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## **Cais Rhyddid Gwybodaeth / Freedom of Information request** **Ein Cyf / Our Ref: 22-L-026**

Please note that we have provided this information for the period August to November 2022.

### **You asked:**

#### **1. In the last 3 months, how many patients have been initiated on the following agents for the treatment of melanoma?**

- Nivolumab (monotherapy) - <5\*
- Nivolumab AND Ipilimumab (combination) - <5\*

#### **2. In the last 3 months, how many patients have been initiated on the following agents for the treatment of Renal Cell Carcinoma?**

- Nivolumab (monotherapy) - 5
- Nivolumab + Ipilimumab - <5\*
- Nivolumab + Cabozantinib - 0
- Avelumab + Axitinib - <5\*

#### **3. In the past 3 months, how many patients have been initiated on the following agents for the treatment of upper gastrointestinal cancer (oesophagael cancer, gastric cancer and gastro-oesophageal junction cancer)?**

- Nivolumab - <5\*
- Pembrolizumab in combination with Platinum (Cisplatin or Oxaliplatin) and Fluoropyrimidine (5-Fluorouracil or Capecitabine) - <5\*

\* Where fewer than 5 has been indicated we are unable to provide you with the exact number of patients as due to the low numbers, there is a potential risk of identifying individuals if this was disclosed. We are therefore withholding this detail under Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. This information is protected by the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and Data Protection Act 2018 and



its disclosure would be contrary to the data protection principles and constitute as unfair and unlawful processing in regard to Articles 5, 6, and 9 of GDPR. This exemption is absolute and therefore there is no requirement to apply the public interest test.

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