



# Lincolnshire Integrated Care Board

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### FREEDOM OF INFORMATION – DECISION NOTICE

Dear Requester

**FOI Reference Number:** 72523

I refer to your email of 14 February 2024 requesting information in relation to specialised commissioning.

I can confirm on behalf of NHS Lincolnshire Integrated Care Board (ICB) and in accordance with S.1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) that we do hold the information that you have requested. Please see further details below:

**I would like to know whether you will be directly commissioning the 59 services that are being delegated to you from April 2024 or if you're going to be commissioning as part of a collaborative.**

The 59 Specialised Services that are due to be delegated to ICBs (subject to ICB board approval) in April 2024 will be commissioned jointly with other ICBs. The approach in the Midlands is to jointly commission specialised services on an East Midlands and West Midlands footprint.

I can confirm that an update report was presented to the Board at its January 2024 meeting. Please see the attached file for further information.

**If it will be as part of a collaborative, I'd like to know the identity of the other members of the collaborative and its name.**

These formal parentships partnerships will be governed through a Joint Committee, as follows:

East Midlands Joint Committee	West Midlands Joint Committee
Lincolnshire ICB	The Black Country ICB
Nottingham and Nottinghamshire ICB	Birmingham and Solihull ICB
Derby and Derbyshire ICB	Coventry and Warwickshire ICB
Northamptonshire ICB	Shropshire Telford and Wrekin ICB
Leicester, Leicestershire and Rutland ICB	Staffordshire and Stoke on Trent ICB
	Herefordshire and Worcestershire ICB

**And I would like to know the name of the accountable officer for commissioning each of the services, and the names of those sitting on any commissioning committee or equivalent body.**

The Joint Committee will be led by the Chief Executive for each of the participating ICBs, who is the accountable person within the Joint Committee on behalf of the ICB.

I hope that this answers your queries with the information we currently hold, but if I can be of any further assistance please do not hesitate to contact me.

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to

Arden & GEM Greater East Midlands Commissioning Support Unit  
FOI TEAM/Corporate Communications Team  
1<sup>st</sup> Floor, St John's House  
East Street  
Leicester  
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If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the complaints procedure provided the ICB.

The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: telephone 0303 123 1113,  
email [icocasework@ico.org.uk](mailto:icocasework@ico.org.uk) and <https://ico.org.uk/global/contact-us/>

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Yours faithfully

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**On behalf of  
NHS Lincolnshire ICB**