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Dear

FOI-0424-780

Your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information received on the 2nd April 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:

I am writing under the Freedom of Information Act. Please could you answer the following questions about the MSK service in your ICB Region.

- 1. How is the service delivered in your region? i.e: do you have a prime contract holder? Is it a collaborative provider? Do you have multiple provider contracts?**

The current provider over the Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent footprint is Midlands Partnership University NHS Foundation Trust.

- 2. What model do you plan to use moving forwards (ie: prime provider, collaborative...)?**

Currently there are no plans to change the models of care other than to harmonise working practices over the patch.

- 3. Who is the prime contract holder for your region?**

Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent ICB.

- 4. Who are the other MSK contract holders in your region?**

Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent ICB do not hold a list of contract holders outside of Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent.

5. What is the financial envelope for each MSK contract in your region? Please specify the time period this covers.

Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent ICB and ICS NHS Providers (including Midlands Partnership University NHS Foundation Trust (MPFT)) have agreed a Memorandum of Understanding for contracting and delivering the Systems 2023-2024 financial plan, that includes block funding for the delivery of NHS Provider contracted services.

6. Is community MSK split out from the rest of MSK services?

The community MSK service is split separately from the acute MSK services as they form part of the MPFT contract.

7. What are your MSK goals for RTT, GURFT and FFT?

RTT is set at 85% for patients to be seen within 4 weeks, and 90% for the FFT. There are no GIRFT targets.

8. How are your MSK providers performing against RTT, GURFT and FTT?

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9. What are your MSK goals for reported patient outcome measures?

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10. How are your MSK providers performing against reported patient outcome measures?

Currently there are no specific patient outcomes measures as part of the general MSK services provided but there are key performance indicators that are related to the providers performance specifically within MSK.

11. What is the length of your current MSK contract(s) and when is it(they) up for renewal?

One year, 31st March 2025.

12. What are your priorities for MSK in the next 3 years?

Priorities are currently being constructed in light of the recent published national guidance.

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.

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Yours sincerely

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