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Dear Requestor

Re: Freedom of Information Request

Thank you for your request for information, received on 19 May 2026, regarding clinical homecare medicines 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 not hold the information requested.

Details of your request:

I am investigating clinical homecare medicines services across England. By “clinical homecare medicines services”, I mean services initiated or managed by the ICB which enable patients to receive ongoing medicines supply and, where relevant, associated care such as nursing support, patient training, medicine administration, monitoring or delivery at home or another non-hospital setting. This includes NHS-funded, manufacturer-funded and mixed-funded homecare medicines schemes, where this information is held by the ICB. Examples of clinical homecare providers include Healthnet, Sciensus, Lloyds Pharma Clinical Homecare, Alcura.

1. Does your trust employ one or more homecare medicine services provider(s) to deliver and/or administer medicines to patients in their normal residence? If so, what is the name of the provider(s)?
2. Please provide a breakdown on spend by each clinical homecare provider for the following NHS financial years: FY24, FY25 and FY26.
3. For each provider, how many active patients received your homecare medicines service as of 31 March 2024, 31 March 2025 and 31 March 2026?
4. For each provider, please provide a list of medications delivered and/or administered through this service as of 31 March 2024, 31 March 2025 and 31 March 2026?
5. For each provider, as a proportion of all deliveries, what percentage of medicine and ancillaries deliveries were late in the most recent reporting period for which you have data, and in two comparable reporting periods (e.g. if giving data for March 2026, please also give figures for March 2025 and March 2024)? Please state what period the figures are for.
6. Please provide a breakdown of the expenditure (£m) on each of the top 10 clinical homecare products/drugs dispensed to clinical homecare service users in your Trust for the following NHS financial years: FY24, FY25 and FY26.

Note that FY is defined as a year that starts in April and ends in March. For example, FY24 starts on 1 April 2023 and ends on 31 March 2024.

Our response to your request:

The ICB does not hold the information requested in the format specified.

Clinical homecare medicines services are not commissioned or managed centrally by the ICB as a single consolidated service. Where such arrangements are in place, they are held and managed locally by individual acute provider organisations as part of their own service contracts and operational arrangements.

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/>.

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 Governance and Assurance 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.

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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

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