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## **Re: Freedom of Information Request**

Please find below the response to your recent Freedom of Information request regarding wheelchair services within South Sefton CCG.

## Request/Response:

- 1. Who provides your current Wheelchair Service
- a) Is your provider an NHS organisation or a contracted-out, non-NHS organisation?
- b) What is the name of your current provider?
- c) What is the name of the Wheelchair Service Manager?
- 2. How your wheelchair services are provided
- a) Do you combine your Wheelchair Service with any other service, such as Prosthetics or Community Equipment? If so, please provide a list of the other services.
- b) Is your Wheelchair Service exclusive to your CCG?
- c) If you service is combined with another please provide a list of the CCGs that share this Wheelchair Service and confirm who is the lead CCG?
- d) Is the Repair and Maintenance element of the service "integrated" or contracted out to a 3rd party Approved Repairer?
- e) If you have an externally provided Approved Repairer, what is the name of your current provider?
- 3. About your wheelchair service
- a) What is the size of the population covered by your Wheelchair Service?
- b) How many registered service users are served by the Wheelchair Service?
- 4. About the Integrated (Combined service and Repair & Maintenance) contract with your provider
- a) What is the contract spend in the last financial year for the Integrated Wheelchair Service?
- b) Please state the dates of your last financial year.



- c) When was the Integrated Wheelchair Service last tendered?
- d) When does the current contract expire please provide details of any potential contract extension?
- e) Please provide the date this Wheelchair Service will be next tendered
- f) About the Repair and Maintenance (R&M) sub-contract with your wheelchair provider (where appropriate)
- 5. What is the contract spend in the last financial year for the R&M Wheelchair Service?
- a) Please state the dates of your last financial year.
- b) When was the R&M Wheelchair Service last tendered?
- c) When does the current R&M sub-contract expire please provide details of any potential contract extension
- d) Please provide the date that R&M Wheelchair Service sub-contract will be next tendered

For questions 1-5 NHS South Sefton CCG commission Wheelchair services from NHS England. Please redirect your query to NHS England. <u>england.contactus@nhs.net</u>