



Our Ref: PW/AKB/FOI-04-013

6<sup>th</sup> April 2023

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Sent by email

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Dear

**FOI-04-013**

**Your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000**

Thank you for your request for information received on the 5<sup>th</sup> April 2023. Please see our responses in blue below:

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- 1. Please could you provide a copy of the most recent draft of NHS Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent ICB's Joint Forward Plan? According to [guidance from NHS England](#) these were due to be drafted for consultation as of 31 March 2023 (pg 2).**

Please be advised that we have applied Section 22 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 against your request as we are unable to share the Joint Forward Plan until it has been finalised for publication which we anticipate will be early July 2023. Once finalised it will be made available on the ICB website.

**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 an internal review by contacting the Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent Integrated Care Board FOI team by emailing the team at [StaffsStokeFOI@staffsstoke.icb.nhs.uk](mailto:StaffsStokeFOI@staffsstoke.icb.nhs.uk) or by post to the address at the top of this letter.

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 Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent Integrated Care Board's FOI complaints procedure.

The ICO can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office  
Wycliffe House  
Water Lane  
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Yours sincerely

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