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Subject: Specialist skin cancer centre

REQUEST

I am writing to you as NHS England have identified your NHS Trust as a specialist skin cancer centre.

We are a digital healthcare agency looking to produce a map of the CTCL (cutaneous T cell lymphoma) treatment centres in the UK.

To help with this, please could you provide the following:

- Which centre/s in your NHS Trust offer treatment for CTCL, if any
- The type of CTCL treatment these centres offer (TSEB or ECP)
- A contact phone number for referrals for each centre

RESPONSE

All CTCL cases identified are referred on to Dr Richard Azurdia who is the lead dermatologist at Broadgreen hospital who covers the service for CTCL. Our plastic surgical department at Whiston Hospital do not treat these cases per se, but when a diagnosis is established by way of skin biopsy we redirect the patients to his team. All cases are discussed at the skin MDT at STHK and inevitably referred on to Broadgreen hospital for further management. Richard Azurdia can be contacted via his secretary at Broadgreen Hospital.

Regards
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