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Re: Your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000
Ref no: FOI-4000-LSC

Thank you for your request dated 16 April 2024.

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

Please find our response to your questions below:

1. The "primary care data gathering programme" is a national exercise delivered by Community Health Partnerships on behalf of NHS England. More details can be found here. Its results are published on the Strategic Health Asset Planning an Evaluation (SHAPE) place atlas here. Can I please ask Lancashire and South Cumbria ICS for the following information for its system in the primary care data gathering programme or as data it holds otherwise:

The number of GP premises within the ICS.

The ICB data within SHAPE Atlas identifies 275 premises in total are used by general practices.

2. The cost of backlog maintenance for primary care premises within the ICS.

The data gathering programme identified several sites requiring maintenance but costings where incomplete, and not deemed to be reliable.

3. Can you also please share the year the information in question 1 and 2 relate to? If the data is commercially sensitive, please feel free to anonymise it.

Surveys were undertaken between April 2016 and Oct 2022 – the ICB has not collated the information.

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

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Yours sincerely

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