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# ABBVIE LTD ABPI DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS ON TRANSFERS OF VALUE TO PATIENT ORGANISATIONS FOR FINANCIAL YEAR 2021

Name of Patient Organisation		Fees for Services Paid	Description of Support / Service	Short Description of Support Activity (Objective)
Blood Cancer UK	£12,000.00		Other Activities & Materials	Befriending service support
Cancer 52	£10,000.00		Other Activities & Materials	Corporate membership
CLL Support Association	£12,000.00		Other Activities & Materials	Support charities' core patient information services
CLL Support Association	f	£240.00	Fees for Services	Review of AbbVie finishing treatment patient booklet
CLL Support Association	£	£1,800.00	Fees for Services	My CLLife SMS text service – counsel of content and launch communications
CLL Support Association	1	£600.00	Fees for Services	Review of non-interventional study patient materials
Hep C Trust	1	£120.00	Fees for Services	Interview with a Peer Support Coordinator

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Hep C Trust	£5,040.00		Campaigns & Events	Project-specific funding for awareness-raising activities in Wales
Hep C Trust	£25,000.00		Other Activities & Materials	Annual support for HCV Action
Hep C Trust		£120.00	Fees for Services	Interview with a Peer Support Coordinator
IBD Relief		£330.00	Fees for Services	Participation in global Advisory Board
IBD Relief		£390.00	Fees for Services	Participation in global Advisory Board
Leukaemia Care		£450.00	Fees for Services	Speaker presentation
Leukaemia Care	£12,000.00		Other Activities & Materials	Core funding for info and support services
Lymphoma Action	£12,000.00		Other Activities & Materials	Core funding for info and support services
Myeloma UK	£10,000.00		Other Activities & Materials	Core support for Myeloma UK's work
National Axial Spondyloarthritis Society	£30,000.00		Other Activities & Materials	Aspiring for Excellence programme support
National Eczema Society		£180.00	Fees for Services	Participation as interviewee in sponsored AbbVie segment for British Skin Foundation's 'More than Skin Deep' narrowcast programme
National Eczema Society	£24,000.00		Other Activities & Materials	Core funding 2021 - 2022
National Rheumatoid Arthritis Society		£550.00	Fees for Services	Presentation at an AbbVie symposium at BSR Congress
National Rheumatoid Arthritis Society		£250.00	Fees for Services	Speaking at 'Re-setting Rheumatology' virtual meeting
National Rheumatoid Arthritis Society	£20,000.00		Other Activities & Materials	Core funding for info and support services
National Rheumatoid Arthritis Society		£2,808.00	Fees for Services	Counsel and participation in photoshoot for patient campaign
National Voices	£10,617.00		Other Activities & Materials	Industry Collaboration Funding 2022
Parkinsons UK		£157.50	Fees for Services	Speaker services
Parkinsons UK		£236.25	Fees for Services	Speaker services

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Patient Information Forum	£25,003.00		Other Activities & Materials	Shared decision-making pilot in the NHS
Patients Association	£15,000.00		Other Activities & Materials	Annual corporate membership support for organisation
Psoriasis Association	£8,000.00		Other Activities & Materials	Core funding support 2021-2022
The Arthritis and Musculoskeletal Alliance	£3,000.00		Campaigns & Events	Implementing GIRFT rheumatology report webinar
The Arthritis and Musculoskeletal Alliance		£270.00	Fees for Services	Speaking at RheumLive event
The British Allergy Foundation	£10,000.00		Other Activities & Materials	Core support for Allergy UK's work
The Neurological Alliance	£10,888.00		Other Activities & Materials	Annual corporate membership support for organisation
Waverley Care	£20,000.00		Campaigns & Events	Waverley Care Pop-Up Testing Project

## ABBVIE LTD TRANSPARENCY DISCLOSURE METHODOLOGICAL NOTES FOR REPORTING YEAR 2021

As a member company of EFPIA and ABPI, AbbVie Ltd is committed to ensuring that the nature and scope of partnerships and transfers of value (ToV) to Patient Organisations are clear and transparent to the public. Therefore, AbbVie Ltd has published applicable ToV provided directly or indirectly to Patient Organisations for the 2021 calendar year.

This Methodological Note provides guidance on how AbbVie Ltd has recorded and publicly reported this information in accordance with the current editions of the ABPI Code of Practice.

#### Reporting period/Reportable ToV:

The AbbVie Ltd 2021 disclosure includes applicable ToV during the period between 1st January 2021 and 31st December 2021. The applicable ToV relates to contracts signed within the disclosure period.

#### **Transparency Acknowledgment from Patient Organisations:**

Agreements between AbbVie Ltd and Patient Organisations relating to ToV may have included a Transparency section which included notification of AbbVie's Transparency disclosure obligations.

#### Validation Approach:

AbbVie has conducted a validation exercise with Patient Organisations contained within this reporting period in January 2022 to make them aware of the disclosure and provide an opportunity to verify any ToV.

#### **Cross Border Interactions:**

These ToV include engagements between AbbVie affiliates worldwide and UK Patient Organisations where these have occurred. For example, where a Patient Organisation has participated in an AbbVie global supported programme.

#### **ToV Definitions:**

Each ToV includes a category label and brief description of the activity it relates to. The category and associated activity descriptors are as follows:

#### Campaigns and events

- Definition: Funding for activities as part of campaigns and events in which the patient organisation is involved (as a lead or participant), sponsored by AbbVie in whole or in part
- Examples: Disease awareness/activation campaigns, patient or multi-stakeholder events/webinars, etc.

- Other activities and materials
- Definition: Funding for other types of activities carried out by the patient organisation, including the production of materials
- Examples: Website revamping, patient hotline creation, patient survey, brochures, etc.
- Fees for services
- Definition: Services provided by the patient organisation to AbbVie
- Examples: Participation in a meeting or Advisory Board, etc.

Relevant expenses will ordinarily be included, in aggregate, in the overall ToV. This includes expenses such as transport or accommodation costs incurred to take part in the associated activity.

#### Value Added Tax (VAT):

Where applicable, disclosure of payments does not include VAT.

#### **Currency:**

All information is reported in Pound Sterling (GBP).

#### **Exchange Rate:**

Where ToV were captured in foreign currency, amounts were converted to local currency based on AbbVie Ltd Treasury Monthly Average Rates.

#### **Multiyear Contracts:**

Activities with ToV, crossing calendar years may have the contracted full amount disclosed using the date of last payment.

#### **Post Publication Disputes**

AbbVie will review and investigate disputes with Patient Organisations relative to our disclosures. Any changes resulting from this review will be published in an updated report.