

Dudley CCG Disclosure Log

September 2013

Request reference: FOI/001153**Response date:** 19/09/2013**Request:**

We would like to understand if Dudley CCG have a contract/Service Level Agreement (SLA) in place with another organisation (e.g. CSU) for support with business intelligence and commissioning for the following disease areas:

- 1) Musculoskeletal/Rheumatoid Arthritis
- 2) Cancer
- 3) Hepatitis
- 4) Schizophrenia

If a SLA is in place in any of these disease areas, we would like to know:

- Which organisation this arrangement is with
- What activities are sub-contracted (and where)
- The duration of the contract/SLA
- The value of the contract/SLA
- Any GP Leads for these 4 disease areas

[Response](#)**Request reference:** FOI/001238**Response date:** 02/09/2013**Request:**

Does the NHS Trust provide arthroplasty (joint replacement services)?

2. What is the average length of time patients wait for a hip replacement from referral?

What is the average length of time patients wait for a hip replacement revision from referral?

What is the average length of time patients wait for a knee replacement from referral?

What is the average length of time patients wait for a knee replacement revision from referral?

3. What is the maximum length of time patients wait for a hip replacement from referral?

What is the maximum length of time patients wait for a hip replacement revision from referral?

What is the maximum length of time patients wait for a knee replacement from referral?

What is the maximum length of time patients wait for a knee replacement revision from referral?

4. What is the average length of time patients wait for a hip replacement prior to referral?

What is the average length of time patients wait for a hip replacement revision prior to referral?

What is the average length of time patients wait for a knee replacement prior to referral?

What is the average length of time patients wait for a knee replacement revision prior to referral?

5. What is the maximum length of time patients wait for a hip replacement prior to referral?

What is the maximum length of time patients wait for a hip replacement revision prior to referral?

What is the maximum length of time patients wait for a knee replacement prior to referral?

What is the maximum length of time patients wait for a knee replacement revision prior to referral?

6. Are your Commissioners applying more stringent conditions before referring patients to your Trust? If Yes, what restrictive conditions?

7. Does the Trust record patient outcomes on discharge:

a) For hip replacement patients on the Oxford Hip Score

b) For knee replacement patients on the Oxford Knee Score

8. Does the Trust have place strategies to improve patient outcomes from arthroplasty?

9. Does the Trust have place strategies to improve its PROMs scores from arthroplasty procedures?

10. What are the Trust's surgical site infection (SSI) rates for:

a) Hip replacement patients?

Dudley CCG Disclosure Log

September 2013

b) Knee replacement patients?

11. What strategies does the Trust have in place for reducing surgical site infection rates?

12. Please express your views on what are the biggest challenges to providing outstanding care and outcomes for patients who require arthroplasty:

[Response](#)

Request reference: FOI/001246

Response date: 25/09/2013

Request:

Selborne Care has been reported as abusing people with learning disabilities. Answer the questions below:

A) The steps you have taken since the abuse was reported to ensure that the people with disabilities you are responsible for cared for by Selborne care are not abused.

B) The improved scrutiny and monitoring that has been introduced by you to ensure that no other people with disabilities are abused at Selborne care.

C) The steps you have taken since the abuse came to light to review the suitability of existing placements with Selborne Care

D) Disclose in bands of £250 the fees that you pay to Selborne Care and its associated companies as at 31 July 2013 for each of the disabled people you have placed with them. A populated table incorporating the information listed below will do the job Service Name:

No of people placed at 31 July 2013 Price Bands

[Response](#)

Request reference: FOI/001265

Response date: 05/09/2013

Request:

Within Dudley CCG, each practice is tiered according to their level of diabetes service (Tier 1, 2 or 3). Please can you provide a list of which practice falls under which Tiering.

[Response](#)

Request reference: FOI/001271

Response date: 11/09/2013

Request:

1. What evidence does your CCG use to assess the eye health needs of your local population? Please list your sources.

2. What processes are in place for assessing the current and future eye health needs of your local population?

Please provide copies of any meeting minutes or documents which reference the work you are doing to assess current and future demand.

Seeking advice to inform commissioning decisions

3. Is there a named lead with responsibility for eye care services in your CCG? (please tick relevant box)

? yes

? no

4. Does your CCG receive regular reports on eye care performance and eye health issues (please tick relevant box)?

? yes

? no

Dudley CCG Disclosure Log

September 2013

5. Does your CCG access independent feedback and advice from the following experts when making commissioning decisions about eye health services? Please tick relevant boxes:

Yes	No		
		ophthalmologists	? ?
		optometrists	? ?
		patients with a sight condition	? ?
		social care professionals	? ?
		public health professionals	? ?

Access to NICE approved treatments

6. Could you confirm that your CCG has provided funding and resources to enable patients to access the following NICE approved treatments? Confirmation means that patients do not have to use Individual Funding Requests to access these treatments. Please tick relevant boxes: Yes No

Ranibizumab (Lucentis) for diabetic macular oedema in those with central retinal thickness of over 400 microns ? ?

Dexamethasone implant (Ozurdex) for macular oedema caused by central retinal vein occlusion or branch retinal vein occlusion where laser treatment is unsuitable ? ?

Ranibizumab (Lucentis) for macular oedema caused by central retinal vein occlusion or branch retinal vein occlusion where laser treatment is unsuitable ? ?

Aflibercept (Eylea) for wet age-related macular degeneration ? ?

If you have answered 'no' to any of these treatments, please use the free text box below to provide the reason why:

[Response](#)

Request reference: FOI/001278

Response date: 11/09/2013

Request:

1. The number of clinical services commissioned by the CCG operated by the NHS
2. The number of clinical services commissioned by the CCG operated by companies other than the NHS
 - a. For each service please provide the name of the company and the value and length of the contract (to the nearest £1,000)
3. The number of non-clinical services commissioned by the CCG operated by the NHS
4. The number of non-clinical services commissioned by the CCG operated by companies other than the NHS
 - a. For each contract please provide the name of the company and the value and length of the contract (to the nearest £1,000)

[Response](#)

Request reference: FOI/001302

Response date: 03/09/2013

Request:

- 1) How many of the following procedures has your unit carried out in (a) the past 12 months and (b) the financial year 2012/13:
 - (i) Distal angioplasties above the knee not using a stent?
 - (ii) Distal angioplasties below the knee not using a stent?

Of those patients treated by a distal angioplasty not using a stent, what was the one year patency?
Of those patients treated by a distal angioplasty not using a stent, what was the limb survival at one year?

Dudley CCG Disclosure Log

September 2013

(iii) Distal angioplasties above the knee using a stent?

(iv) Distal angioplasties below the knee using a stent?

Of those patients treated by a distal angioplasty using a stent what was the one year patency?

Of those patients treated by a distal angioplasty using a stent what was the limb survival at one year?

2) How many of the following procedures has your unit carried out in (a) the past 12 months and (b) the financial year 2012/13:

(i) Distal bypasses?

Of those patients treated by a distal bypass what was the limb survival at one year?

Has your Trust established a multi-disciplinary team for treatment of patients at risk of lower limb amputation associated with peripheral arterial disease? - If no are there any reasons this hasn't been established yet?

Has your Trust established a multi-disciplinary team for treatment of patients at risk of lower limb amputation associated with diabetes? - If no are there any reasons this hasn't been established yet?

Where multi-disciplinary teams exist - what are the clinical specialities that are present?

Where multi-disciplinary teams exist - how often do all clinical members meet (a) per week (b) per month?

3) To what anatomical level of the lower limb is vascular surgery undertaken within your locality?

[Response](#)

Request reference: FOI/001304

Response date: 06/09/2013

Request:

Under the Freedom of Information Act, I would like to know details of any staff transferred from an NHS commissioning support unit to your CCG since the start of 2013.

1 How many jobs have been transferred from a CSU to your CCG?

2 What functions do those jobs relate to?

3 What is the annual cost of those functions?

4 Why were those jobs brought in house?

5 How many jobs are currently planned to transfer, or are in the process of being transferred?

[Response](#)

Request reference: FOI/001309

Response date: 24/09/2013

Request:

1. A list of all Any Qualified Provider tenders for services covering the CCG area that have been launched since the start of 2012. For each tender, please state the lead authority on the procurement - this might be the CCG itself, another CCG, the CSU, the predecessor PCT, or another body

2. A list of the providers selected under each AQP tender provided in response to part one of this request, and the month and year in which the tender concluded

For part one of this request, please state whether the tender covered the area of other CCGs, and please list those other CCGs. For example, this may apply where the CCG held a joint procurement with other CCGs, or where the tender was run by a predecessor PCT that has been succeeded by a number of CCGs. This request includes any tenders held under the Any Willing Provider system, provided they were launched since the start of 2012.

[Response](#)

Dudley CCG Disclosure Log

September 2013

Request reference: FOI/001311**Response date:** 19/09/2013**Request:**

- a figure for the total number of patients fitted with a urinary catheter
 - a. in the financial year 2012/13
 - b. in the last twelve months
- a figure for the number of unitary catheters fitted in the operating theatre
 - a. in the financial year 2012/13
 - b. in the last twelve months
- a figure for the number of catheters fitted in Accident and Emergency
 - a. in the financial year 2012/13
 - b. in the last twelve months
- a figure for the number of patients who developed new Catheter-Associated Urinary Tract Infections during their stay in hospital
 - a. in the financial year 2012/13
 - b. in the last twelve month
- a figure for the number of emergency admissions resulting from a blocked catheter
 - a. in the financial year 2012/13
 - b. in the last twelve months
- a figure for the total number of emergency admissions for any reason, including a blocked catheter
 - a. in the financial year 2012/13
 - b. in the last twelve months
- a description of any formal training you have in place for staff in fitting catheters

Response**Request reference:** FOI/001314**Response date:** 13/09/2013**Request:**

1. The name of your CCG's Head of Medicines Management/Optimisation, lead prescribing advisor/pharmaceutical advisor or equivalent role who has lead responsibility for the safe, legal and effective use of medicines in your CCG
2. Their job title
3. Their email address or that of their secretary or PA, and their contact phone number
4. The name(s) of the committee(s), group(s) or board(s)* which make recommendations to your CCG, or make decisions on behalf of your CCG with delegated authority on which medicines are to be made available/funded by your CCG as required by the NHS constitution:
a. You have the right to expect local decisions on funding of other drugs and treatments to be made rationally following a proper consideration of the evidence (NHS constitution)
http://webarchive.nationalarchives.gov.uk/20130107105354/http://www.dh.gov.uk/prod_consum_dh/groups/dh_digitalassets/@dh/@en/documents/digitalasset/dh_096065.pdf
5. Which of the committees/boards/groups or equivalent named in answer to question 4 make recommendations, and which have delegated authority to make decisions on behalf of the CCG Board(s):
6. The other constituent NHS member organisations of all the committees/boards/groups or equivalent named in answer to question 4:
7. The online web address where your CCG medicines formulary can be found:

Dudley CCG Disclosure Log

September 2013

8. A copy of the CCG policy on how decisions are made as to which medicines are made available for patients for which the CCG is the responsible commissioner
9. A copy of the ratified minutes of the last meeting of each of the committee(s)/group(s)/ board(s) or others outlined in answer to question 4:
10. A copy of the application form to request a consideration of a medicine at the committee(s)/group(s)/ board(s) or others outlined in answer to question 4:
11. A copy of a decision matrix/scoring tool/scoring form/prioritisation form or equivalent that is used to aid the decision making at the committee(s)/group(s)/ board(s) or others outlined in answer to question 4:
12. Which commissioning support unit (CSU) or equivalent do you contract any support from on the commissioning of or the safe, legal and effective use of medicines:
13. Where you publish the level of uptake of NICE TAG approved medicines within your locality:
14. Where you publish any perceived or real barriers to the uptake of NICE TAG approved medicines in your locality or commissioned services:

[Response](#)

Request reference: FOI/001318

Response date: 25/09/2013

Request:

1. Please provide me with all of the CCG's guidelines relating to the treatment and management of Atrial Fibrillation.
2. Please provide me with the CCG's written anticoagulation policy.
Pulse Checks
3. The QOF rewards GP practices who maintain a register of Atrial Fibrillation patients. How many patients are currently on GP practices register across the CCG?
4. What are you doing to encourage primary care practitioners to carry out opportunistic pulse checks?
5. Does the CCG provide pulse checks within NHS Health checks?
6. If yes, how do you ensure that these checks are routinely carried out? If no, please indicate why not?
7. Does your CCG provide any financial incentives to carry out opportunistic health checks?
Access to Arrhythmia Nurses
8. How many specialist Arrhythmia nurses operate within the CCG on either: a) a part time basis b) a full time basis?
9. How many patients with Atrial Fibrillation have regular contact with an arrhythmia nurse and, on average, how many times a year do they have contact with these nurses?
10. Do you operate rapid access arrhythmia clinics? If so, how many?
Access to NOACs
11. Does your medicine prescribing policy enable clinicians to prescribe the following new oral anticoagulants for the treatment of Atrial Fibrillation:
 - a) Dabigatran (Pradaxa)
 - b) Rivaroxaban (Xarelto)
 - c) Apixaban (Eliquis)

Dudley CCG Disclosure Log

September 2013

12. If not, please provide details of your current policy and how this differs from existing NICE guidance.

13. Within your CCG, how many Atrial Fibrillation patients in each of the last five years have:

a) been diagnosed with Atrial Fibrillation

b) been treated for Atrial Fibrillation

14. Within your CCG, how many Atrial Fibrillation patients have been prescribed one of the new oral anticoagulants for the treatment of their Atrial Fibrillation:

Dabigatran (Pradaxa)

Rivaroxaban (Xarelto)

Apixaban (Eliquis)

[Response](#)

Request reference: FOI/001322

Response date: 25/09/2013

Request:

1. Has the CCG commissioned telehealth services for its population in 2013/14?

2. Who provides the telehealth service?

3. Which medical conditions do the CCG's telehealth services target?

4. How much does the CCG plan to spend on commissioning telehealth services for its population in 2013/14, and is it on track to meet this budget?

5. How much does the CCG plan to spend on commissioning telehealth services for its population in 2014/15?

6. How many people are currently using telehealth services in the CCG's area (as of 2 September 2013)?

7. Is there a difference between the number of people the CCG had expected to be using telehealth services by this point in 2013/14 and the actual number of service users? If yes, please give details.

8. How many member GP practices does the CCG have, and how many of these have signed up to the remote care monitoring (preparation) directed enhanced service (DES) in 2013/14?

9. Please provide details of any plans agreed with participating practices with regards to this DES.

[Response](#)

Request reference: FOI/001335

Response date: 19/09/2013

Request:

1. Wi-Fi Provider- Who is the contracted supplier for the Wi-Fi contract.

2. Average Annual Spend - Please state the annual average spend over three years for each supplier. If this is a new contract please state the estimate annual average spends. If there is more than one Wi-Fi provider please split annual for each individual provider.

3. Number of Users- Please state the number of users the Wi-Fi contract is in place for. An estimate number of users will also be acceptable. If there is more than one Wi-Fi provider please state the number of users for each individual provider.

4. Contract Type: Is this Wi-Fi, Managed, In-House.

Dudley CCG Disclosure Log

September 2013

4. Number of Locations/Site- I require the number of locations/sites the Wi-Fi contract is contracted for. If there is more than one Wi-Fi provider please state the number of sites for each individual provider.

5. End User Offer- What the Wi-Fi offers to the end users e.g. Unlimited, Pay as you go, free 1 hour access or just free access. If there is more than one Wi-Fi provider please state the number of sites for each individual provider.

6. Manufacturer Name/Brand- Please provides me with the brand names of the Wi-Fi equipment which many include manufacturers of the access points and routers. If there is more than one Wi-Fi provider please state the Manufacturers Name for each individual provider.

7. Contract Description- Please provide me with a brief description of the solution in place for Wi-Fi and any other services provided under the contract. If there is more than one Wi-Fi provider please state the contract description for each individual provider.

8. Actual Contract Start Date- Please can you state the Start date of the contract. If there is more than on Wi-Fi provider please split contract dates for each individual provider.

9. Actual Contract Renewal/Expiry Date- Please can you state the renewal/expiry date of the contract. If the contract is coming up for renewal if possible please state the likely outcome of the Wi-Fi contract.

10. Contact Details- I require the person from within the organisation responsible for the Wi-Fi contract. Can you please provide me with their full contact detail including contact number and an email address. If there is more than one Wi-Fi provider please state the contract details for each individual provider. IF the organisation doesn't have a Wi-Fi contract in place please state when the organisation plans to have a Wi-Fi contract in place. Please do this by providing me with a month and year and if possible what type of solutions they plan to want in place and the number of locations. If this service is provided in-house please provide me with:

1. Number of Users

2. Number of Locations/Site

3. End User Offer

4. Manufacturer Name/Brand

5. Contact Details- I require the person from within the organisation responsible for the Wi-Fi

IF the organisation has this service (Wi-Fi) as part of a managed service please can you provide me with the contract details of the managed contract including:

1. Current Provider

2. Number of Users- This is normally the total number of staff with the organisation.

3. Contract Description- Please can you provide me with a brief contract description of the overall contract.

4. Contract Expiry Date- Please

5. Contract Review Date

6. Contact Details - I require the person from within the organisation responsible for the Wi-Fi contract. Can you please provide me with their full contact detail including contact number and an email address.

[Response](#)

Dudley CCG Disclosure Log

September 2013

Request reference: FOI/001343**Response date:** 11/09/2013**Request:**

Can you please advise me where I can find the Prescribing Formulary for NHS Dudley CCG?

[Response](#)**Request reference:** FOI/001352**Response date:** 27/09/2013**Request:**

Section 1: Any Qualified Provider (AQP)

1. What services are currently provided by AQPs within your CCG?
2. For each AQP framework, how many providers are on each framework and what is the percentage split of business across them?
3. For each framework, what is the contract expiry dates?
4. What percentage of your AQPs are provided by the following types of organisations:
 - a. GPs
 - b. Pharmacies
 - c. Opticians
 - d. Community Care
 - e. Secondary/Acute Care NHS Trusts
 - f. Mental Health Trusts
 - g. Other NHS
 - h. Private Hospitals
 - i. Other private organisations
 - j. 3rd Sector (i.e. charitable/voluntary organisations)?
5. What additional services do you plan to commission using the AQP model during 2013/14 and 2014/15?
6. What percentage of your total CCG budget is used to fund services provided by AQPs?

Section 2: Local Enhanced Services (LES) (For this please read as LES or SLAs for enhanced services)

7. What LES are currently commissioned by your CCG?
8. What additional LES do you anticipate commissioning during 2013/14 and 2014/15?
9. What percentage of your LES are provided by the following types of organisations:
 - a. GPs
 - b. Pharmacies
 - c. Opticians
 - d. Community Care
 - e. Secondary/Acute Care NHS Trusts
 - f. Mental Health Trusts
 - g. Other NHS
 - h. Private Hospitals
 - i. Other private organisations
 - j. 3rd Sector (i.e. charitable/voluntary organisations)?

Dudley CCG Disclosure Log

September 2013

10. What percentage of your total CCG budget is used to fund LES?

11. When contracting for LES do you typically use the national standard contract or a local standard contract?

[Response](#)

Request reference: FOI/001355

Response date: 18/09/2013

Request:

Under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, please could you supply me with the following information:

What is the name and the role of the person within the CCG who has the most senior role for responsibility and accountability for the CCG medicines budget?

Who is this person accountable to?

Which services do the CCG currently commission from the CSU?

What level of medicines management services does the CCG commission from the CSU?

Who makes the decision regarding the level of MM services to be commissioned from the CSU?

[Response](#)

Request reference: FOI/001358

Response date: 17/09/2013

Request:

What health services do you directly commission for probation services?

a) Physical health, for example, nursed-led health clinics

Please give details.....(for example grade and hours of work)

b) Mental Health, for example community mental health clinics

Please give details.....(for example, grade and hours of work)

c) None of the above we do not specifically commission health services in probation of any kind.

[Response](#)

Request reference: FOI/001363

Response date: 17/09/2013

Request:

Does your organisation directly employ communications / public relations professional/s?

If you directly employ communications/public relations professionals to provide communications/public relations activities for your organisation please state:

the number of communications / public relations professionals you employ and their levels of seniority

if they are member/s of your senior management team

if they are responsible for other areas of your organisation's work, and what they are

If you 'buy in' any elements of your communications / public relations service, please state:

if it is provided by a CSU

if not by a CSU, what type/s of organisation/s provide you with this service

Dudley CCG Disclosure Log

September 2013

- ☐ if representative/s of this bought in service is/are member/s of your senior management team, attending its meetings etc
- ☐ if you have a named individual assigned to your organisation, and whether this person is supported by a wider team or not
- ☐ the specific elements / service lines that make up the service provided to you (eg, strategic communications, media relations, social media etc)
- ☐ if you have chosen to carry out any communications / public relations activities in house, rather than buying in these services from your provider, and what they are
- ☐ the seniority of the person within your organisation responsible for overseeing communications / public relations, and if they are a communications / public relations professional
- ☐ if your most senior employee with responsibility for this area of work is not a communication / public relations specialist, what their main area of work experience is (eg, organisational development, contracting, performance, quality etc)

[Response](#)**Request reference:** FOI/001368**Response date:** 17/09/2013**Request:**

1. How many overseas patients (i.e. non UK residents) received funding for IVF treatment from your trust/CCG in the financial year a) 2012/13 and b) 2011/12?
2. In each case where IVF was funded - and if possible without exceeding FOI cost limits - please state whether the recipient was a) an asylum seeker b) eu national c) non eu national.
3. In each case where IVF was funded - and if possible without exceeding FOI cost limits - please state the nationality of the patient.
4. If the trust/CCG has not yet funded IVF for overseas patients would it be prepared to do so in future?

[Response](#)**Request reference:** FOI/001375**Response date:** 18/09/2013**Request:**

In order that we can improve our understanding of the CSU's position, we should be grateful for details / response to the following:

1. The number of claims received by Dudley CCG following the Department of Health announced cut-off;
2. The number of staff engaged / being engaged to carry out retrospective reviews and current assessments respectively;
3. Where additional staff is being sought, an estimate for when you expect the recruitment process to be completed;
4. The estimated timeframe for completion of both retrospective reviews and current assessments (on average) once a team is in situ, if not already;
5. Whether the retrospective review team and current assessment team are based in the same office. If not what are the addresses and contact details for the respective teams;

Dudley CCG Disclosure Log**September 2013**

6. The name and contact details for the individual with overall responsibility for the Continuing Healthcare Department;
7. The name and contact details for the Chair / Chief Executive of Dudley CCG;
8. Confirmation whether any part of the retrospective review / current assessment process is being outsourced, whether internally within the NHS or to a private party;
9. If work is being outsourced, to whom and what is their address and contact details;
10. If work is being outsourced to an agent / independent party, do they possess delegated authority to deal with cases of this nature;
11. Where this firm's cases are in relation to your waiting list;
12. Is there anything that we can do to assist the CCG in relation to these cases in order to expedite the claims to a conclusion?

[Response](#)**Request reference:** FOI/001383**Response date:** 27/09/2013**Request:**

For each of the following, if the documents are available online, please provide an exact web link

1. Please provide a copy of your commissioning intentions for 2013/14.
2. If available please provide a copy of your commissioning intentions for 2014/15 and beyond.
3. Please provide a copy of your operating plan for 2013/14.
4. If available please provide a copy of your operating plan for 2014/15 and beyond.

[Response](#)**Request reference:** FOI/001384**Response date:** 25/09/2013**Request:**

1. Do you have a medicines management team within your CCG?

If the answer to Q1 is yes, please answer the following Q2 onwards, if it is no, please answer Q6 onwards.

2. Is the team solely for your CCG or shared across other CCGs?
3. If the team is shared, which CCGs are you sharing a team with?
4. If the team is shared, what percentage of the total cost is met by each of the CCGs listed above?
5. How many staff are employed by your CCG as part of the medicines management team and what are their roles and grades?
6. Are you using a CSU to support your medicines management activity?
7. If yes, which CSU(s) are you using to support your medicines management activity?
8. What is the medicines management budget for your CCG?
9. What percentage of your total CCG budget is being spent on medicines management?

[Response](#)

Dudley CCG Disclosure Log

September 2013

Request reference: FOI/001386

Response date: 19/09/2013

Request:

1. Approximately how many patients per year does your CCG have requiring treatment for the following? a. Alcohol misuse without drug misuse b. Drug misuse without alcohol misuse c. Alcohol and drug misuse

2. Using the following services please give details of the services you are currently commissioning for alcohol misuse and drug misuse:

Tier Services Commissioned (Y/N) Details of Services

Tier 1

Tier 2

Tier 3

Tier 4

Other

3. If none, who is commissioning these services for your CCG?

4. Do you class drug and alcohol misuse services as: a. Mental Health commissioning b. Drug & Alcohol Team commissioning c. Local Authority responsible for commissioning d. Other (please specify)

5. What model(s) (e.g. AQP, LES, Standard Contract etc.) are you using for commissioning services for: a. Alcohol misuse b. Drug misuse

6. Where services are currently commissioned for substance misuse, who is providing which services within your CCG (e.g. private providers, NHS, other Public Sector, etc.)?

7. What percentage of your CCG budget are you spending on substance misuse services and what is the approximate split between drug and alcohol services?

8. Do you use a PbR system for drug and alcohol misuse services?

[Response](#)

Request reference: FOI/001419

Response date: 18/09/2013

Request:

I would like to submit a Freedom of Information Request relating to specific ICT contract(s) for Storage Hardware Maintenance and Storage Virtualisation Software which may include:

Server Hardware Maintenance (e.g. 24x7 break fix)

Server Software Licensing (e.g. VMware, Solaris, Unix, Linux, Windows Server)

Server Software Maintenance/Support (e.g. VMware, Solaris, Unix, Linux, Windows Server)

Storage Area Network Maintenance/Support (e.g. EMC, HP, NetApp etc)

For each of the types of server ICT contracts above can you please send me the following data types:

1. Contract Title: If there is more than one supplier please split each contract individually.

2. Existing/Current Supplier:

3. Hardware/software Brand(s): VMware, HP, Dell etc

4. Number of Users: Number users within the organisation

5. Operating System (Platform): (Windows, Linux, Unix, VMWare etc.)

Dudley CCG Disclosure Log

September 2013

6. Total number of Servers (Physical) per supplier:
7. Total number of Virtual Servers per supplier:
8. Total Contract Value: (For the whole duration of the contract, if the total value sent is per annum please state this in the response)
9. Contract Duration: (Please can you also include notes if the contract includes any contract extension periods.)
10. Contract Expiry Date:
11. Contract Review Date: (An approximate date of when the organisation is planning to review this particular contract.)
12. Brief Contract Description:
13. Internal Contact: (The person from within the organisation that is responsible for reviewing and renewing this particular contract. Please include there full name, job title, direct contact number and direct email address.)

If there is more than one supplier for these contract can you please split the contract individually for each supplier. So the information above which I am requesting is for each supplier.

If this service is part of a managed contract please can you send me the contract information for this managed service including Hardware Brand, Number of Users, Operating System, Number of Physical Servers, Number of Virtual Servers and contact details of the internal contact responsible for this contract.

[Response](#)

Request reference: FOI/001420

Response date: 30/09/2013

Request:

How many Healthcare Assistants are employed by your Trust?

How many full-time Nurses are employed by your Trust?

How many days/weeks do you require Healthcare Assistants to train for before they can treat patients?

Do Healthcare Assistants at your Trust receive an annual review?

[Response](#)

Request reference: FOI/001430

Response date: 20/09/2013

Request:

Please could you help me by checking the following information with regards to the above-mentioned CCG:

1. Does your CCG plan to extend access to GP practice services in order to reduce pressure on hospitals? Yes/No?

If yes:

2. How much will practices get paid to extend hours/availability?

3. What staff has to be there?

4. What additional hours will they be expected to be open?

Dudley CCG Disclosure Log

September 2013

5. How much per year is this scheme (across all practices) expected to cost for the CCG?

6. What is the targeted reduction in hospital/A&E use?

If no:

7. Is this being, or will this be considered?

[Response](#)

Request reference: FOI/001434

Response date: 23/09/2013

Request:

Please provide contact information including First Name, Surname, Email Address and Telephone Number for all of the Occupational Therapists and Allied Health Professionals who are Occupational Therapists or provide a service which can be defined as Occupational Therapy from The Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust.

If you don't provide individual details please provide a contact such as Head OT with First Name, Surname, Email Address and Telephone Number.

If your organisation does not have Occupational Therapists or Allied Health Professionals who are Occupational Therapists or provide a service which can be defined as Occupational Therapy - please provide the name of the organisation who is responsible for providing you with Occupational Therapists. Please include the First Name, Surname, Email Address and Telephone Number of all of the Occupational Therapists they provide.

If this information is already published on the internet - please provide a link to where this information is available.

[Response](#)

Request reference: FOI/001436

Response date: 26/09/2013

Request:

1. How many In-patient Wards do you have?
2. Of these, how many wards have ceiling tiles installed in the bed areas?
3. If they do not have tiles are there plans to change to install in the future?
4. If they have tiles are they of a high specificity for sound absorbing?

[Response](#)