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Subject International Cooperation concerning Health Care and Availability of Medical Treatment in Georgia

Your Ref. -

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Our Ref. (please refer to in your answer) RK-10-516.80 E Morbus Hodgkin

Tbilisi, June 18, 2020

Dear Ms. Khardziani,

I kindly request your assistance in obtaining information regarding the following medical questions:

## 1. Case summary

The patient in question is a Georgian national, 37 year old, suffering from the following health problem:

- Hodgkin's disease: C 81.2 recurrent hodgkin's lymphoma (mixed cell form) with extensive tumor mass tight lung with mediastinal warp and total atelectasis of right lung
- 2. Questions regarding therapy and treatment
- a) Can the Hodgkin's disease be treated in Georgia?
- b) Which kinds of treatment methods are *available in general* for treating the Hodgkin's disease?
- c) Is an antibody-drug conjugate treatment possible in general?

- d) Is an antibody-drug treatment with Brentuximab Vedotin (Adcetris) possible in Georgia?
- e) Is allogeneic cell transplantation available/possible in Georgia?
- f) Are the costs for the upper mentioned treatments (question b-e) covered by the UHC or other State Programs for vulnerable persons?
- g) Are the costs for chemo therapy or radiation therapy covered by the UHC or other State Programs for vulnerable persons?

I'd like to thank you in advance for your kind cooperation. Should you need any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards,

Sonja Rezvani

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