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Dear Requestor

Re: Freedom of Information Request

Thank you for your request for information, received on 1 May 2026, regarding community spirometry, FENO and respiratory services. 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:

1. How many contracts has the authority awarded for services which include spirometry, including contracts awarded by predecessor CCG organisations in the past three years?

Seven contracts in total.

2. How many of these contracts fall into each of the following categories:

- a) awarded to GP Practices or groups of GP practices under Locally Commissioned Services or Locally Enhanced Services contracts (LCS or LES):

One.

- b) awarded as part of Community Diagnostic Centre Contracts (CDCs).

One.

- c) awarded to independent or third sector providers.

Two.

- d) awarded to NHS acute providers.

Four (one of which includes the contract listed within the response to question 2b (to CDC).

3. For contracts awarded to independent or third sector providers (2c above) please provide:

- a) the date of contract commencement

1) 1 April 2022

2) 1 April 2026

b) the length of the initial contract

1) Three years

2) Two years

c) the maximum extension period of the contract

1) One year

2) Two years

d) the name of the contractor (or contractors if more than one contract)

1) Nottingham City GP Alliance

2) Primary Integrated Community Services

e) whether the contract includes any other services such as Feno or respiratory services
FeNO testing.

4. Does the authority plan to commence any procurement processes for services which include spirometry within the next 6 months (i.e. before 1st November 2026)?

No.

5. To the nearest 10%, approximately how many spirometry tests were paid for in the financial year ended 31st March 2026?

The ICB does not hold this information. You may wish to contact individual providers to request this and how to submit a Freedom of Information request to each provider can be found on their website links below:

- Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust - <https://www.nuh.nhs.uk/freedom-of-information>
- Sherwood Forest Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust - [Freedom of Information | Sherwood Forest Hospitals](#)
- Doncaster and Bassetlaw Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust - <https://www.dbth.nhs.uk/contact/freedom-of-information/>
- Nottinghamshire Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust - <https://www.nottinghamshirehealthcare.nhs.uk/c-freedom-of-information>.

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Yours sincerely

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