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## Freedom of Information request 497-23

## Request

- 1. How many patients were treated in the last 6-month period with Truvada or generic emtricitabine / tenofovir disoproxil fumarate for HIV treatment?
- 2. How many patients were treated in the last 6-month period with Truvada or generic emtricitabine / tenofovir disoproxil fumarate for Pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP)?
- 3. How many packs of Truvada or generic emtricitabine / tenofovir disoproxil fumarate were dispensed in latest 6-month period for HIV treatment?
- 4. How many packs of Truvada or generic emtricitabine / tenofovir disoproxil fumarate were dispensed in latest 6-month period for Pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP)?
- 5. How many packs of Descovy (tenofovir alafenamide / emtricitabine) were dispensed in latest 6-month period for HIV treatment?
- 6. How many packs of Descovy (tenofovir alafenamide / emtricitabine) were dispensed in latest 6-month period for Pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP)?

## Response

- 1. There were 6 individuals treated in the last 6-month period with Truvada or generic emtricitabine / tenofovir disoproxil fumarate for HIV treatment.
- 2. There were 63 individuals treated in the last 6-month period with Truvada or generic emtricitabine / tenofovir disoproxil fumarate for Pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP).
- 3. 37 packs of Truvada or generic emtricitabine / tenofovir disoproxil fumarate were dispensed in latest 6-month period for HIV treatment.
- 4. 241 packs of Truvada or generic emtricitabine / tenofovir disoproxil fumarate were dispensed in latest 6-month period for Pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP)
- 14 packs of Descovy (tenofovir alafenamide / emtricitabine) were dispensed in latest 6-month period for HIV treatment.
- 6. 0 packs of Descovy (tenofovir alafenamide / emtricitabine) were dispensed in latest 6-month period for Pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP).

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