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Dear

**FOI-0724-936**

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

Thank you for your request for information received on the 16<sup>th</sup> July 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 find below a Freedom of Information request relating to the management of patients with ASCVD and Lipoprotein(a) testing:**

<b>Question 1:</b> Does NHS Staffordshire and Stoke-On-Trent ICB have any guidelines/ policies for the treatment and/or management of patients who have peripheral arterial disease (PAD) or have experienced a myocardial infarction (MI) or stroke?	Yes/ <u>No</u>
	If Yes, please provide a copy.

<b>Question 2:</b> Does NHS Staffordshire and Stoke-On-Trent ICB have any guidelines/ policies for testing Lipoprotein(a) (LP(a)) levels in patients who have experienced peripheral arterial disease (PAD) or have experienced a myocardial infarction (MI) or stroke?	Yes/ <u>No</u>
	If Yes, please provide a copy.

Please be advised that the ICB does not hold the information requested.

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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Cheshire  
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Yours sincerely

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