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Dear Robert,

Thank you for your recent request for information.

Your request

Could I obtain the number of people who were diagnosed with chemotherapy-induced febrile neutropenia and the number of deaths due to chemotherapy-induced febrile neutropenia in 2008?

Response

Date range January – December 2008	No of Patients
Patients with Diagnosis Neutropenia D70 (any position)	66
Patients with Diagnosis Adverse Effect of Chemo Y433 (any position)	29
Patients with Diagnosis Febrile R509 (any position)	230

We do not record cause of death on our Patient Administration System we are therefore unable to supply the number of deaths.

I hope this information is of use to you.

If you are dissatisfied with our response to your request for access to information you may ask us to carry out an internal review. You should do this by writing to:

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If you remain unhappy, you may make a complaint to the Information Commissioner's Office.

Yours Sincerely

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