

Our Reference

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By Email

Dear

Freedom of Information Act 2000 - Request for Information – NHS North East & North Cumbria Integrated Care Board.

Thank you for your request received by North of England Commissioning Support (NECS) on 15 February 2023 for information held by NHS North East and North Cumbria Integrated Care Board (ICB) under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Clinical Commissioning Groups ceased to exist on 30 June 2022. Services that were previously delivered by the CCG are now being delivered by the successor organisation NHS North East and North Cumbria (ICB). This covers the areas of County Durham, Newcastle Gateshead, North Cumbria, North Tyneside, Northumberland, South Tyneside, Sunderland and Tees Valley.

Please find the information you requested on behalf of the ICB as follows.

Your Request and Our Response

I would be grateful if you would please clarify the following:

Strategic ICP

1) The arrangements for putting a question to the strategic ICP meeting

The Strategic ICP is a statutory joint committee that meets in public at the following times and places:

Wednesday 21st June 2023, 14:00-17:00, The Auditorium, Durham Centre, Belmont Industrial Estate. Durham. DH1 1TN

Thursday 7th December 2023, 14:00-17:00, The Auditorium, Durham Centre, Belmont Industrial Estate. Durham. DH1 1TN

Questions from the public to the Strategic ICP can be submitted in advance via the ICB website - <u>https://northeastnorthcumbria.nhs.uk/</u>. and their minutes will be available afterwards here <u>Meetings and agendas | North East and North Cumbria</u> <u>NHS (northeastnorthcumbria.nhs.uk)</u>

Area ICP

2) The location of the minutes of the Central and North Area ICP meetings

Our Area ICPs have not yet met formally but their minutes will be available in future on the ICP pages of our website

3) The arrangements for putting a question to a local ICP meeting

Public questions can be submitted via - <u>nencicb-sun.icbcorporateoffice@nhs.net</u> to the Strategic ICP and can be shared with Area ICPs as appropriate.

4) The names of people attending the Central and North Area ICP meetings

The full details of the membership lists for all our Area ICPs can be located within the Strategic ICP and Area ICPs terms of reference available on the NHS ICB Website <u>https://northeastnorthcumbria.nhs.uk/</u>.

Place-based arrangements

5) The operational arrangements for ICB place-based teams, and the location of minutes

Following the in-year transition from eight CCGs to one new ICB, we are working to finalise our place-based teams and governance structures from April 2023.

In line with the Information Commissioner's directive on the disclosure of information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 your request will form part of our disclosure log. Therefore, a version of our response which will protect your anonymity will be posted on the NHS ICB website <u>https://northeastnorthcumbria.nhs.uk/</u>.

If you have any queries or wish to discuss the information supplied, please do not hesitate to contact me on the above telephone number or at the above address.

If you are unhappy with the service you have received in relation to your request and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our decision, you should write to the Senior Governance Manager using the contact details at the top of this letter quoting the appropriate reference number. If you are not content with the outcome your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, the Information Commissioner cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the complaints procedure provided by The North of England Commissioning Support Unit.

The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF

www.ico.gov.uk

Any information we provide following your request under the Freedom of Information Act will not confer an automatic right for you to re-use that information, for example to publish it. If you wish to re-use the information that we provide and you do not specify this in your initial application for information then you must make a further request for its re-use as per the Re-Use of Public Sector Information Regulations 2015 <u>www.legislation.gov.uk</u>. This will not affect your initial information request.

Yours sincerely

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