



North East and North Cumbria

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By Email

Freedom of Information Act 2000 - Request for Information – NHS North East & North Cumbria Integrated Care Board.

Thank you for your request received by North of England Commissioning Support (NECS) on 18th July for information held by NHS North East and North Cumbria Integrated Care Board (ICB) under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

For information Clinical Commissioning Groups ceased to exist on 30 June 2022. Services that were previously delivered by the CCG are now being delivered by the successor organisation NHS North East and North Cumbria (ICB).

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

Request

Would you kindly provide the list of Care Homes in your geographical area together with:

1. The designated PCNs
2. The GP Practices associated to each care home
3. The Clinical Lead(s) (i.e. GP) designated to each care home

Response

The response will be provided as placed based regions:

County Durham: In County Durham it was agreed that Care Homes would be aligned to a single general practice (going further than the Direct Enhanced Service requirements). Each aligned general practice has a lead GP appointed who has responsibility for that care home. The NENC ICB does not hold the names of the lead GPs.

See attached spreadsheet.



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PCNs aligned to care I

Newcastle Gateshead:

1 - The list below shows the list of Care Homes that meet the current requirements of the Care Homes element of the PCN Network DES and the PCNs to whom those homes are aligned (as per the Care Homes specification).



NGCCG Care Homes
DES list July 2022.xlsx

2 - The CCG did/does not hold the detail around which practice is linked to which home For details of which practice is in which PCN please see:

<https://newcastlegatesheadccg.nhs.uk/about-us/primary-care/primary-care-networks/>

3 - The CCG did/does not hold the detail around which GP or clinical lead is linked to which home

North Cumbria: Please see attached document



Copy of care home
alignment 260722 v2

Please note that Carlisle practices are currently holding discussions regarding the Care homes so there will be some changes going forward within the Carlisle area.

North Tyneside: Please see attached document.



North Tyneside
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Northumberland: Please see attached document



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South Tyneside: Please see attached document



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Sunderland: The ICB do not hold the name of the Clinical Lead for each home. Not all care homes are covered by PCNs/practices as they had the option to opt out of receiving PCN support. Please see attached document for further details.



Sunderland Care
Home Alignment.xls

Tees Valley:

Please see attached spreadsheet –



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
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Yours sincerely

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