

FOI_1683_2024-25 – FOI Request concerning Myeloma Service Provision

Please be advised, with regards to the questions below, Solent NHS Trust is a Community and Mental Health Trust and does not provide Oncology service. We are therefore unable to answer these questions.

I am requesting the following information on local healthcare and support service provision for multiple myeloma patients as part of a wider project (funded by Myeloma UK). Please provide the following information:

As of 1 Jan 2024:

- 1. Total population size served by Regional Board**
- 2. Number of hospitals providing oncology services**
- 3. Total number of consultant haematologists employees; specialist haematology registrars employed; consultant haematologists specialising in multiple myeloma; haematology clinical nurse specialists employed and multiple myeloma clinical nurse specialists.**

During 2023 (1 Jan – 31 Dec), please provide the:

- 1. Total number of multiple myeloma (MM) cases diagnosed (Please state which code(s) were used)**
- 2. If known, how many people were diagnosed with smouldering multiple myeloma?**
- 3. How many in-person haematology-based consultation/telephone haematology-based consultations/ video haematology-based consultation took place for people diagnosed with MM?**

During 2023 (1 Jan – 31 Dec):

- 1. Were multiple myeloma (MM) patients discussed/reviewed at a MM specific MDT or general haematology MDT?**
- 2. How frequently did MDT meetings meet?**
- 3. What percentage of MM patients diagnosed in 2023 were reviewed/discussed at a MDT?**
- 4. Which professionals/disciplines are represented on MDT meetings for MM?**
- 5. What supportive and palliative care services are available for MM patients?**