



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 partially hold the information that you have requested. In the request you asked:

How many GP practices in your CCG area are owned by private companies?

please state

a) the name of the practice

b) who is it run by

c) when it was taken over by this company

d) how much money it was sold for.

e) please say if this was done after public consultation or not.

Please see attached document for a list of GP Practices in Nottingham and Nottinghamshire.

NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire CCG does not hold the information you have requested for questions b), c), d) and e).

In Nottingham and Nottinghamshire, there are 126 providers that hold a General Medical Services (GMS), Personal Medical Services (PMS) or Alternative Provider Medical Services (APMS) contract to deliver primary medical services. All of our providers of primary medical services are independent/private businesses with their own business models.

Changes to the partnerships under this model for general practice contracts are transacted by Primary Care Support England (PCSE) on behalf of NHS England, across the 126 general practice contracts in Nottingham and Nottinghamshire changes happen on a weekly and some times daily basis as partners join or leave contracts.

The CCG does not have access to the database that holds this information. You may wish to contact NHS England to request this information. Information on how to submit a Freedom of Information request to NHS England can be found on their website - <https://www.england.nhs.uk/contact-us/foi/>

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 lucy.branson@nhs.net 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: <https://ico.org.uk/for-the-public/>

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: <https://ico.org.uk/concerns/>

Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Officer on behalf of *NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Clinical Commissioning Group*.

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