

Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Request Reference FoI/23/673
Specified Diagnosis Codes

Information Requested:

I would be grateful if you could please answer the following questions regarding patient numbers for specified diagnosis codes.

1. In the last 12 months, how many individual patients were treated for biliary tract cancer with the following Diagnosis Codes:
 - A) C22.1 Intrahepatic Bile Duct Carcinoma
 - B) C23 Malignant Neoplasm of Gallbladder
 - C) C24 Malignant Neoplasm of unspecified biliary tract (If possible, could this please be further split to C24.0 Extrahepatic bile duct, C24.8 Overlapping lesion of Biliary Tract, C24.9 Biliary Tract, Unspecified).

Could you please also provide a total unique patient number for all of the diagnosis codes above, in case they have been coded multiple times.

2. In the last 12 months, how many patients were treated for Oesophagus Oesophagogastric Junction Cancer? (C16.7)

Response Details:

During the period 1 December 2022 to 30 November 2023, the count of unique patients treated for biliary tract cancer with the following diagnosis codes is as follows.

1.
 - A) Intrahepatic Bile Duct Carcinoma C22.1 – 35
 - B) Malignant Neoplasm of Gallbladder C23 – 17
 - C) Malignant Neoplasm of unspecified biliary tract C24 – 3
 - a. Extrahepatic bile duct C24.0 – 1
2. Malignant neoplasm of cardia C16.0 – 39

During the period 1 December 2022 to 30 November 2023, the total count of unique patients treated with any of the above diagnosis codes was 94.

Please note that C16.7 is not a valid ICD-10 code. The requestor has therefore sought the number of patients treated for ICD-10 C16.0 instead.