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**Request reference:** RFI0349

**Response date:** 01/02/2016

**Request:**

1. NHS GP surgeries are under the Human Rights Act 1998 and ECHR Article 2?
2. Are they considered as a public body or as a sub-contracted public body?

### Response

**Request reference:** RFI0350

**Response date:** 01/02/2016

**Request:**

1. Does the clinical commissioning group (CCG) currently have a nominated lead for palliative and/or end of life care for i) adults and/or ii) children?
2. Does the CCG have a specific palliative and/or end of life care strategy for i) adults and/or ii) children?

### Response

**Request reference:** RFI0351

**Response date:** 01/02/2016

**Request:**

1. Number of GP members.
2. Number of management and finance (including lay persons) members
3. Number of nursing members
4. Number of secondary care members
5. Number of any other clinical staff

**Clarification requested:**

Specifically interested in the CCG Governing Board members not the wider GP membership.

### Response

**Request reference:** RFI0352

**Response date:** 01/02/2016

**Request:**

1. Does the vanguard site make specific provision to improve continence care? If so, please provide details.
2. If no provision has been made to date, will this programme aim to include improved
3. continence care provision within the care model?
4. Has the vanguard site made any of the recommendations made within the 'Reducing unplanned admissions to hospital as a result of urinary incontinence' Best Practice Guide?  
Please provide details.

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### [Response](#)

**Request reference:** RFI0353

**Response date:** 02/02/2015

**Request:**

1. Please provide details of the Dudley CCG performance against the A&E targets and Emergency Admissions for December 2015 and January 2016.

### [Response](#)

**Request reference:** RFI0354

**Response date:** 04/02/2015

**Request:**

Please could you forward the organisational structure chart for your CCG

We are specifically looking for Educational leads, a director of primary care, a head of performance and possibly a primary care Administrator, should your CCG provide these positions.

### [Response](#)

**Request reference:** RFI0355

**Response date:** 04/02/2016

**Request:**

1. How long, in weeks, children (under 16s) waited for an assessment for a wheelchair or specialist seating following an initial referral to the children's wheelchair service.
2. How long, in weeks, children had to wait to receive equipment following the assessment.
3. Please provide data for children referred in 2014 and for those referred in 2015.
4. Data could be grouped by weeks - less than 4 weeks, 4 to less than 8 weeks, 8 weeks to less than 12 weeks, 12 weeks to less than 16 weeks and more than 16 weeks.

### [Response](#)

**Request reference:** RFI0356

**Response date:** 05/02/2016

**Request:**

1. How many people with MS in your CCG (including the source for this number):
  - a. Relapsing-Remitting MS
  - b. Primary Progressive MS
  - c. Secondary Progressive MS
  - d. Benign MS
  - e. Unconfirmed Type

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2. The percentage of each of 1a, 1b, 1c, 1d, and 1e, who receive an annual review by a healthcare professional with expertise in MS, and it's complications (NICE guidelines (CG 186).

3. The current waiting times targets for accessing an appointment with a Consultant Neurologist with MS expertise for:

- a. New appointments
- b. Follow up appointments

4. The number of Individual Funding Requests (IFRs) received for each of the below treatments

5. The number of people with MS currently being prescribed the following licensed treatments for multiple sclerosis

- a. Avonex (Beta interferon – 1a)
- b. Aubagio® (Teriflunomide)
- c. Betaferon (Interferon beta 1b)
- d. Botox (Botulinum toxin)
- e. Copaxone (Glatiramer Acetate)
- f. Extavia (Beta interferon – 1b)
- g. Fampyra® (Fampridine)
- h. Gilenya (Fingolimod)
- i. Lemtrada (Alemtuzumab)
- j. Plegridy (Peginterferon beta 1a)
- k. Rebif® (Beta interferon – 1a)
- l. Sativex (Nabiximols)
- m. Tecfidera (Dimethyl fumarate)
- n. Tysabri (Natalizumab)

### Response

**Request reference:** RFI0357

**Response date:** 07/02/2016

**Request:**

Please can I have a copy of the results reports for both the 2014 and 2015 Ipsos MORI 360 degree stakeholder surveys for your CCG. This FOI request has been sent to every CCG in England.

Please can you also let me know the number of members on your Governing Body as enshrined within your constitution on:

1 April 2015:

1 April 2013:

(The figure should include all voting and non-voting Governing Body members/positions set out within your constitution, irrespective of whether they are vacant or in non-attendance. Please DO NOT include attendees who are not specified as members in your constitution such as the board secretary or any CCG officers who attend Governing Body but

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are not stipulated as members within your constitution).

#### Response

**Request reference:** RFI0358

**Response date:** 08/02/2016

**Request:**

When are the review dates for the following classes of drugs within the [Dudley Joint Medicines Formulary](#)? All three classes are included in the Endocrine system.

- SGLT-inhibitors
- DPP4-inhibitors
- GLP-1 agonists

#### Response

**Request reference:** RFI0359

**Response date:** 09/02/2016

**Request:**

Can I please have the names and contact details of the Director, Head of, programme Lead, programme manager at Dudley **CCG** for the following

Planned care

Primary care

Mental health

Continuing healthcare

Urgent care

Learning disabilities

Out of hospital

Contract management

Co-commissioning

Programme management office

Quality

Corporate Governance

Integrated Care

#### Response

**Request reference:** RFI0360

**Response date:** 09/02/2016

**Request:**

1. Could you provide me with copies of any prescribing incentive scheme, medicines optimisation plan or CCG-level prescribing action plan for each of the financial years  
a)2013-14,

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- b)2014-15,
- c)2015-16,
- d) any published documents for 2016-17

Please note I only require the scheme documentation, not any monitoring information.

2. a) Can you please confirm whether you have a formulary which provides recommendations for primary care prescribed drugs  
b) If the answer to a) is yes, please confirm whether this formulary is available online and provide the URL.
3. Can you, for each of the financial years 2013-14, 2014-15 and 2015-16 confirm whether the CCG had purchased the following prescribing decision support software:
  - a) Scriptswitch
  - b) Eclipse
  - c) Other (please specify).

### Response

**Request reference:** RFI0361

**Response date:** 08/02/2016

**Request:**

Please can you send me the following in terms of older people residential care, nursing care, intermediate care and step up/step down care information (within care homes):-

1. What block contracts are currently awarded and who are these operated by?
2. What services are provided within contracts
3. What is the current block weekly price applicable for each block contract?
4. What date are these contracts up for renewal?
5. How will you notify providers about block contract opportunities?

### Response

**Request reference:** RFI0362

**Response date:** 10/02/2016

**Request:**

- 1) Who currently provides IG & FOI Services to the CCG?
- 2) When are the IG and FOI contracts in place due to terminate?
- 3) What is the value of these contracts?
- 4) Will the contract for these services go out to formal tender?

### Response

**Request reference:** RFI0363

**Response date:** 16/02/2016

**Dudley CCG Disclosure Log****February 2016****Request:**

I am interested in the existing and future contracts for **clinically** related health services that the CCG has commissioned or where the CCG is acting as co-commissioner:-

- 1) Which clinical contracts are the CCG planning to re-tender in the next 12 to 18 months?
- 2) Which clinical services contracts is the CCG planning to roll-on, i.e., continue with the current provider once the current contract term has ended?
- 3) Are there any **clinical** services/service areas which are being redesigned by the CCG and for which new contracts will be put out to tender over the next 12 to 18 months?
- 4) Will the process of redesigning services noted in **question 3** involve a prior consultation with stakeholders and/or the public?

**Response****Request reference:** RFI0364**Response date:** 17/02/2016**Request:**

1. Did the NHS Dudley CCG pay for a NLA (Newspaper Licensing Agency) **or** CLA (Copyright Licensing Agency) media license in 2013-2014?
2. If so, how much was paid for the licenses in 2013-2014 (please provide the figures separately)?
3. Did the NHS Dudley CCG pay for other media licenses (similar to the NLA or CLA) in 2013-2014? Please list any other media licenses that were subscribed to and how much was paid for them in 2013-2014.

**Response****Request reference:** RFI0365**Response date:** 17/02/2016**Request:**

- 1 Within your organisation, which healthcare professional (role) clinically recommends the LHRH that is prescribed?
- 2 Which healthcare professional (role) within your organisation usually administers the first injection?
- 3 Where is the first injection usually given (hospital or primary care)?
- 4 Which healthcare professional (role) within your organisation usually administers subsequent injections?
- 5 Where are subsequent injections usually given (hospital or primary care)?
- 6 For subsequent injections, does the patient still remain under the care of the hospital (eg attends hospital clinics although injections are given in primary care), and if so, for how long?
- 7 If injections are administered in primary care, what recommendation/advice comes from the hospital?

**Response**

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**Request reference:** RFI0366

**Response date:** 19/02/2016

**Request:**

1. For every year since 2005 until 2015/2016: the number, value and length of all contracts for mental health services by type and name of provider (ie NHS trust, NHS FT, company Name) , voluntary sector (Name)
- 2a. For each contract please provide numbers of CCG patients treated as inpatients, out patients and day cases and costs of each case annually since 2005 -2015/6
- 2b. Where available please can you send copies of all contracts awarded to the independent sector for mental health services since 2005 until 2015/6
3. For each contract for in-patient mental health services - please give data on staffing levels and average length of stay, average cost per patient, and quality monitoring by provider.

### Response

**Request reference:** RFI0367

**Response date:** 19/02/2016

**Request:**

Please could you provide me the NAME and EMAIL ADDRESS for the following roles within ALL CCG's that you provide FOI services for:

1. The person/s in the CCG responsible for producing the CCG's Digital Roadmap
2. The person responsible for administering and managing the CCG's IFR process. Including the IFR Manager and lead IFR clinician at the CCG (or CSU)

### Response

**Request reference:** RFI0368

**Response date:** 19/02/2016

**Request:**

Please could you provide details of uptake of urgent care services within the CCG area as follows for January 1st 2015 until the 31st December 2015 (or the most recent 12 month period for which you have data). I would be pleased if this data could be supplied at the lowest geographical level you have available – eg at Ward, Locality, Borough or CCG wide.

- a) Activity – Individual requests for Urgent Care
- b) Numbers and percent using hospital A+E within CCG area
- c) Numbers and percent using hospital A+E outside CCG area
- d) Numbers and percent using Walk In Centre
- e) Numbers and percent using Urgent Care Centre
- f) Numbers and percent using Out of Hours
- g) Numbers and percent using other Out of Hours ( non A+E, outside CCG area)
- h) For all of the above the number and percentage of patients

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discharged without treatment

i) Numbers and percent of patients from outside of the CCG area using your A&E provision

j) Number and percent of patients from outside of the CCG area using your Urgent Care Centres

k) Number and percent of patients from outside of the CG area using your Walk in Centres

**Response**

**Request reference:** RFI0369

**Response date:** 22/02/2016

**Request:**

The CCG grant funded to Dudley Council for Voluntary Service (DCVS) a separate programme managed by DCVS. This provided small grants to a range of community organisations with the aim of increasing levels of physical activity in Dudley.

Do you have a list of the organisations that received grants?

**Response**

**Request reference:** RFI0370

**Response date:** 24/02/2016

**Request:**

Do you commission this service? Service details attached in the table.

**Response**

**Request reference:** RFI0371

**Response date:** 28/02/2016

**Request:**

1. At 311215 please provide the number of staff employed by the CCG by AfC banding e.g. 2 @ Band 3, 5 @ 8a, 3 @ 9, 4 @ 8b etc.

No information linked to job role, job title etc., is required.

Additionally please provide:

1. The number of staff employed under the job title of Intern, Apprentice (or variations of this) where they are not paid under AfC pay scales
2. The number of staff who are regarded as Accountable Officers and who are paid via Personal Services Companies

**Response**

**Request reference:** RFI0372

**Response date:** 29/02/2016

**Request:**



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1. The number of adults currently receiving NHS Continuing Healthcare
2. The number of adults currently receiving NHS Continuing Healthcare who are currently in receipt of a Personal Health Budget
3. The number of children currently receiving NHS continuing care
4. The number of children currently receiving NHS continuing care who are currently in receipt of a Personal Health Budget
5. The number of people not covered by questions 2 and 4 who are currently in receipt of a Personal Health Budget
6. The number of people who have requested Personal Health Budgets and are awaiting a decision on their request
7. The total 2015/16 value of Personal Health Budgets awarded to people currently in receipt of them
8. The number of people who currently receive their Personal Health Budget wholly or partly in the form of Direct Payments
9. The number of investigations conducted by (or on behalf of) the CCG since April 2013 into suspected fraud relating to Personal Health Budgets (broken down by financial year)
10. The number of proven cases of fraud relating to Personal Health Budgets since April 2013 (broken down by financial year)
11. The value of each fraud committed related to Personal Health Budgets since April 2013, and details of each case (who committed the fraud - ie patient, carer, family member etc - and what the fraudulent spending was on)
12. Please tell me what information the CCG collects on payments made under PHBs to brokers

### Response

**Request reference:** RFI0373

**Response date:** 29/02/2016

**Request:**

Please provide us with the following information:

1. A copy of your care pathway for children and young people with cerebral palsy.
2. A copy of your service framework for children and young people with cerebral palsy.
3. Whether your CCG commissions the following services for children and young people with cerebral palsy:
  - a. Paediatric speech and language therapy
  - b. Paediatric physiotherapy
  - c. Paediatric occupational therapy
  - d. Conductive Education

If so:

- i. What is the annual cost of these commissioned services to the CCG?

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- ii. Are they provided in an integrated manner (under one roof)?
4. Whether NHS Dudley CCG commissions/funds any other programmes or initiatives by independent or third sector providers to improve outcomes for children and young people with cerebral palsy.
5. An overview of training and advice provided by NHS Dudley CCG, as part its co-commissioning duties, for GPs and other health professionals on identifying and referring children with cerebral palsy.
6. Whether there is a specific timescale set out in your care pathway for referral for diagnosis of cerebral palsy, from the point of the formal identification of symptoms.
7. What the estimated cost is to the CCG of medical and therapy costs for children and young people with cerebral palsy.
8. The total number of children and young people diagnosed with cerebral palsy in your CCG population area within each of the last five years.

### [Response](#)