

Reference:	FOI.16044.24
Subject:	Mental Health treatments
Date of Request:	23 November 2024

Requested:

Can you inform me of the following for the financial year 2023/2024:

1. Patients treated with 1st or 2nd generation antipsychotic treatments:

a. Number of patients treated with 1st and 2nd generation medications:

Disease	Patient Numbers
1 st Generation	
2 nd Generation	

b. If possible, indicate the number of patients, above, by medication:

1st Generation medications

Product Description (molecule)	Number of Patients
Benperidol	
Chlorpromazine	
Droperidol	
Flupentixol	
Fluphenazine	
Haloperidol	
Loxapine	
Pericyazine	
Perphenazine	
Pimozide	
Promazine	
Sulpiride	
Thioridazine	
Trifluoperazine	
Zuclopenthixol	

2nd Generation Medications

Product Description (molecule)	Number of Patients
Amisulpride	
Aripiprazole	
Cariprazine	
Clozapine	
Lurasidone	
Olanzapine	
Paliperidone	
Quetiapine	

Risperidone	
Ziprasidone	

2. Tetrabenazine usage. I am trying to determine the disease areas for the usage of Tetrabenazine. Therefore, where possible to, split the usage between the following disease areas:

Disease	Patient Numbers on Tetrabenazine	Percentage
Huntington's Disease		
Tardive Dyskinesia		
Parkinson's disease		
Medication induced Dystonia		

3. I am also trying to define the treatment sites for mental health provision within both the hospital and community settings, e.g.

- a. Hospital A, Address 1, Address 2, Town, County, Postcode
- b. Hospital B, Address 1, Address 2, Town, County, Postcode
- c. Clinic Y, Address 1, Address 2, Town, County, Postcode

If services are not provided by the Health Board, please indicate the relevant Health Board which provides these services.

Response:

Hywel Dda University Health Board (UHB) is unable to provide you with some of the requested information, as there is a potential risk of identifying individuals if this was disclosed. The UHB is therefore withholding the following details under Section 40(2) of the FoIA:

- Where the figures in the table for question 1b have been replaced with an asterisk (*) due to the low numbers of cases (less than 5)
- The information requested for question 2, due to the low number of cases (5 and under)

This information is protected by the Data Protection Act 2018 (DPA)/UK General Data Protection Regulations, as its disclosure would constitute unfair and unlawful processing and would be contrary to the principles and articles of the UK GDPR. This exemption is absolute and therefore, there is no requirement to apply the public interest test.

In reaching this decision, the DPA and UK GDPR define personal data as data that relates to a living individual who can be identified solely from that data or from that data and other information, which is in the possession of the data controller.

1a. The UHB provides, within the table below, the total number of patients treated with first (1st) and second (2nd) generation medications within Secondary Care, during the 2023/24 financial year.

Disease	Number
1 st Generation medications	260
2 nd Generation medications	1,933

1b. The UHB provides, within the tables overleaf, the number of patients treated with the first (1st) and second (2nd) generation medications listed within Secondary Care, during the 2023/24 financial year.

1st Generation medications	
Medication	Number
Benperidol	0
Chlorpromazine	19
Droperidol	*
Flupentixol	15
Fluphenazine	0
Haloperidol	187
Loxapine	0
Pericyazine	0
Perphenazine	0
Pimozide	0
Promazine	*
Sulpiride	*
Thioridazine	*
Trifluoperazine	*
Zuclopenthixol	27

2nd Generation Medications	
Medication	Number
Amisulpride	30
Aripiprazole	468
Cariprazine	6
Clozapine	271
Lurasidone	20
Olanzapine	275
Paliperidone	107
Quetiapine	441
Risperidone	315
Ziprasidone	0

- Section 40 exemption applies. Please see bullet point 2 for explanation.
- As this information is already within the public domain, the UHB has applied an exemption under Section 21 of the FoIA, as the information is accessible by another means. The UHB's Mental Health (MH) sites are available on the UHB's website:

For ease of reference, please click on the link provided below, which will take you directly to the MH hospitals and sites webpage:

[Mental health - Hywel Dda University Health Board](#)