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I refer to your Freedom of Information Act Request acknowledged by ourselves on 12th September 2019. Your request sought information relating to cannabis products.

1. Cannabis-based medicinal products

1a. Numbers of prescriptions (including individual items) for cannabis-based medicines (excluding Sativex) turned down by Drugs & Therapeutic Committees (or equivalents), within the Swansea Bay University Health Board between 01/10/18 - 01/09/2019

Zero

1b. Numbers of prescriptions (including individual items) for cannabis-based medicines (excluding Sativex) turned down by Drugs & Therapeutic Committees (or equivalents), within the Swansea Bay University Health Board by indications (specifically for people living with multiple sclerosis) between 01/10/18 - 01/09/2019

Zero

2. Sativex

2a. Numbers of prescriptions for Sativex (nabiximol) within the Swansea Bay University Health Board from 01/10/18 - 01/09/19

- Primary Care -174 Prescriptions (data only available between 01/10/18 and 01/07/19)
- Secondary Care -38 Prescriptions



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2b. Numbers of prescriptions for Sativex (nabiximol) within the Swansea Bay University Health Board from 01/10/18 - 01/09/19

You clarified on 7th October that question was the same as 2a.

I hope this information is helpful. If you require anything further please contact us at FOIA.Requests@wales.nhs.uk.

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Yours sincerely



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