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

Please find below the response to your recent Freedom of Information request regarding Wheelchair service details within NHS South Sefton CCG.

## Request/Response:

- A) Please list the wheelchair services provided by the CCG, including:
  - i) The provider
  - ii) The geographical area covered
  - iii) Brief description of the provision covered
  - iv) The need level met (i.e. low, end of life, hospital discharge, etc)
- B) For each instance where the answer to 'A i' is anything other than the CCG itself:
  - i) The date when the related contract began
  - ii) The annual cost of the contract to the CCG
  - iii) The annual cost of the service at the last point it was provided directly by the CCG
  - iv) The date when the current contract will expire
- C) For each instance where the answer to 'A i' is the CCG
  - i) The annual cost to the CCG of the service for each of the following financial years: 2015/16, 2016/17, 2017/18 and 2018/19
- D) The following information about wheelchair service use
  - i) The current total longest open episode of care for (a) adults and (b) children, in weeks
  - ii) The average waiting time in weeks for the following financial years: 2015/16, 2016/17, 2017/18 and 2018/19 (up until the date on which this request is received)



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- iii) The total annual spend on wheelchair services for the following financial years 2015/16, 2016/17, 2017/18 and 2018/19
- iv) The total number of complaints relating to wheelchair services received for the following financial years 2015/16, 2016/17, 2017/18 and 2018/19 (and the outcome of complaints if possible)

NHS South Sefton CCG does not hold this information as this service is commissioned by Specialised Commissioning at NHS England. You may wish to refer your query to NHS England

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