



Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information which we received on 04 November 2019.

I am pleased to confirm the following.

How many members are in the MDTs within the trust, and professional makeup (i.e. how many consultant gastroenterologists, clinical nurse specialists, colorectal surgeons, dietitians and other specialisations)

6 Consultant Gastroenterologists-variable number of attendance dependant on clinical commitments

- 6 Colorectal Surgeons -variable number of attendance dependant on clinical commitments
- 3 Specialist registrars
- 1 Consultant radiologist
- 1 Consultant histopathologist
- 2 IBD Specialist Nurses
- 1 IBD admin support

Available facilities for patients with IBD in the trust (endoscopy, biologics infusion, radiography)

MRI-CT-Endoscopy flexible sigmoidoscopy-Colonoscopy -OGD-capsule endoscopy-planned care unit-biologics administration-iron-correcting electrolyte imbalance-HOT clinics-telephone helpline

The Trust's treatment pathway protocols for patients with moderate-to-severe ulcerative colitis (other patient treatment pathway protocols for ulcerative colitis/IBD may also be of interest)

Acute Colitis policy - Azathioprine and 6 Mercaptopurine -Methotrexate-Discharge proctitis to primary care (pending CIG)-paediatric transition IBD (in process), Crohns disease management

Following treatment with a biologic to induce remission, how often are patients checked up on?

Variable dependant on clinical need-standard 3 months post induction to assess response-ongoing follow up, helpline in interim and reviewed in infusion unit.

Please could you provide the following number of patients treated with the biologics below in the last 12 months (latest 12 months if possible), in the table below?

As a teaching hospital, we conduct education and research to improve healthcare for our patients. During your visit students may be involved in your care, or you may be asked to participate in a clinical trial. Please speak to your doctor or nurse if you have any concerns.

	Ulcerative colitis	Crohn's disease
Adalilumab	111 total number	
Infliximab	125 total number	
Golimumab	1 total number	
Vedolizumab	45 total number	
Ustekinumab	nil	13
Tofacitinib	nil	nil

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If you need any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us at the address above.

Yours sincerely,

Freedom of Information Co-ordinator For and on behalf of Milton Keynes Hospital NHS Foundation Trust

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