

Our Ref: PW/AKB/FOI-10-140

21<sup>st</sup> October 2022

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Sent by email

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Dear Sir/Madam

**FOI-10-140**

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

Thank you for your request dated the 12<sup>th</sup> October 2022. We can confirm that the Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent Integrated Care Board does not hold the information that you have requested. Please see our responses in blue below

Please be advised that the Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent Integrated Board (ICB) does not hold data on behalf of the ICS and only does for the ICB as an NHS body, which is provided below as follows in reply to your request. Requests made of the ICS are not valid as this is not a statutory body subject to FOIA.

**1. Does your ICS currently procure clinical decision support (CDS) software services for primary care?**

The ICS is not an entity and is not able to procure services for any part of the Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent system.

**2. If yes, what is the name(s) of the CDS?**

Not applicable.

**3. If you use more than one CDS solution, in which areas (or former CCGs) are they in use?**

Not applicable.

**4. What was the value for this procurement or respective procurements?**

Not applicable.

**5. What was the date of the contract inception?**

Not applicable.

**6. What is the current renewal date of the contract?**

Not applicable.

**7. How was the product procured? (direct award via single tender waiver, mini competition, formal tender process through FTS, etc.)**

Not applicable.

**8. If the product was procured from a procurement framework, which procurement framework was it procured?**

Not applicable.

**9. What other companies were reviewed as part of the tender process? Please provide any evidence of the review and scoring against your nominated criteria.**

Not applicable.

**10. Where was this tender presented to allow companies to apply?**

Not applicable.

### **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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