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Dear

**Re: Your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000**  
**Ref no: FOI-2765-LSC**

Thank you for your request dated 04 January 2023.

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

Please find our response to your questions below:

For each of the Mental Health Support Teams that are (a) operational within the NHS Lancashire and South Cumbria Integrated Care Board area or (b) will become operational by the end of 2024, please provide the following information:

1. The name of the MHST
2. The town/city in which the MHST is based
3. The number of: (a) secondary schools, (b) primary schools (including infant and junior schools), (c) sixth-form colleges or FE colleges, and (d) other education settings that are assigned to the MHST
4. The total approximate number of pupils attending the education settings assigned to the MHST
5. The financial year in which the MHST became, or will become, operational
6. The approximate annual budget of the MHST in the 2022/23 financial year
7. The number of full-time equivalent clinical staff assigned to the MHST
8. The number of full-time equivalent non-clinical staff assigned to the MHST
9. The estimated number of children who participated in any one-to-one interventions provided by the MHST in the 2021/22 financial year
10. The estimated number of children who participated in any small group interventions provided by the MHST in the 2021/22 financial year.

**Please see attached spreadsheet.**

**The ICB do not hold the information for Question 4. For the information contained within the School Census date, please see links below:**

**[School census - Lancashire County Council](#)**

**[Census | Blackburn with Darwen Borough Council](#)**

### **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](mailto: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](http://www.ico.gov.uk)

Yours sincerely

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