

## ***Request under Freedom of Information Act 2000***

Thank you for your request for information which we received on 12 August 2020.

I am pleased to confirm the following.

**Please can you send me your biologic pathways for rheumatoid arthritis, psoriatic arthritis, and ankylosing spondylitis. Furthermore, can you clarify what is the maximum number of biologics that the trust will commission for patients with rheumatoid arthritis, psoriatic arthritis, and ankylosing spondylitis before an IFR needs to be submitted.**

The Trust follows NICE guidance for biologic pathways and there is no specific local rheumatology pathway.

We are not limited on numbers or required to do IFR submissions.

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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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