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Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB_309_25

You asked:

We are researching the treatment of myeloproliferative neoplasms. We would greatly appreciate if you could answer the following questions:

Q1. Please provide the total number of patients treated in the last 6 months for:

- **Polycythaemia Vera (ICD10 code D45) - 0**
- **Myelofibrosis (ICD10 code D47.4) - *less than 5 diagnosed.**
- **Myelofibrosis (ICD10 code D47.4) patients aged 65 and older - 0**

Q2. How many patients were treated in the past 6 months (for any disease) with:

- **Ruxolitinib – 6**
- **Fedratinib - 0**
- **Momelotinib – 0**

Q3. How many patients were treated with Ruxolitinib in the past 6 months for the following diseases?

- **Myelofibrosis (ICD10 code D47.4) - 6**
- **Polycythaemia Vera (ICD10 code D45) - 0**
- **Other/Unknown – 0**

Q4. How many myelofibrosis (ICD10 code D47.4) patients has your Health Board diagnosed in the past 3 years?

The Health Board has diagnosed less than 5 patients with Myelofibrosis in the last 3 years.

*Where the figures are less than 5, the exact figures have been withheld due to the low numbers involved.

Where numbers are low we have considered that there is the potential for the individuals to be identified from the information provided, when considered with other information that may also be in the public domain. Also, responses under the Freedom of Information Act are made available to the public at large. The data is classed as personal data as defined under 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. We are therefore withholding this detail under Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. This

exemption is absolute and therefore there is no requirement to apply the public interest test.

- **Of these patients, how many were treated in the past 6 months with Hydroxycarbamide?**

*Less than 5.

- **Of these patients, how many were treated in the past 6 months with Interferon therapy?**

Zero.

- **Of these patients, how many have received no active treatment in the past 6 months?**

*Less than 5.

Q5. Does your Health Board participate in any clinical trials for the treatment of myelofibrosis? If so, can you please provide the name of each trial along with the number of patients taking part.

Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board do not have any open trials for treatment of myelofibrosis.