

Ref: 017FOI21.22 – Sativex Prescribing

- 1. How many NHS prescriptions for Sativex have been issued within your CCG each month since September 2019 to the latest available date? Please specify, if possible, whether the data reflects community dispensed/primary care prescriptions, secondary care prescriptions, or both.**

None. Please see data from OpenPrescribing.net via the following link:

<https://openprescribing.net/analyse/#org=CCG&orgIds=03J,03A&numIds=1002020Y0BABAB&denom=nothing&selectedTab=summary>. The time bar can be altered to cover GP prescribing over the requested period from Sept 2019. Please note that Kirklees CCG came into existence on 1 April 2021. The predecessor CCGs were Greater Huddersfield CCG and North Kirklees CCG.

- 2. How many unique patients have been issued an NHS prescription within your CCG each month since September 2019 to the latest available date?**

None.

- 3. Is Sativex is currently on your formulary?**

Sativex is rated BLACK by the South West Yorkshire Area Prescribing Committee, and is therefore not commissioned for NHS prescribing locally. You can find more information via this link: <https://www.swyapc.org/search-individual-drug/>

- 4. Do you have a shared care agreement (or shared care guidance) between primary and specialist care in place to support prescribing of Sativex?**

No. There should be no prescribing of Sativex due to its Area Prescribing Committee BLACK rating.