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Treatments in the Trust

## **REQUEST & RESPONSE**

Q1 Within your health trust how many patients have you treated in the year 2018, regardless of reason;

As we cannot determine the indication for which the drug has been issued, we are able to answer question 1 only:

Ambisome	0
Caspofungin (cancidas)	28
Cresemba	0
Noxafil/posaconazole	18
Voriconazole/VFEND	52
Zavicefta	0
Zerbaxa	0

Q2 If your trust is able to split by indication, please provide the following; Within your health trust how many patients have you treated in the year 2018 for IA (invasive aspergillosis) with the following;

- Cresemba
- Ambisome (amphotericin B/amphotericin liposomal)
- Voriconazole/VFEND
- Caspofungin (cancidas)
- Noxafil/posaconazole

Information can identify the number of patients diagnosed (not treated) in their inpatient stay for 'IA (invasive aspergillosis)' and we can identify who has been give the drugs (where possible as per question 1) we cannot state if they have been given for that diagnosis, this would be a manual audit in the care group, and a manual audit for the drugs that are not coded.

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cost of one person spending 2½ working days in answering the remainder of your questions. Under section 12 of the Freedom of Information Act the Department is not obliged to comply with your request and we will not be processing your request further.

Q3 Within your health trust how many patients have you treated in the year 2018 for cIAI (complicated intra-abdominal) with the following;

- Ceftazidime-avibactam (Zavicefta)
- Meropenem
- Ceftolozane–Tazobactam (Zerbaxa)

There is no code for cIAI (complicated intra-abdominal) we would need a specific condition for what there has been a complicated intra-abdominal for? No codes for the drugs for this question a manual audit would need to be carried out by the care group

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Q4 Within your health trust how many patients have you treated in the year 2018 for cUTI (complex urinary tract infection) with the following:

- Ceftazidime-avibactam (Zavicefta)
- Meropenem
- Ceftolozane–Tazobactam (Zerbaxa)

Information can identify the number of patients diagnosed (not treated) in their inpatient stay for 'cUTI (complex urinary tract infection)'.

No codes for the drugs for this question a manual audit would need to be carried out by the care group

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Q5 Within your health trust how many patients have you treated in the year 2018 for HAP/VAP (hospital acquired pneumonias and ventilated associated pneumonia) with the following;

- Ceftazidime-avibactam (Zavicefta)
- Meropenem
- Ceftolozane–Tazobactam (Zerbaxa)

Information can identify the number of patients diagnosed (not treated) in their inpatient stay for 'HAP/VAP (hospital acquired pneumonias and ventilated associated pneumonia)'.

No codes for the drugs for this question a manual audit would need to be carried out by the care group

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