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Dear

FOI-0624-891

Your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information received on the 27th June 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:

Please could you let me know the following information:

1. How many Primary Care Networks or GP Federations has the ICB supported financially with their premises costs?

The ICB supports PCNs/GP Federations both directly and indirectly via premises costs to specific PCNs/GP Federations and also to PCN and GP Federations constituent Practices.

Exemption 21 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 has been applied to this question as the information is available on the ICB website as per the link below:

[Practices in Staffordshire - Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent, ICS \(staffsstokeics.org.uk\)](https://staffsstokeics.org.uk)

2. What are the names of these PCNs / Federations?

See response above.

3. Were the contributions capital (e.g grant for purchase / redevelopment) or revenue (e.g rental reimbursement or contribution)?

We support Practices, PCNs and GP Federations via both capital and revenue contributions.

4. Under what contractual mechanism were any arrangements made?

Via the GMS contract.

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:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
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Yours sincerely

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