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Rydym yn croesawu gohebiaeth yn y Gymraeg ac yn y Saesneg. We welcome correspondence in Welsh or English.

Dyddiad/Date: 24<sup>th</sup> April 2020 Ein Cyf / Our Ref: 20-C-033



Corporate Services Headquarters 1 Talbot Gateway Baglan Port Talbot, SA12 7BR

I refer to your Freedom of Information Act Request acknowledged by ourselves on 30<sup>th</sup> March 2020. Your request sought information relating to osteoporosis medication.

Please note that the information we have provided covers the period 01.01.20 – 31.03.20. We are only able to provide figures for osteoporosis medication dispensed within secondary care settings (e.g. hospitals).

1. In the past 3 months, how many over 50s females have you treated with a drug [e.g. biphosphonate, denosumab, raloxifene or teriparatide] for osteoporosis?

135 individual items were dispensed in this period – please note that stock item issues to wards are included in this figure, therefore the true patient numbers may be higher.

2. In the past 3 months how many patients were treated with:

Forsteo [teriparatide] - 15

Movymia [teriparatide] - 0

**Terrosa [teriparatide]** - 0

3. If possible; of these patients how many were new to the treatment, ie had not previously been treated with teriparatide?



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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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