



## 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 on 18 June 2026 for information held by NHS North East and North Cumbria Integrated Care Board (the ICB) under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. The ICB 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**

I'd like to enquire as to any funding that was sent to a charity which was intended to be set up. I do not believe the charity was registered in the end so it may apply under someone who is registered as a supplier or other with yourselves. This person's name is Adam Lee Hall.

The period in which money could have been allocated was 2010 and 2014. Having spoken with Gateshead Council I am told prior to 2013, sexual health services were commissioned by NHS South of Tyne and Wear, an organisation that ceased to exist in 2013. I wanted to check if you hold the records related to this FOI.

This funding would have been for a charity to be set up named HIVE or H.I.V.E. which would be to help people who are H.I.V. positive in the LGBTQ community in Tyne and Wear.

I'd like to request any documentation in relation to the above or Adam Lee Hall in respect to this. This pertains to money allocated by them, funds spent, information on the application process and other parties involved in the charity.

I have been referred here following an FOI request with NHS Sunderland and South Tyneside.

## Our Response

On this occasion it is not possible to provide the requested information. In line with your rights under section 1(1)(a) of the Act to be informed whether information is held, we confirm the ICB does not hold any of the information requested.

We do not hold a contract with this supplier. We do not hold payment information for these dates.

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 Information 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 ICB's complaints procedure.

The Information Commissioner can be contacted at Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF or [www.ico.org.uk](http://www.ico.org.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 [www.legislation.gov.uk](http://www.legislation.gov.uk). This will not affect your initial information request.

Yours faithfully

*Information Governance Support Officer*

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