

Our Reference North East and North Cumbria ICB\  
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By Email

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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 16 April 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).

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

**Your Request**

Please could I request the following information under the freedom of information act. The name and email address of the people within your organisation that hold the following job titles / responsibilities:

**People and Organisational Development**

- Director of Human Resources / Chief People Office
- Deputy Director Human Resources
- Director of Workforce
- Head of Leadership & Organisational Development
- People Systems & Workforce Information Manager
- Head of People Business Partnering

**Finance**

- Director of Finance
- Deputy Director of Finance
- Head of Procurement

## Executive Board

- Medical Director
- Director of Information Technology
- Director of Innovation and Infrastructure
- Chief Operating Officer

## 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.

## People and Organisational Development

- Chief Nurse, AHP & People Officer, David Purdue, [david.purdue@nhs.net](mailto:david.purdue@nhs.net)
- Deputy Chief of People and Culture, Leanne Furnell, [leanne.furnell@nhs.net](mailto:leanne.furnell@nhs.net)
- Director of Workforce is not a named post in the ICB, will fall under David/Leanne above.
- Deputy Director of People & Culture, Kathryn Grayling & Hamid Motraghi, [kathryn.grayling1@nhs.net](mailto:kathryn.grayling1@nhs.net); [hamid.motraghi@nhs.net](mailto:hamid.motraghi@nhs.net)
- People Systems & Workforce Information Manager is not a named post in ICB, will fall under Kathryn/Hamid above
- Strategic Head of People, Strategy and Workforce Planning, unknown unfilled post as of 16/04/2024

## Finance

- Chief Finance Officer, David Chandler, [david.chandler2@nhs.net](mailto:david.chandler2@nhs.net)
- There are 5 Directors under the Chief Finance Officer with further deputy posts under them:
  - Director of Finance – North and Acute, Phil Argent, [philip.argent@nhs.net](mailto:philip.argent@nhs.net)
  - Director of Finance – North Cumbria, Ambulance and MHL, Charles Welbourn, [charles.welbourn@nhs.net](mailto:charles.welbourn@nhs.net)
  - Director of Finance – Central & South and Primary & Community, Lynn Walton, [lynne.walton1@nhs.net](mailto:lynne.walton1@nhs.net)
  - Director of Finance – Medical, Nursing and Strategy, Kate Hudson, [kate.hudson-halliday@nhs.net](mailto:kate.hudson-halliday@nhs.net)
  - Director of Finance – Corporate, Richard Henderson, [richardhenderson1@nhs.net](mailto:richardhenderson1@nhs.net)
- Head of Procurement is not a named post; depending on what type of procurement should fall under one of the portfolios above

## Executive Board

- Chief Medical Officer, Neil O'Brien, [neilobrien@nhs.net](mailto:neilobrien@nhs.net)
- Chief Digital and Infrastructure Officer, Graham Evans [dr.gevans@nhs.net](mailto:dr.gevans@nhs.net)
- Director of Innovation and Infrastructure is not a named post. Infrastructure falls under Graham above, Innovation not named.
- Chief Executive, Samantha Allen, [s.allen24@nhs.net](mailto:s.allen24@nhs.net)

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  
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[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 sincerely

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