

Date: 3 September 2020 Our reference: N/20/3105

Dear Requestor

RE: Freedom of Information Request

With reference to your request for information I can confirm in accordance with Section 1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 that we do hold the information that you have requested. A response to each part of your request is below.

Please note, as of 1st April 2020 the following Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCGs), NHS Mansfield & Ashfield CCG, NHS Newark & Sherwood CCG, NHS Nottingham City CCG, NHS Nottingham North & East CCG, NHS Nottingham West CCG and NHS Rushcliffe CCG, merged to become NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire CCG. More information around the new NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire CCG can be found on our website - https://nottsccg.nhs.uk/about-us/our-ccg/

In the request you asked:

I am writing to you on behalf of the Talent Insights team in the NHSE/I People Directorate, who have been tasked with an exercise of refreshing the comprehensive data set on the membership of NHS Provider and CCG boards, including data across key protected characteristics. We are hoping that you can assist the team in identifying the board secretary of the **NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire CCG**, board.

The Non-Executive Appointments team in NHSI previously collected this data in 2017 and produced a high-level aggregated report that was published on NHS Improvement's website <a href="here.">here.</a>

Now more than ever is a crucial time for this work to be resumed, so we can support the actions laid out in the Long-Term Plan and the People Plan to improve the leadership culture, by supporting organisations in the recruitment, development and retention of the best and most diverse boards and board members.

Talent Insights are now responsible for this survey and producing a high-level analysis on the composition of NHS provider and CCG boards. All personal and sensitive data that is not already in the public domain will be anonymised and aggregated. At no point will any of the data be published or otherwise shared in a way that would enable them as individuals to be identifiable.

For information relating to the CCG board please contact Lucy Branson, Associate Director of Governance via <a href="mailto:lucy.branson@nhs.net">lucy.branson@nhs.net</a> or by writing to NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire CCG, 1 Standard Court, Park Row, Nottingham, NG1 6GN.

If you are unhappy with the way in which your request has been handled, NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Clinical Commissioning Group have an internal review procedure through which you can raise any concerns you might have. Further details of this procedure can be obtained by contacting Lucy Branson, Associate Director of Governance via <a href="mailto:lucy.branson@nhs.net">lucy.branson@nhs.net</a> or by writing to NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire CCG, 1 Standard Court, Park Row, Nottingham, NG1 6GN.

If you remain dissatisfied with the outcome of the internal review, you can apply to the Information Commissioner's Office, who will consider whether the organisation has complied with its obligations under the Act, and can require the organisation to remedy any problems. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the complaints procedure provided by NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Clinical Commissioning Group formerly known as NHS Mansfield and Ashfield Clinical Commissioning Group, NHS Newark and Sherwood Clinical Commissioning Group, NHS Rushcliffe Clinical Commissioning Group, NHS Nottingham West Clinical Commissioning Group, NHS Nottingham City Clinical Commissioning Group and Nottingham North and East Clinical Commissioning Group. You can find out more about how to do this, and about the Act in general, on the Information Commissioner's Office website at: <a href="https://ico.org.uk/for-the-public/">https://ico.org.uk/for-the-public/</a>

Complaints to the Information Commissioner's Office should be sent to: FOI/EIR Complaints Resolution, Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF Telephone 0303 123 1113 or report a concern: <a href="https://ico.org.uk/concerns/">https://ico.org.uk/concerns/</a>

## Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Officer on behalf of NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Clinical Commissioning Group formerly known as NHS Rushcliffe Clinical Commissioning Group, NHS Nottingham West Clinical Commissioning Group, NHS Nottingham North and East Clinical Commissioning Group, NHS Mansfield and Ashfield Clinical Commissioning Group and NHS Newark and Sherwood Clinical Commissioning Group.

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