

Our Reference North East and North Cumbria

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By Email

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 17 January 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

I would be most grateful if you would provide under the Freedom of Information Act, details in respect of the following.

- 1. How many Dynamic Support Registers does your ICB have, and which age groups do they cover?
- 2. Do you delegate responsibility for the management of Dynamic Support Registers? If you do, can you provide the name of the organisations you delegate this responsibility to for each area and age group?
- 3. Do you currently have young people under 18 who are inpatients in hospital on your Dynamic Support Register/s.
- 4. How many young people under 18 do you have on your Dynamic Support Register/s who are inpatients in hospital?

- 5. How many of these young people have a C(E)TR?
- 6. How many of these young people have a young people's Key Worker?
- 7. How many young people who are inpatients in hospital have a discharge plan?
- 8. Who is the lead commissioner for the Dynamic Support Register (job title, name and contact detail if possible).
- 9. Who within your organisation would be best placed to speak to about commissioning solo placements for children on your Dynamic Support Register with complex needs? Please can you provide their contact details.

Our Response

We can confirm, as per Section 1(1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, the ICB does hold the information requested.

North East and North Cumbria Integrated Care Board responses:

- 1. 19. The DSRs cover all age groups.
- 2. In some areas yes we do, responsibility for management of the DSR in County Durham is delegated to Durham County Council. Responsibility for management of the Childrens (Autism only) DSR for North Tyneside is delegated to Northumbria Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust CAMHS.
- 3. Yes
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- 8. The ICB Lead for Complex Care and best person to contact would be Kate OBrien, Director of Transformation for Learning Disabilities, Autism and Mental Health, k.obrien1@nhs.net
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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

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. This will not affect your initial information request.

Yours sincerely

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