

Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB_604_23

You asked:

I would like to submit an FOI request for the amount of human albumin in grams purchased by the trust in 2023 (the entire calendar year),

- a. broken down by manufacturer (Bio Products Laboratory, Grifols, Biotest, CSL Behring, Octapharma, Takeda),
- b. by concentration (4.5%, 5%, 20%) and
- c. by service ordering albumin (ICU, Liver unit, etc.)

Our response:

Please see information provided in the table below. Due to the way in which this information is captured we are unable to determine what service was using/requesting the albumin. The LIMS system is geared to keeping track of the ordered/shipped volumes, not to tracking the speciality of the service that is requesting the product and are therefore unable to provide.

Manufacturer	% albumin	Unit Volume	Number of units purchased
Alburex	20%	100ml	1340
Alburex	5%	500ml	312
Grifols	5%	250ml	5
Grifols	5%	500ml	14