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Dear Requestor

Re: Freedom of Information Request

Thank you for your request for information, received on 6 October 2025, regarding GP Out of Hours Services Contract and Procurement Plans. We have processed your request in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

Under the FOIA, public authorities like ours are required to respond to requests for information within 20 working days. In response to your request, I can confirm that we do hold the information requested.

Please find below our response to your request:

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| Who is the current provider of these services? | NEMS Community Benefit Service | DHU Healthcare (Bassetlaw) |
| Which GP Out of Hours services went through procurement and which were a direct award? | <p>Direct award of a contract from 1 October 2023 to 31 March 2026.</p> <p>The Provider Selection Regime did not come into force until 1 January 2024 therefore there was no requirement to publish a transparency notice.</p> | <p>Provider Selection Regime Direct Award Process 1C the period 1 April 2025 to 31 March 2026.</p> <p>Contract Award Transparency Notice published on the Find a Tender Service https://www.find-tender.service.gov.uk/Notice/001537-2025.</p> |
| What is the actual spend on this contract from the start of the contract to the current date? | £14,629,890 for the 25 month period 1 October 2023 to 31 October 2025 | £898,634 for the 7 month period 1 April 2025 to 31 October 2025 |
| What is the start date and duration of the contract? | 1 October 2023 to 31 March 2026 | 1 April 2025 to 31 March 2026 |
| Is there an extension clause in the framework(s)/ contract(s) and, if so, what is the duration of the extension? | No | No |

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| Has a decision been made yet on whether the contract(s) are being either extended or renewed? | Yes | Yes |
| Is there an aim to go out to procurement for this service? If so, when do you envisage this occurring? | No | No |

If you are unhappy with the way in which your request has been handled, NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Integrated Care Board (ICB) has 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, Director of Corporate Affairs via 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) Officer on behalf of NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire Integrated Care Board

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