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Re: Freedom of Information Request

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

Request/[Response](#):

1. Which provider(s) do you use for NEPTS journeys?

[North West Ambulance Service \(NWAS\)](#)

2. If you use a single provider, do they cover all of your journeys, or do you cover some in-house? What is the approximate percentage split of journeys by the different providers you use?

[North West Ambulance Service \(NWAS\)](#)

3. When did your contract start, and what is the contract end date?

[1st July 2016 Under the NHSE Level 4 command and control arrangements, the contracts are currently under review and a decision is expected within the next three months. However it has been agreed initially to extend for 22months.](#)

4. What is the annual NEPTS contract value for the last three years (year end 31 March)? If not available, please provide data for any available years.

- a. 2017/18

[£802,007](#)

- b. 2018/19

[£802,007](#)

c. 2019/20

£829,820

5. How many patient journeys were contracted under the NEPTS contract for the last three years (year end 31 March)? Are these calculated as one-way journeys or return journeys?

a. 2017/18

35,797

b. 2018/19

35,797

c. 2019/20

35,797

*The service specification refers to both one-way and return journeys. Activity is not split between one-way and return journeys.

6. Is the contract in partnership with any other CCG(s)?

Blackpool CCG - manage this contract on behalf of CCGs. You may wish to refer any further queries to -

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