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Re: Your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000
Ref no: FOI-3834-LSC

Thank you for your request dated 30 January 2024.

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

Please find our response to your questions below:

Q1	<p>Your Question:</p> <p>The criteria for keloid scar excision and more information about the appropriate/recommended channels of seeking approval via IFR (Individual Funding Requests).</p> <p>Our Response:</p> <p>Policy criteria can be found on the ICB website at: https://www.healthierlsc.co.uk/application/files/4816/8487/3599/LSCICB_Clin43_Policy_for_Cosmetic_Procedures_v3.2.pdf</p> <p>See responses with Survey about the appropriate/recommended channels of seeking approval via IFR (Individual Funding Requests).</p>
Q2	<p>Your Question:</p> <p>I would like you to provide this information by filling out the survey (see attachment).</p> <p>Our Response:</p> <p>Responses provided in attached document.</p>

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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