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Request and Response

Does NHS Borders have any local treatment guidelines/pathways/protocols/algorithms for the treatment of non-	Yes	
Small cell lung cancer? NHS Borders is part of the South East Scotland Cancer Network (SCAN) and follows Regional systemic-anti cancer treatment guidance: Clinical Management Guidelines for Lung Ci	If Yes pleas a сор	•

Question 2

Does NHS Borders have protocols for the use of the following targeted drug therapies in the treatment of non-small cell lung cancer?		
	Yes	
Sotorasib (Lumykras) I only have a protocol when it was available in the FOC scheme.	If yes please see question 3	
Entrectinib (Rozlytrek)	Yes	
Larotrectinib (Vitrakvi)		No
Dabrafenib (Tafinlar)		No
Trametinib (Mekinist)		No
Capmatinib (Tabrecta)		No
Tepotinib (Tepmetko)		No
Bevacizumab (Avastin)		No
Ramucirumab (Cyramza)		No
Atezolizumab (Tecentriq)	Yes	
Durvalumab (Imfinzi)	Yes	
Cemiplimab- (Libtayo)		No
Nivolumab (Opdivo)	Yes	
Pembrolizumab (Keytruda)	Yes	
Ipilimumab (Yervoy)		No
Afatinib (Giotrif)	Yes	
Dacomitinib (Vizimpro)	Yes	
Erlotinib (Tarceva)	Yes	
Gefitinib (Iressa)		No

Osimertinib (Tagrisso)	Yes	
Amivantamab (Rybrevant)		No
Mobocertinib (Exkivity)		No
trastuzumab deruxtecan (Enhertu)		No
Alectinib (Alecensa)	Yes	
Brigatinib (Alunbrig)		No
Ceritinib (Zykadia)	Yes	
Crizotinib (Xalkori)	Yes	
Lorlatinib (Lorviqua)	Yes	
Entrectinib (Rozlytrek)	Yes	
Pralsetinib (Gavreto)		No
Selpercatinib (Retsevmo)		No
Nintedanib (Vargatef®)	Yes	

Question 3

If a local protocol for the use of Sotorasib (Lumykras) for the treatment of non-small cell lung cancer is available please could a copy be provided?

Sotorasib was only used during the free of charge scheme; which is now closed. Please find attached a copy of the protocol in use at that time. There is no other protocol at the moment.



Protocol.pdf

Question 4

Does NHS Borders have any local pathways/protocols/guidelines for	No
the use of molecular biomarker testing in diagnosis/treatment of non- small cell lung cancer?	
All biopsies are processed in NHS Lothian and molecular testing is as per NHS Lothian with reflex testing with NGS panel for actionable mutations for adenocarcinoma and with PDL1 for squamous. Therefore, please note under Section 25 of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 this data may be available from NHS Lothian.	

Question 5

Is NHS Borders part of a Cancer alliance or network, if so which ones?

NHS Borders is part of the South East Scotland Cancer Network which feeds into National Cancer Governance, Management and Strategic groups.

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