net

Q3 Not Applicable.

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If after Internal Review you remain dissatisfied you are also entitled to refer the matter to the information commissioner at the Information Commissioner's Office (Wales), 2nd Floor, Churchill House, Churchill Way, Cardiff, CF10 2HH. Telephone Number: 0330 414 6421.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "KL Wright". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line underneath the name.

Kate Wright
Medical Director

Rydym yn croesawu derbyn gohebiaeth yng Nghymraeg. Byddwn yn ateb y fath ohebiaeth yng Nghymraeg ac ni fydd hyn yn arwain at oedi.

We welcome receiving correspondence in Welsh. We will reply to such correspondence in Welsh and this will not lead to a delay.