



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

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Dear

**FOI-0924-1005**

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

Thank you for your request for information received on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> September 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:

**We are currently collaborating with the NHS across various regions to support the development and enhancement of MSK pathways. In addition, we are working with a number of Integrated Care Boards (ICBs) to assist in the improvement of their specific pathways.**

**To further support our work, we would appreciate it if you could provide information related to the MSK, Orthopaedic, and Intermediate Care pathways within your ICB. Specifically, we are looking for:**

**Service specifications for the overall pathway and its constituent parts.**

**Any relevant documentation or resources that would help us better understand how your MSK pathway operates.**

Please find attached a copy of the Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent Care Pathway.

For information more specific regarding the implementation of the pathway, please send your request to our main providers as the ICB does not hold this information.

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Midlands Partnership Foundation Trust; [foi@mpft.nhs.uk](mailto:foi@mpft.nhs.uk)

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**To request an internal review**

You can request an internal review by contacting the Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent ICB FOI team by emailing; [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  
Cheshire  
SK9 5AF

[www.ico.gov.uk](http://www.ico.gov.uk)

Yours sincerely

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