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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION – DECISION NOTICE

Dear Requester

FOI Reference Number: 72361

I refer to your email of 23 January 2024 requesting information in relation to the Late Effects of Cancer Services.

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 some information in relation to your request. Please see further details below:

Please confirm the ICB holds the following data, and where it is held please provide the data as requested.

Late Effects of Cancer Services

1. **Please provide a list of all providers the ICB holds contracts with for Late Effects of Cancer services, which are variously (but not exclusively) described as:**
 - a. **Late Effects/LE Service, Radiotherapy Late Effects Service**
 - b. **Pelvic, Pelvic Radiotherapy, Pelvic Radiation Disease/PRD Late Effects Service**
 - c. **Gastrointestinal & Urological, Gastrointestinal Late Effects Services**
 - d. **Gastrointestinal Consequences of Cancer service**
 - e. **Urological Late Effects Service**
 - f. **Radiation Cystitis clinic**
 - g. **Complex Cancer Late Effects Rehabilitation etc**

Lincolnshire ICB holds NHS Standard contracts with 15 NHS acute trusts who may provide cancer services as part of the contract. Each provider will be developing services with their host ICB who will hold details of the specific services.

The trusts are listed below:

- Sheffield Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust
- Doncaster And Bassetlaw Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust
- University Hospitals Of Derby And Burton NHS Foundation Trust
- United Lincolnshire Hospitals NHS Trust
- University Hospitals Of Leicester NHS Trust
- University College London Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust
- The Queen Elizabeth Hospital, King's Lynn, NHS Foundation Trust
- Norfolk And Norwich University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust
- Northern Lincolnshire And Goole NHS Foundation Trust
- Hull University Teaching Hospitals NHS Trust
- Sherwood Forest Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust
- Nottingham University Hospitals NHS Trust
- Royal Papworth Hospital NHS Foundation Trust
- North West Anglia NHS Foundation Trust
- Cambridge University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

Lincolnshire ICB is the host ICB for United Lincolnshire Hospitals NHS Trust (ULHT). For ULHT Cancer Service Development Funding (SDF) from NHSE via the East Midlands Cancer Alliance (which comes to the ICB) was used to pump prime 2 services:

- Pelvic Late Effects Service for people who are at least 6 months post treatment and have had pelvic radiotherapy. The SDF funding has now ended and the service has now secured recurrent funding internally at ULHT and has moved to Business As Usual. There are plans to develop to be able to support Late Effects from all tumour sites in the future.
- Consequences of Colorectal Cancer Clinic. This received 3 years' funding from SDF which has now ended.

2. For each contracted provider, please provide the Service Specification that describes the service (whether standalone or integrated in a broader Service Specification)

We do not hold service specifications – in the contract we expect each of the services to follow the best practice guidance for example – National Institute for Health and Care Excellence (NICE) guidelines.

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
1st Floor, St John's House
East Street
Leicester
LE1 6NB

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Yours faithfully

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**On behalf of
NHS Lincolnshire ICB**