Introduction

HAE is a debilitating and unpredictable disease that can be controlled using various treatment options.

The available medications are used for treatment of on-demand acute attacks, chronic prophylaxis to prevent attacks or both.

We sought to better understand the choice of treatment and the ways in which these are being used in Canadian HAE patients.

Methods

Starting in January 2017, all members of HAE Canada were emailed an extensive survey to gather data on patients living with HAE and their caretakers. This was the first HAE national survey done in Canada, being referred to as the “Report Card on HAE in Canada”. Data was gathered and analyzed in October 2017 by using the percentage of HAE national survey done in Canada, being referred to as the “Report Card on HAE in Canada”.

Conclusion

HAE patients in Canada are using treatments to treat acute attacks on-demand and to prevent attacks by chronic prophylaxis. The frequency of their administration differs greatly between each medication. These results may be used to compare treatment usage patterns in other countries.

References


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