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NN-ICB/23/312

**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.

In the request you asked:

- How many contracts has the ICB stopped or discontinued since taking over from CCGs (1 July 2022)?
  - Please give details of the changes, including service provision and date discontinued, and money allocated to the contract during its most recent financial year.

There have been no recorded decisions to disinvest since 1 July 2022.

- How many contracts has the ICB procured or set up since taking over form CCGs (1 July 2022)?
  - Please give details of the changes, including service provision and date confirmed/established, and total funding allocated to each contract.
    - Contract Award GP Direct Access, Any Qualified Provider (AQP), Non-Obstetric Ultrasound Service (NOUS) to Mediservices Healthcare for a period of 32 months to start 1 August 2022, with the option to extend for a further 24 months.

As this is an AQP contract there is no value.

• Contract Award - Care at Home for Children and Young People to NurtureCare, Apollo Home Healthcare, Advantage, Bright Integrated Care, Empowering U, Kope Medics for three years.

As this is an AQP contract there is no value.

 Contract Award – Urgent Care Response Sitting Service to AgeUK Collaboration – UCR & Social Care for 18 months.

Contract Value - £153,000

• Contract Award - Improving Access to Psychological Therapies (IAPT to VITA Healthcare Limited for a period of 5 years.

Contract Value - £97.1 million

 Contract Award - Ophthalmology services to Community Health and Eye Care (CHEC) for three years. As this is a framework agreement there is no value.

• How many contracts has the ICB got in place in total (most recent data available)?

The contracts register is available on the ICB website via the following link - <u>https://notts.icb.nhs.uk/wp-content/uploads/sites/2/2022/04/NNN-ICB-Contracts-Liabilities-</u> <u>Register-01.04.2023.pdf</u>

- Has the ICB altered any thresholds for referrals for any of its services since taking over from CCGs (1 July 2022)?
  - If yes, please give details of service and changes.

The ICB has not changed any thresholds for accessing care and treatment in any of our contracts.

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 <u>lucy.branson@nhs.net</u> 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.

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

Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information (FOI) Officer on behalf of NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Integrated Care Board

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