



North East and North Cumbria

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Dear Applicant

Freedom of Information Act 2000 – Request for Information – NHS North East and North Cumbria Integrated Care Board (NENC ICB)

Thank you for your request received by North of England Commissioning Support (NECS) on 20 February 2024 for information held by NHS North East and North Cumbria Integrated Care Board (NENC ICB) under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

NENC ICB covers the areas of County Durham, Gateshead, Newcastle, North Cumbria, North Tyneside, Northumberland, South Tyneside, Sunderland, and Tees Valley (which covers the 5 councils that make it up – Darlington, Hartlepool, Middlesbrough, Redcar & Cleveland and Stockton-on-Tees).

Your Request

This is a freedom of information request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Please provide the following information you have pertaining to care provision for adults (ages 18+) with dementia or mental health needs:

Number of service users: younger adults (18-64)

1. The total number of younger adults (18-64) with dementia or mental health needs that in a care home service with nursing as of 31 March 2023, by average weekly fee (please fill in the table below). If there are service users that are co-funded by the LA and NHS, please only include those where you are the primary funder (i.e. fund $\geq 50\%$ of the care).

Can you please indicate if these are 'in area' or 'out of area' placements. By out of area, we mean where an individual is receiving care outside of the catchment area of the commissioning locality. If this is not possible, please provide the total number of service users.

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	Number of service users by average weekly fee/cost of care (e.g. paid to residential care provider)			
	Less than £1,000	£1,000-£2,499	£2,500-£4,999	More than £5,000
In area – care home service with nursing				
Out of area –care home service with nursing				
Total				

2. Please fill in the table above table again but with the corresponding information as of 31 March 2021
3. Please fill in the table above table again but with the corresponding information as of 31 March 2019

Number of service users: older adults (65+)

4. The total number of older adults (65+) with dementia or mental health needs in a care home service with nursing as of 31 March 2023, by average weekly fee (please fill in the table below). If there are service users that are co-funded by the LA and NHS, please only include those where you are the primary funder (i.e. fund ≥50% of the care).

Can you please indicate if these are 'in area' or 'out of area' placements. By out of area we mean where an individual is receiving care outside of the catchment area of the commissioning locality.

	Number of service users by average weekly fee/cost of care (e.g. paid to residential care provider)			
	Less than £1,000	£1,000-£2,499	£2,500-£4,999	More than £5,000
In area – care home service with nursing				
Out of area –care home service with nursing				
Total				

5. Please fill in the table above table again but with the corresponding information as of 31 March 2021

6. Please fill in the table above table again but with the corresponding information as of 31 March 2019

Service users: older adults (65+) in a hospital setting

7. The total number of older adults (65+) with dementia or mental health needs in an inpatient mental health hospital setting as of 31 March 2023.

Spend on services: Adults (aged 18+)

8. Please can you provide total spend by your ICB on care home services with nursing as of 31 March 2023 for all adults (18+) with dementia or mental health needs, by average weekly fee.

	Average weekly fee/cost of care (e.g. paid to residential care provider)				Total
	Less than £1,000	£1,000-£2,499	£2,500-£4,999	More than £5,000	
Annual spend					

If spend segmented by average weekly fee is not available, please only provide total spend.

9. Please fill in the table above table again but with the corresponding information as of 31 March 2021

10. Please fill in the table above table again but with the corresponding information as of 31 March 2019

Our Response

We can confirm, as per Section 1(1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, the ICB holds some of the information you have requested.

County Durham, Newcastle Gateshead, North Cumbria and Tees Valley



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North Tyneside place

Please be aware, we have provided data which we hold, the Local Authority case managed this service on behalf of North Tyneside up to 1st September 2022.



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Northumberland place



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South Tyneside place

NENC ICB do not hold the information for South Tyneside, please redirect your request to the local authority – foi@southtyneside.gov.uk

Sunderland place

A client is counted if they have a Permanent Nursing Placement and meet one or more of the following criteria:

- *They are S117*
- *They have a Primary Support Reason of Mental Health*
- *They are allocated to a MH cost team*
- *They have an EMI provision*

*Notes have been added to the bottom of the spreadsheet to explain what is included/ excluded
The In/ Out of Area is based on Sunderland address.*



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In accordance 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 <https://northeastnorthcumbria.nhs.uk/>.

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 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 review, you do have the right of complaint to the Information Commissioner as established by section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. 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

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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 www.legislation.gov.uk . This will not affect your initial information request.

Yours sincerely

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