

Our Ref: PW/AKB/FOI-09-532

18th September 2023

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Sent by email

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Dear

FOI-09-532

Your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information received on the 13th September 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:

I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information on fertility treatment for single people from NHS Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent ICB:

- 1. How many single persons applied for IVF treatment from 2012 - 2022? Please provide the data on an annual basis. Please provide age range as under 35 years and under, 36 – 40 years, 41 years and over.**
- 2. How many single persons applied for Artificial Insemination (AI) from 2012 – 2022? Please provide the data on an annual basis. Please provide age range as under 35 years and under, 36 – 40 years, 41 years and over.**
- 3. How many single persons received IVF treatment from 2012 – 2022? Please provide age range as under 35 years and under, 36 – 40 years, 41 years and over.**
- 4. How many single persons received Artificial Insemination (AI) from 2012 – 2022? Please provide age range as under 35 years and under, 36 – 40 years, 41 years and over.**
- 5. Of the people that received IVF treatment – what was the time period between initial appointment to first procedure? Please provide in days, months, years.**

Please find attached information for the period up to and including financial year 2014/2015. The ICB does not hold the information prior to this date.

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 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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www.ico.gov.uk

Yours sincerely

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