

# Mental Health Investment Standard

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## STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE

All ICBs were required to plan to achieve the Mental Health Investment Standard in 2023/24 and to spend greater than or equal to the 2023/24 Mental Health Investment Standard target spend number provided by NHS England.

As the Chief Executive Officer of NHS Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent ICB I am responsible for the preparation of the Mental Health Investment Standard Compliance Statement (the "Statement") for the year ending 31 March 2024 and for the financial information on which the Statement is based. This includes the design, implementation and maintenance of internal controls relevant to the preparation of the Statement to ensure that mental health expenditure is correctly classified and included in the calculations, and that the Statement is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

To the best of my knowledge and belief I have properly discharged my responsibilities with regard to reporting against the Mental Health Investment Standard.

I consider that NHS Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent ICB complied with the requirements of the Mental Health Investment Standard for 2023/24. The 2023/24 target spend was £224.007m and the actual spend was £225.013m.



**Peter Axon**

**Chief Executive Officer**

**NHS Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent ICB** (the successor body of NHS Cannock Chase CCG, NHS East Staffordshire CCG, NHS North Staffordshire CCG, NHS South East Staffordshire and Seisdon Peninsula CCG, NHS Stafford and Surrounds CCG and NHS Stoke-on-Trent CCG)

**Chair:** David Pearson MBE

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