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Dear

Re: Request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

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Thank you for your correspondence dated 12 July 2018, making a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 for information which may be held by NHS Cannock Chase Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG), NHS East Staffordshire CCG, NHS North Staffordshire CCG, NHS Stafford and Surrounds CCG, NHS Stoke-on-Trent CCG and NHS South East Staffordshire and Seisdon Peninsula CCG.

You requested the following information and our response is detailed below:

1. Please can you state the main provider of children's and young people's community services, including physical and mental health, for NHS Cannock Chase, East Staffordshire, North Staffordshire, Stafford and Surrounds, Stoke-on-Trent and South East Staffordshire and Seisdon Peninsula CCGs, in each the following financial years: 2015-16, 2016-17, 2017-18, 2018-19.

Children's services across the six Staffordshire CCGs above are predominantly provided by:

- **Birmingham Community Healthcare,**
- **Midlands Partnership NHS FT,**
- **Midlands Psychology,**

Other providers are used, for instance for Acute treatments, these would be for example the Acute trusts:

- **University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust,**
- **The Royal Wolverhampton Hospitals Trust,**
- **Walsall Healthcare NHS Trust**

2. Please can you state the CCG's total spending on children's and young people's community services, including physical and mental health, in each the following financial years: 2015-16, 2016-17, 2017-18, 2018-19

CCG	Cannock Chase	East Staffordshire	North Staffordshire	South East Staffordshire & Seisdon Peninsula	Stafford & Surrounds	Stoke on Trent
2015/16	869,756	812,705	827,457	1,457,505	1,543,863	1,814,006
2016/17	1,062,583	728,010	656,625	1,376,257	1,445,351	1,424,970
2017/18	1,182,672	796,711	376,638	1,550,208	1,196,876	1,530,658
2018/19*	293,831	197,941	68,850	377,205	280,522	293,278

NB – this spend includes amounts categorised as spend against ‘children’s services. It does not include spend at Acute/Mental Health/Community Trusts (with the exception of where spend is recorded as CAMHS or where specific trusts are used wholly for children’s services. It does not include spend at Trusts which are ‘Women’s & Children’s Trusts’ as contracts cannot readily be split to detail children’s spend specifically. This does not include any Primary Care spend relating to children.

***Part year - current**

3. When does the CCG’s current main contract for these services end?

Various contracts exist and are predominantly aligned to the financial year.

4. Does the CCG intend to tender the contract at that point?

Depending on the service requirements a review would usually commence prior to the contract ending in preparation for next steps, eg tendering, service redesign etc.

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Yours sincerely



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