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Dear

**FOI-10-556**

**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> October 2023. We can confirm that the Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent Integrated Care Board can provide the following information.

An anonymised copy of this response will be made publicly available on the ICB website.

Please see our responses in blue below:

The following responses relate to the specific System Development Funding for Maternity received by the Integrated Care Board that has been spent during the period in question. It does not include expenditure on standard maternity services. This information would need to be sourced directly from the individual NHS Provider Trusts.

**1. What budget was allocated by the ICS to maternity and neonatal services in 2021/22, 2022/23 and 2023/24?**

Allocation / budget received by the ICB:

2021/2022: £ 890,349.00  
2022/2023: £1,105,000.00  
2023/2024: £1,246,226.00

**2. What did the ICS spend on maternity and neonatal services in 2021/22 and 2022/23?**

Allocation / budget received by the ICB:

2021/2022: £ 890,349.00  
2022/2023: £1,105,000.00

**3. What is the projected ICS spend on maternity and neonatal services in 2023/24?**

Allocation / budget received by the ICB:

2023/2024: £1,246,226.00

**4. What budget was allocated by the ICS to developing and implementing the Local Maternity and Neonatal Systems' equity and equality action plan in 2021/22, 2022/23 and 2023/24?**

No specific funding for the ICB Equity and Equality Plan.

**5. What did the ICS spend on developing and implementing the Local Maternity and Neonatal Systems' equity and equality action plan in 2021/22 and 2022/23?**

See question 4 above.

**6. What is the projected ICS spend on developing and implementing the Local Maternity and Neonatal Systems' equity and equality action plan in 2023/24?**

See question 4 above.

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  
Wilmslow  
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Yours sincerely

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