



**Lancashire and  
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Integrated Care Board**

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**Re: Your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000  
Ref no: FOI-3954-LSC**

Thank you for your request dated 27 March 2024.

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

Please find our response to your questions below:

I would like to submit a second freedom of information request to find out exactly how much money has been spent on any and all legal fees relating to anything regarding withnell health centre since November 2022, rather than just the fees relating to the procurement method.

**In relation to invoices from Dec 2022 to date on the following cost centres for charges for Withnell Health Centre Procurement Legal Fees, the following figures are available:**

**2022/23 (December to March) - £4,986.00**

**2023/24 (to date) - £9,402.04**

**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 40 working days 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](mailto:MLCSU.FOITeam@nhs.net) or by post to Leyland 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](http://www.ico.gov.uk)

Yours sincerely

**Sam Proffitt – Chief Finance Officer**

**On behalf of Kevin Lavery  
ICB Chief Executive**