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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. A response to your request is below.

### In the request you asked:

*Tier 3*

*1. Does your PCO offer a tier 3 weight management service (or equivalent specialist weight management service)? Is it self-commissioned? If commissioned elsewhere, where (other ICB/ health board/ trust)?*

This is commissioned via Doncaster and Bassetlaw Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (DBTH) for patients with a Bassetlaw postcode and via University Hospitals of Derby and Burton for patients with a Nottingham and Nottinghamshire postcode.

*2. For how many patients is your PCO’s tier 3 weight management service (or equivalent specialist weight management service) commissioned for?*

There is no limit to how many patients can access this service.

*3. How many patients have been referred from your PCO to a tier 3 weight management service (or equivalent specialist weight management service) in the past 12 months?*

NNICB do not hold this data. A request would need to be made directly to the providers;

[Freedom of Information - Doncaster and Bassetlaw Teaching Hospitals (dbth.nhs.uk)](https://www.dbth.nhs.uk/contact/freedom-of-information/)

[Freedom of Information | University Hospitals of Derby and Burton NHS (uhdb.nhs.uk)](https://www.uhdb.nhs.uk/freedom-of-information-foi)

*4. What is the average waiting time to access your Tier 3 weight management service (or equivalent specialist weight management service) in the past 12 months?*

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*Tier 4*

*5. Does your PCO have access to a tier 4 weight management service? If so, who Commissions it?*

This is commissioned via Doncaster and Bassetlaw Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (DBTH) for patients with a Bassetlaw postcode and via University Hospitals of Derby and Burton for patients with a Nottingham and Nottinghamshire postcode.

*6. How many patients have been referred to your PCO’s tier 4 weight management service (or equivalent specialist weight management service) in the past 12 months?*

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*7. What is the Current number of patients on a waiting list for Tier 4 weight management services in your PCO*

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*8. What is the average waiting time to access your Tier 4 weight management service?*

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*OTHER*

*9. How many patients were referred through the 'local enhanced service for referrals' to weight management services in your PCO?*

3693 were referred to weight management services

If you are unhappy with the way in which your request has been handled, NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Integrated Care Board (ICB) 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](mailto:lucy.branson@nhs.net) or by writing to FOI Team at NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire ICB, Sir John Robinson House, Sir John Robinson Way, Arnold, Daybrook, Nottingham, NG5 6DA.

If you remain dissatisfied with the outcome of the internal review, you can apply to the Information Commissioner’s Office (ICO), 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 ICB. 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 via <https://ico.org.uk/concerns/>

Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information (FOI) Officeron behalf of *NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Integrated Care Board*

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