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Re: Freedom of Information Request

Please find below the response to your recent Freedom of Information request regarding the commissioning of weight management clinics within NHS Southport and Formby CCG.

Request/Response:

1. The CCG's policy on the commissioning of Tier 3 weight management clinics (in April 2017 commissioning transferred from NHS England to CCG's)

NHS Southport and Formby CCG commission a Tier 3 Weight Management service from Aintree University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

2. The CCG's policy on the commissioning of Tier 4 bariatric surgery (in April 2017 commissioning transferred from NHS England to CCG's)

Tier 4 bariatric surgery is commissioned by NHS England on behalf of NHS Southport and Formby CCG at Stoke with an element of follow up at Aintree University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

3. Does the CCG offer Tier 3 services or out source them and if so where would patients be sent.

Patients attend the Aintree University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust based service.