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Sent by email

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Dear

FOI-0325/1221

Your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information received on 11th March 2025. 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 note the ICBs responses in blue.

In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000, I would like to request the following:

NHS Standard Contract

- 1. Please provide the names of all independent Sector Providers (ISPs) that have a NHS Standard Contract with your' ICB for the provision of any Ophthalmology Services, to include but not limited to the delivery of Cataract Surgery for 1) the period 1st April 2023 to 31st March 2024 and 2) the period 1st April 2024 to 31st March 2025. Independent Sector Providers (ISP) include but are not limited to Anglia Community Eye Service (ACES), Community Health & Eyecare (CHEC), Newmedica, Optegra, and Spamedica.**
- 2. Please provide the total value in GBP (£) of the Indicative Activity Plan of each ISP covered in number 1 of this request for each and all Ophthalmology related services for 1) the period 1st April 2023 to 31st March 2024 and 2) the period 1st April 2024 to 31st March 2025. In addition to all Ophthalmology related services, please confirm the values attributable within the IAP to cataract outpatient and cataract surgical care The Indicative Activity Plan (IAP) is covered under Schedule 2 of the Standard Contract.**
- 3. Please provide the total value in GBP (£) paid by the ICB to ISPs for Ophthalmology related activity performed under the Contract for; 1) the period 1st April 2023 to 31st March 2024 and, 2) the period 1st April 2024 to 31st March 2025. Furthermore, please specify the value attributable within this total Ophthalmology spend that related to cataract outpatient and cataract surgical care.**

[Please see attached enclosure](#)

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 or by post to the address at the top of this letter within 40 working days of the initial response.

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

Yours sincerely

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ISP Provider Name	Service Type	Contract 01/04/23 - 31/03/24 (Y/N)	23-24 IAP value	23-24 Value paid	Contract 01/04/24 - 31/12-24 (Y/N)	24-25 IAP value	24-25 Value paid	NOTES
Community Health and Eyecare	Tier-3 Services	Y	IAP does not include financial amount and is paid on actual activity against local prices	£ 1,879,764.95	Y	IAP does not include financial amount and is paid on actual activity against local prices	£ 1,780,713.75	
Community Health and Eyecare	Cataract Surgery	Y	IAP does not include financial amount and is paid on actual activity against specified HRG codes	£ 2,627,093.38	Y	IAP does not include financial amount and is paid on actual activity against local prices	£ 2,009,953.50	23-24 contract was part-year only
SpaMedica	Cataract Surgery	Y	IAP does not include financial amount and is paid on actual activity against specified HRG codes	£ 7,370,125.10		IAP does not include financial amount and is paid on actual activity against specified HRG codes	£ 4,481,058.00	23-24 contract was part-year only
Optegra	Cataract Surgery	Y	IAP does not include financial amount and is paid on actual activity against specified HRG codes	£ 1,787,374.41		IAP does not include financial amount and is paid on actual activity against specified HRG codes	£ 1,634,372.25	23-24 contract was part-year only
Ramsay Healthcare UK Operations Ltd	Ophthalmology	Y	IAP is to log activity, so does not include finances	£1,407,786	Y	IAP is to log activity, so does not include finances	£692,130	
Primary Eyecare Services Ltd	Glaucoma Referral Refinement Scheme	Y	IAP does not include financial amount and is paid on actual activity against local prices	£ 72,408.70	Y	IAP does not include financial amount and is paid on actual activity against specified HRG codes	£ 62,566.50	Service is provided to a geographical area referred to as South Staffordshire
Primary Eyecare Services Ltd	Enhanced Cataract Referral and Post-Operative Follow up	Y	IAP does not include financial amount and is paid on actual activity against local prices	£ 769,101.49	Y	IAP does not include financial amount and is paid on actual activity against local prices	£ 637,383.00	Service is provided to a geographical area referred to as South Staffordshire
Primary Eyecare Services Ltd	Minor Eye Conditions/Urgent Eyecare Service	Y	IAP does not include financial amount and is paid on actual activity against local prices	£ 894,996.88	Y	IAP does not include financial amount and is paid on actual activity against local prices	£ 719,563.50	Service is provided to a geographical area referred to as South Staffordshire
Primary Eyecare Services Ltd	Community Eyecare Services Glaucoma Referral Refinement Scheme/ Enhanced Cataract Referral and Post-Operative Follow-up/ Minor Eye Conditions/Urgent Eyecare Service/ Paediatric Shared Care	Y	IAP does not include financial amount and is paid on actual activity against local prices	£ 70,692.70	Y	IAP does not include financial amount and is paid on actual activity against local prices	£ 48,927.00	Service is provided to a geographical area referred to as North Staffordshire