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Dear

## FOI/07/464

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

Thank you for your request dated the 17<sup>th</sup> July 2023. Please our response to your request below.

You have requested information on:

I am seeking information on your tier 3 weight management service. Please can you let me know the following

What is the criteria for referral to the tier 3 service? Do you have to do a tier 2 service first if so is there any exceptions? How long is the waiting list?

At this moment in time there is no established tier 3 weight management service across Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent. Work is currently under way to develop a service and understand the needs of our population to inform the capacity that the service will require.

At this stage we are unable to advise what the access criteria will be, but the intention is that this service will interface with existing weight management services that are available.

## Right of Appeal

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 setting out your reasons for a review, by emailing the team at <a href="StaffsStokeFOI@staffsstoke.icb.nhs.uk">StaffsStokeFOI@staffsstoke.icb.nhs.uk</a> or by post to the address at the top of this letter.

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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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