



# North East and North Cumbria

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By Email

Dear

**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 21 April 2023 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.

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

**Your Request**

**I'd like to request you provide the following information on children's MH spending by your ICS for the following data.**

**Please provide you spend for the last 5 years for children's (under 18) mental health providers in excel format, however if this is over the time limit for FOI's please focus on the last 3 years or year respectively dependent on time:**

**I would suggest column titles in the excel would be:**

- Name of the provider of mental health service**
- Type (Digital or in person)**
- Year**
- Type of service if available (psychology services, counselling etc)**
- Spend in £value**
- Number of patients served**

## Our Response

NENC ICB does not hold all of the requested information. Our view is that your request needs to be redirected to the Foundation Trusts as they will have the relevant data, including finances. Please find their contact details below

County Durham & Darlington NHS Foundation Trust – [cdda-tr.cddftfoi@nhs.net](mailto:cdda-tr.cddftfoi@nhs.net)

Tees, Esk & Wear Valley NHS Trust – [tewv.ftmembership@nhs.net](mailto:tewv.ftmembership@nhs.net)

South Tees Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust – [foi@stees.nhs.uk](mailto:foi@stees.nhs.uk)

Northumbria Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust – [foi@northumbria.nhs.uk](mailto:foi@northumbria.nhs.uk)

Gateshead Health NHS Foundation Trust – [ghnt.foi.enquiries@nhs.net](mailto:ghnt.foi.enquiries@nhs.net)

Newcastle Upon Tyne Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust –  
[nuth.freedom.information@nhs.net](mailto:nuth.freedom.information@nhs.net)

Cumbria, Northumberland, Tyne & Wear NHS Foundation Trust – [foi@ntw.nhs.uk](mailto:foi@ntw.nhs.uk)

North Tees & Hartlepool NHS Foundation Trust – [foi@nth.nhs.uk](mailto:foi@nth.nhs.uk)

South Tyneside and Sunderland NHS Foundation Trust –  
[Stsft.freedomofinformation@nhs.net](mailto:Stsft.freedomofinformation@nhs.net)

North Cumbria Integrated Care Foundation NHS Trust – [FOIRequests@ncic.nhs.uk](mailto:FOIRequests@ncic.nhs.uk)

NENC ICB is only able to provide you with third sector projects from our contracts as below.

North Cumbria place – nil response

Newcastle, Gateshead, North Tyneside, South Tyneside, Sunderland and Northumberland places - please see the attachments:

"NECs contract management for ICB340.ods" and  
"South Tyneside.xlsx"

Where the responses in the "NECs contract management for ICB340.ods" spreadsheet are "Services sub-contracted by CNTW" the information is not held by NENC ICB and you will need to contact Cumbria, Northumberland, Tyne & Wear NHS Foundation Trust – [foi@ntw.nhs.uk](mailto:foi@ntw.nhs.uk) for this information.

County Durham and Tees Valley places - please see the attachment

"FOI ICB340 TV & CD.xlsx"

In line 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 make a complaint or 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 complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. 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.gov.uk](http://www.ico.gov.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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