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Dear

## Re: Your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 Ref no: FOI-2758-LSC

Thank you for your request dated 29 December 2022.

We can confirm that the ICB does hold part of the information you requested.

Please find our response to your questions below:

| Q1 | Your Question:  |
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|    | Please name the organisation(s) that deliver(s) CYP (children and young people) ADHD assessment / diagnoses in your ICB area  |
|    | <ul><li>a. When did the contract(s) begin and when is the contract(s) due to end</li><li>b. What is the annual spend for this service for 2022, and for the last 5 years?</li></ul> |
|    | c. How is the service contracted – is it Block, Activity-based, or AQP contracting?   |
|    | d. If the service is commissioned with other CCGs, ICSs or Trusts, which are these?   |
|    | e. At what prevalence (% of the child population) have the contracts been commissioned against?   |

|    | Our Response:  |
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|    | <ul> <li>Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (BTH)</li> <li>a) recurrent block contract renewed yearly</li> <li>b) part of CAMHS element of block contract, unable to separate specific to ADHD</li> <li>c) block contract</li> <li>d) Blackpool only</li> <li>e) block contract</li> </ul>  |
|    | <ul> <li>Lancashire and South Cumbria NHS Foundation Trust (LSCFT)</li> <li>a) recurrent block contract renewed yearly</li> <li>b) part of CAMHS element of block contract, unable to separate specific to ADHD</li> <li>c) block contract</li> <li>d) Fylde &amp; Wyre, Chorley and parts of South Ribble, West Lancashire, Morecambe Bay</li> <li>e) Block contract</li> </ul> |
|    | <ul> <li>Lancashire Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (LTHTr)</li> <li>a) recurrent block contract renewed yearly</li> <li>b) part of block contract, unable to separate specific to ADHD</li> <li>c) block contract</li> <li>d) Preston, parts of South Ribble</li> <li>e) Block contract</li> </ul>  |
|    | <ul> <li>East Lancashire Hospitals Trust (ELHT)</li> <li>a) recurrent block contract renewed yearly</li> <li>b) part of CAMHS element of block contract, unable to separate specific to ADHD</li> <li>c) block contract</li> <li>d) Pennine</li> <li>e) Block contract</li> </ul>  |
| Q2 | Your Question:<br>Does the same organisation as for Question 1 also deliver CYP ADHD<br>prescriptions and post-diagnosis ADHD support in your ICB area? If not, please<br>provide the same information for this organisation.  |
|    | Our Response:<br>Yes, with element of shared care with GP following local shared care<br>guidelines (attached). ADHD North West are also commissioned on a non-<br>recurrent basis for support for families of CYP with ADHD.  |
| Q3 | Your Question:<br>Please outline the CYP ADHD pathway in your area, including key referral sources   |

|    | Our Response:  |
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|    | CYP ADHD services delivered according to THRIVE conceptual model,<br>getting advice, getting help, getting more help, getting risk support. CYP<br>ADHD services cover ages 0-18, up to 19 <sup>th</sup> birthday to those registered with<br>a GP within Lancashire and South Cumbria. Information publicly available<br>at <u>Children and Young People :: Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder</u><br>(ADHD) (healthyyoungmindslsc.co.uk)<br>East Lancashire Hospitals Trust:<br>Under 10's referral into community paediatrics, over 10's referral into<br>CAMHS<br>Key referral sources information is not held by NHS Lancashire and South<br>Cumbria ICB. You may wish to redirect your request to the providers.<br>Contact information is listed in response to question 4 below. |
| Q4 | Your Question:   |
|    | <ul> <li>How many children and young people are currently waiting for a CYP ADHD assessment in your area? What is the longest and median wait time from a referral?</li> <li>a. Within the last year, how many children and young people were assessed within 12 weeks of referral?</li> <li>b. Within the last year, how many children and young people were discharged without assessment?</li> <li>c. Please answer Questions 4, 4a, 4b for as many historic years as possible, up to 5 years</li> </ul>  |
|    | Our Response:  |
|    | NHS Lancashire and South Cumbria ICB do not hold this information. You may wish to redirect your request to the providers:   |
|    | Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust<br><u>https://www.bfwh.nhs.uk/our-services/information-governance/freedom-of-information-f-o-i/</u>  |
|    | East Lancashire Hospitals NHS Trust<br>https://elht.nhs.uk/about-us/freedom-of-information   |
|    | Lancashire Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust <a href="https://www.lancsteachinghospitals.nhs.uk/freedom-of-information">https://www.lancsteachinghospitals.nhs.uk/freedom-of-information</a>   |
|    | Lancashire and South Cumbria NHS Foundation Trust<br>https://www.lscft.nhs.uk/about-us/publications-reports-policies/freedom-<br>information   |
| Q5 | Your Question:   |
|    | <ul> <li>For the last 5 years, please give the number of CYP patients per year in the ICB who were:</li> <li>a. Referred for ADHD assessment</li> <li>b. Given an ADHD assessment</li> <li>c. Given an ADHD assessment from a 'Right to Choose' provider, outside the service contracted</li> <li>d. Diagnosed with ADHD</li> </ul>  |
|    | Our Response:  |

|    | NHS Lancashire and South Cumbria ICB do not hold this information. You may wish to redirect your request to the providers listed in question 4 above.  |
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| Q6 | Your Question:   |
|    | <ul> <li>For the last 5 years, what was the average number of ADHD-qualified staff delivering services in the area? How does this split by role: <ul> <li>a. Qualified psychiatrists</li> <li>b. Paediatricians</li> <li>c. Speech and Language therapists</li> <li>d. Clinical Psychologists</li> <li>e. For a-d, please also give numbers of trainees</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
|    | Our Response:  |
|    | NHS Lancashire and South Cumbria ICB do not hold this information. You may wish to redirect your request to the providers listed in question 4 above.  |
| Q7 | Your Question:   |
|    | Please provide equivalent answers for Questions 1-6, but for Adult ADHD services in the ICB. If the ICB does not distinguish between CYP and Adult ADHD services, please answer Questions 1-6 for all patients collectively:   |
|    | <ul> <li>Please name the organisation(s) that deliver(s) Adult ADHD assessment / diagnoses in your ICB area</li> <li>a. When did the contract(s) begin and when is the contract(s) due to end</li> <li>b. What is the annual spend for this service for 2022, and for the last 5</li> </ul>  |
|    | <ul> <li>years?</li> <li>c. How is the service contracted – is it Block, Activity-based, or AQP contracting?</li> </ul>  |
|    | <ul> <li>d. If the service is commissioned with other CCGs, ICSs or Trusts, which are these?</li> </ul>  |
|    | e. At what prevalence (% of the child population) have the contracts been commissioned against?  |
|    | Our Response:  |
|    | There are two providers for Adult services:  |
|    | Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust (BTH)  |
|    | <ul> <li>a) recurrent block contract renewed yearly</li> <li>b) part of CAMHS element of block contract, unable to separate specific to<br/>ADHD</li> </ul>  |
|    | <ul><li>c) block contract</li><li>d) Blackpool only</li></ul>  |
|    | e) Within block contract   |
|    | Modality LLP   |
|    | <ul><li>a) 1 April 2021 and it's been renewed yearly</li><li>b) £1.5m</li></ul>  |
|    | <ul> <li>c) Activity based</li> <li>d) Fylde &amp; Wyre, Central Lancashire, West Lancashire, Morecambe Bay,<br/>Pennine.</li> </ul>   |
|    | <ul> <li>e) Block contract, based on cost per case to the maximum of the financial contract value.</li> </ul>  |

| Q8  | Your Question:  |
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|     | Does the same organisation as for Question 1 also deliver Adult ADHD prescriptions and post-diagnosis ADHD support in your ICB area? If not, please |
|     | provide the same information for this organisation.   |
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|     | Our Response:   |
|     | Yes, with element of shared care with GP following local shared care  |
|     | guidelines (attached).  |
| Q9  | Your Question:  |
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|     | Please outline the Adult ADHD pathway in your area, including key referral sources  |
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|     | Our Response:   |
|     | Referral is from GP from Emis system to Modality LLP, Lancashire and  |
|     | South Cumbria NHS Foundation Trust professionals can also refer in.   |
|     | Pre-April 2021, Lancashire and South Cumbria NHS Foundation Trust   |
|     | provided the service.   |
| Q10 | Your Question:  |
|     | Lieu menu children and voung naanle are currently waiting for Adult ADUD  |
|     | How many children and young people are currently waiting for Adult ADHD assessment in your area? What is the longest and median wait time from a    |
|     | referral?   |
|     | a. Within the last year, how many people were assessed within 12 weeks of referral?   |
|     | b. Within the last year, how many people were discharged without  |
|     | assessment?<br>c. Please answer Questions 4, 4a, 4b for as many historic years as possible,   |
|     | up to 5 years   |
|     | Our Response:   |
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|     | Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust:<br>NHS Lancashire and South Cumbria ICB do not hold this information. You                        |
|     | may wish to redirect your request to the provider: Blackpool Teaching   |
|     | Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust.<br>https://www.bfwh.nhs.uk/our-services/information-governance/freedom-of-  |
|     | information-f-o-i/  |
|     | Modality:   |
|     | Waiting for Adult ADHD assessment = 3,642   |
|     | Longest wait = 36 months<br>Median Wait = 23 weeks  |
|     | a. 102  |
|     | b. 73<br>- Pro April 2021, Langaphire and South Cumbric NHS Foundation Trust  |
|     | c. Pre-April 2021, Lancashire and South Cumbria NHS Foundation Trust provided the service. You may wish to redirect your request to the             |
|     | provider.<br>https://www.lscft.nhs.uk/about-us/publications-reports-policies/freedom-   |
|     | information   |
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| Q11 | Your Question:   |
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|     | <ul> <li>For the last 5 years, please give the number of Adult patients per year in the ICB who were:</li> <li>a. Referred for ADHD assessment</li> <li>b. Given an ADHD assessment</li> <li>c. Given an ADHD assessment from a 'Right to Choose' provider, outside the service contracted</li> <li>d. Diagnosed with ADHD</li> </ul>                              |
|     | Our Response:  |
|     | Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust:<br>NHS Lancashire and South Cumbria ICB do not hold this information. You<br>may wish to redirect your request to the provider: Blackpool Teaching<br>Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust.   |
|     | Modality:<br>2021/22<br>a. 2271<br>b. 922<br>c. not known, data is not held in this way<br>d. 922  |
|     | 2022/23 (to Nov 22)<br>a. 3,238<br>b. 904<br>c. not known, data is not held in this way<br>d. 904  |
| Q12 | Your Question:   |
|     | <ul> <li>For the last 5 years, what was the average number of ADHD-qualified staff delivering services in the area? How does this split by role:</li> <li>a. Qualified psychiatrists</li> <li>b. Paediatricians</li> <li>c. Speech and Language therapists</li> <li>d. Clinical Psychologists</li> <li>e. For a-d, please also give numbers of trainees</li> </ul> |
|     | Our Response:  |
|     | NHS Lancashire and South Cumbria ICB do not hold this information. You may wish to redirect your request to the provider: Blackpool Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust.   |
|     | Modality:<br>17 (unable to break down by role)   |

## **Right of Appeal**

Should you require any further information or clarification regarding this response please do not hesitate to contact us. If you are dissatisfied with the response, you are entitled to request an internal review which should be formally requested in writing and must be within two calendar months from the date this response was issued.

## To request an internal review

You can request this by contacting the FOI team by email at <u>MLCSU.FOITeam@nhs.net</u> or by post to Jubilee House, Lancashire Business Park, Leyland, PR266TR, specifying why you require a review.

If you are not content with the outcome of your internal review, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the CCGs FOI complaints procedure. The ICO can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF www.ico.gov.uk

Yours sincerely

On behalf of Kevin Lavery ICB Chief Executive