



**Staffordshire and
Stoke-on-Trent**
Integrated Care Board

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Dear

FOI-0724-943

Your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information received on the 31st July 2024. 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:

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, I would like to request the below information please:

- 1. How much money have GP practices within the ICS spent on EHR (Electronic Health Record software) over the last 12 months? If this information is available per practice (e.g. in a spreadsheet) please that would be great, if not a total sum of all GP practices in the ICS is fine.**

The ICB does not hold information regarding GP Practices spend on software.

- 2. More broadly, how much money have GP practices within the ICS spent on any type of software in the last 12 months? As per question 1, if this information is available per GP practice please that would be great, and if not a total sum of all GP practices in the ICS is fine.**

Please see response to question one above.

- 3. How many full time employees (FTE) does the ICB directly employ who have a Digital, Data or Technology (DDaT) role?**

10.68 (whole time equivalent).

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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Yours sincerely

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