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Re: Freedom of Information Request

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

Request/[Response](#):

1. How much money did the CCG spend on acupuncture services in the financial years 2013-14, 2014-15, and 2015-16?

[Nil - NHS South Sefton CCG does not commission acupuncture services](#)

2. How many referrals for acupuncture services were made in each of those years (if possible, broken down by initial consultation and follow-up consultations)?

[Not applicable](#)

3. For which conditions were patients referred to acupuncture services in each of those years (with numbers per condition, if possible)?

[Not applicable](#)

4. Do you have a written policy on the funding of acupuncture services? If so, please provide a copy.

[Not applicable](#)



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5. Do you have any contracts with acupuncture providers to whom you may refer patients? If so, please (i) confirm with whom you have contracts and (ii) provide copies of the contracts.

Not applicable