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Re: Your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 Ref no: FOI-4008-LSC

Thank you for your request dated 17 April 2024.

We can confirm that the ICB does hold the information you requested.

Please find our response to your questions below:

- 1. A list of all the GP APMS contracts in your area
- 2. The names of the current providers who were awarded these contracts and when they were awarded the contracts.
- 3. The names of the providers who held the contracts just before the current providers.

Please refer to the attached document.

Please note: In terms of previous holders in the main, a large proportion of contracts were GMS contracts where decisions have been made to procure. We had two contracts which we believe were originally brand new practices under Darzi which was an Access initiative a few years ago (Bentham Road and Buckshaw).

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 this by contacting the FOI team by email at MLCSU.FOITeam@nhs.net or by post to Jubilee House, Lancashire Business Park, Leyland, PR26 6TR, specifying why you require a review.

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 CCGs 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

Professor Craig Harris – Chief Operating Officer

On behalf of Kevin Lavery ICB Chief Executive