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Re: Your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000
Ref no: FOI-3732-LSC

Thank you for your request dated 9 November 2023.

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

Please find our response to your questions below:

Q1	<p>Your Question:</p> <p>I would like to know who appeals against a decision to keep a patient on a special allocations scheme should be sent to. The scheme is run by Compass Medical in Blackpool.</p> <p>Our Response:</p> <p>All appeals against being placed, or retained, on the Special Allocation Scheme should be sent for the attention of the Delivery assurance Team at Lancashire and South Cumbria ICB's office address below.</p> <p>NHS Lancashire and South Cumbria Integrated Care Board Level 3, Christ Church Precinct County Hall Fishergate Hill Preston PR1 8XB</p>
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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 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

Yours sincerely

On behalf of Kevin Lavery
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