

Freedom of Information Act 2000 - Request Reference FoI/23/263
Antidepressants

Information Requested:

1. The numbers total of patients who have been prescribed antidepressants in the each of the years 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023 so far.

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023 so far
Total patients prescribed antidepressants						

2. The number of patients under the age of 18 who have been prescribed antidepressants in each of the same years.

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023 so far
Total patients under 18 prescribed antidepressants						

3. The total number of patients under the age of 18 prescribed each of the following types of antidepressants in each of the same years

	Under 18s 2018	Under 18s 2019	Under 18s 2020	Under 18s 2021	Under 18s 2022	Under 18s 2023 so far
SSRIs						
SNRIs						

NASSAs						
TCA's						
SARIs						
MAOIs						

4. The number of patients under 18 who have been prescribed antidepressants in each of the same years, specifically as part of the treatment of Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder and related symptoms.

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023 so far
Total patients under 18 prescribed antidepressants as part of treatment for OCD						

5. The number of patients under 18 who have begun Talking Therapies ('psychotherapy') in each of the same years.

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023 so far
Total patients under 18 begun talking therapies						

Response Details

Cardiff and Vale University Health Board (the UHB) does not hold this information. Under our Section 16 obligation, the duty to provide advice and assistance the UHB can advise that the GP Practice would be responsible for prescribing this medication. The following link may be of use to you:

<http://www.primarycareservices.wales.nhs.uk/data-publications>