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Dear

RE: Freedom of Information request

Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, which was received by the Trust on 20/06/2023. Please see responses to your requests below.

Q1. How many patients have been treated for breast cancer (any stage) in the past 3 months with the following systemic anti-cancer therapies:

Please see below table.

Drug Name	Count
Abemaciclib + Aromatase Inhibitor (e.g. anastrozole, exemestane, letrozole)	17
Abemaciclib + Fulvestrant	15
Alpelisib + Fulvestrant	0
Anthracycline (e.g. doxorubicin or epirubicin) as a single agent	0
Atezolizumab +Nab-paclitaxel/Paclitaxel	<5
Capecitabine as a single agent	11
Eribulin as a single agent or in combination	7
Everolimus + Exemestane	0
Fulvestrant as a single agent	<5
Lapatinib	0
Neratinib	0

Parp Inhibitors (Olaparib/Talazoparib)	0
Palbociclib + Aromatase Inhibitor (e.g. anastrozole, exemestane, letrozole)	7
Palbociclib + Fulvestrant	9
Pembrolizumab	6
Platinum (e.g. carboplatin or cisplatin) as a single agent	0
Ribociclib + Aromatase Inhibitor (e.g. anastrozole, exemestane, letrozole)	8
Ribociclib + Fulvestrant	<5
Sacituzumab Govitecan	0
Taxane (e.g. docetaxel, paclitaxel, nab-paclitaxel) as a single agent	41
Taxane and/or Anthracycline in combination	0
Trastuzumab as a single agent or in combination	84
Trastuzumab emtansine	10
Transtuzumab deruxtecan	<5
Any other active systemic anti-cancer therapy	357

We are unable to provide precise figures when these are five or less due to the risk that individuals will be identified, as we are required to protect their identity under the Data Protection Act.

In such circumstances sections 40(2) and (3) of the Freedom of Information Act apply. In this case, our view is that disclosure would breach the first data protection principle. This states that personal data should be processed fairly and lawfully. It is the fairness aspect of this principle which, in our view, would be breached by disclosure.

Q2. Does your trust participate in any clinical trials for the treatment of breast cancer? If so, please provide the name of each trial and the number of patients taking part.

Please see below table.

Name of Trial	Participants
Persephone	28
SERENA-6	<5
ICON9	8
Body composition and chemotherapy toxicity in breast cancer (CANDO-3)	24
The EMBED Study: Early Markers for Breast Cancer Detection	33
A Study of [REDACTED] in patients with HR-Positive Breast Cancer	0
APHINITY - Traz + Pertuzumab in HER2+ as adjuvant therapy in HER2+ Br Ca	8

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Please accept this letter as completion of your request. Please note that copies of this request will be held on file for three years before being confidentially destroyed.

If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of your request, please contact our Head of Information Governance on Information.Governance@porthosp.nhs.uk or write to the above address and we will conduct an internal review. Upon review, if you are still dissatisfied, you may appeal our decision by contacting the Information Commissioner's Office; for more information, please visit the [ICO's website](#).

Please be aware, if we do not receive an appeal within 30 days of you receiving this letter, we will assume that you are satisfied with our response. If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

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