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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 NHS South Sefton CCG.

Request/[Response](#):

1. The name of the current provider of NHS Wheelchair Services in the CCG area; when they started providing this service in the CCG area; and when their current contract runs until
[NHSE Specialised Commissioning and provided by Aintree University Hospital.](#)
2. The name of the previous provider of NHS Wheelchair Services in the CCG area
3. The current eligibility criteria for receiving NHS-funded wheelchairs via NHS Wheelchair Services in the CCG area
4. A list of all changes to the eligibility criteria for receiving NHS-funded wheelchairs via NHS Wheelchair Services in the CCG area, where those changes were implemented after April 1st 2015; please state not just the new criteria in each case, but also the old criteria that was altered by the change (e.g. 'inability to walk 20m unaided' replacing 'inability to walk 40m unaided')
5. For each change listed in response to question 4, please provide details of any public consultation that was carried out on the change; whether any measures to publicise the consultation were undertaken beyond posting it online; and what responses were received to any such consultation
6. A list of any changes to the eligibility criteria for receiving NHS-funded wheelchairs via NHS Wheelchair Services in the CCG area that are currently being considered, proposed or consulted on.

[For questions 2-6 –](#)

[NHS South Sefton CCG does not hold this information. You may wish to refer your query to NHSE Specialised Commissioning \[england.contactus@nhs.net\]\(mailto:england.contactus@nhs.net\)](#)