

Our Ref: PW/AKB/FOI-07-473

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Dear

FOI-07-473

Your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information received on the 20th July 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:

Please see this formal freedom of information request below.

Specifically in relation to data infrastructure and business intelligence used by the ICB would you please be able to answer the following:

- 1. What is your current Data Warehousing infrastructure and solution? Specifically, is this on-prem or cloud based?**

The Midlands and Lancashire Commissioning Support Unit provide cloud-based (Azure) data warehouse services to the Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent ICB.

- 2. What are the primary visualisation tools used within your ICB for locally developed intelligence (e.g. Qlik, Power BI, Tableau, Excel)? Accessing any nationally developed tools should be excluded for the purposes of this question.**

The primary tools include Tableau, Excel and Power Business Intelligence.

- 3. Are any open-source programming languages used to produce local intelligence within your ICB (e.g. R, Python, Javascript)?**

No

- 4. Are there any other proprietary tools used by the ICB to support their data infrastructure and business intelligence offering? If so, can you please list these with a brief description of what they are used for.**

No

5. Are there any planned changes within the next year to tools used to support the data infrastructure and business intelligence solutions used by the ICB?

No

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:

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Yours sincerely

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