

Our Reference North East and North Cumbria ICB\  
FOI ICB 25–487

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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 on 24 February 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**

Please could you provide a list of all GP Federations which operate under your Integrated Care Board? I have been advised by NHS England that this information would be held at the ICB level rather than centrally.

If possible, I would like the list to include:

- The name of each GP Federation
- The geographical area or ICB area they operate within
- Any contact details held, such as websites or generic contact emails

**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. This is available as our response to request FOI ICB 25-127, from the NENC ICB FOI Disclosure Log and can be accessed at:

<https://northeastnorthcumbria.nhs.uk/media/rbkelyg5/foi-icb-25-127-response-letter.pdf>

In accordance with s.21 of the FOIA, we are not required to provide information in response to a request if it is reasonably accessible to you by other means.

Additional information is provided below:

#### County Durham place

- There are 6 GP Federations in County Durham. These are:
  - Central Durham Federation covers Durham
  - Chester-le-Street Federation covers Chester-le-Street practices
  - Derwentside Federation covers Derwentside practices (refer to letter)
  - Durham Dales Health Federation cover Durham Dales
  - Intrahealth have various practices across Durham and Easington areas
  - South Durham Health Federation cover Easington and Sedgefield
- The geographical areas area they operate within are noted in the response to FOI ICB 25-127.
- Website addresses for the GP Federations are:
  - Central Durham Federation: <https://www.centraldurhamgpproviders.co.uk/>
  - Chester Le Street Federation: <https://www.chester-le-street-health.co.uk/>
  - Derwentside Health Federation: <https://www.derwentsidehealthcare.co.uk/>
  - Durham Dales Health Federation: <https://ddhf.co.uk/>
  - Intrahealth: <https://www.intrahealth.co.uk/>
  - South Durham Health Federation: <https://southdurhamhealth.co.uk/>

#### Newcastle Gateshead place

- GP Federation contact website details:
  - CBC Health Federation: <https://www.cbchealth.co.uk/>
  - Newcastle GP Services (NGPS): <https://newcastle-gp-services.co.uk/>

#### North Cumbria place

- The Primary Care Collaboration North Cumbria covers part of the geography of North Cumbria place within NENC ICB; it does not represent all 33 practices in North Cumbria. The practices represented are:
  - Alston Medical Practice
  - Appleby Medical Practice
  - Birbeck Medical Group
  - Brampton Medical Practice
  - Carlisle Healthcare
  - Castlegate and Derwent Surgery
  - Castlehead Medical Centre
  - Court Thorn Surgery
  - Croft Surgery
  - Dalston Medical Group
  - Distington Surgery
  - Kirkoswald Practice
  - Longtown Medical Practice
  - Silloth Group Medical Practice
  - Spencer Street Surgery
  - The Lakes Medical Practice
  - Upper Eden Medical Practice
  - Westcroft House Surgery
  - Wigton Group Medical Practice
- Please contact Kirsty Jay, Operational Project Manager, via email at [Kirsty.Jay1@nhs.net](mailto:Kirsty.Jay1@nhs.net)

North Tyneside and Northumberland place

The information provided in response to FOI ICB 25-127 remains correct.

South Tyneside and Sunderland place

The information provided in response to FOI ICB 25-127 remains correct.

Tees Valley place

The GP federations within Tees Valley are:

Name	Address	Website	Contact
ELM Alliance (operating in Redcar and Cleveland, Middlesbrough)	First Floor, Hirsell Medical Centre, 5 Trinity Mews, North Ormesby Health Village, Middlesbrough, TS3 6AL	<a href="#">ELM Alliance</a>	<a href="mailto:elm.alliance@nhs.net">elm.alliance@nhs.net</a>
Primary Healthcare Darlington Federation (operating within Darlington)	Forsyth House, 20 Woodlands Road, Darlington, DL3 7PL	<a href="#">Primary Healthcare Darlington</a>	Tel: 01325 952278 Use the 'contact us' sheet on the Federation's website
Hartlepool and Stockton Health (H&SH) Federation (operating within Hartlepool and Stockton-on-Tees)	Gloucester House, Church Road, Stockton-on-Tees TS18 1TW	<a href="#">Hartlepool &amp; Stockton Health</a>	Tel: 01642 061047 Use the 'contact us' sheet on the Federation's website <a href="mailto:info.hash@nhs.net">info.hash@nhs.net</a>

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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