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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION – DECISION NOTICE

Dear Requester

FOI Reference Number: 71899

I refer to your email of 09 November 2023 requesting information in relation to the ICB's spend on the Additional Roles Reimbursement Scheme.

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. A response to each element of your request is detailed below.

I would like to request two pieces on information, if that is possible?

1. ARRS spend of PCNs for the 2023/24 Financial Year (April-November)

PCN Code	PCN Name	Claims received to Date (Apr23-Nov23) *
U71716	GRANTHAM AND RURAL PCN	572,765
U71550	K2 HEALTHCARE SLEAFORD PCN	555,620
U41693	SPALDING PCN	342,402
U17012	SOUTH LINCOLNSHIRE RURAL PCN	1,394,461
U52802	FOUR COUNTIES PCN	416,339
U12413	EAST LINDSEY PCN	659,575
U33832	MERIDIAN MEDICAL PCN	424,819
U75268	BOSTON PCN	678,500
U17435	APEX PCN	507,683
U58704	IMP PCN	684,768
U38661	LINCOLN HEALTH PARTNERSHIP PCN	427,115
U93726	SOUTH LINCOLN PCN	145,325
U56215	TRENT CARE PCN	291,981
U08229	SOLAS PCN	32,550
U58435	FIRST COASTAL PCN	428,541
	Totals	7,562,445

* Please note this is the sum of the claims received to date by PCNs and not the actual spend for April – November 2023 as not all PCNs are at the same point in claiming for roles.

2. The contact details (email preferably) of the pathology lab used within the ICS to process blood tests.

Path Links is a Lincolnshire-wide laboratory pathology service serving a population of more than one million people across Lincoln, Boston, Grantham, Grimsby and Scunthorpe. Path Links is managed by Northern Lincolnshire and Goole Hospitals NHS Trust (NLaG) which is made up of Scunthorpe General Hospital, Goole Hospital and Diana Princess of Wales Hospital, Grimsby.

There are blood transfusion laboratories at Lincoln County Hospital, Pilgrim Hospital, Boston and Grantham and District Hospital.

For further information please see the United Lincolnshire Hospitals NHS Trust website – I have detailed the relevant link below:

[Haematology - United Lincolnshire Hospitals \(ulh.nhs.uk\)](https://www.ulh.nhs.uk/haematology)

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