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Your ref:
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Dear Mr Johnson

Freedom of Information Act Request: Ref FOI 157-24/25: Response

I am writing further to your request made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 received on 23 July 2024. NHS Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Integrated Care Board's (ICB) response is set out below:

Please provide the following information:

- 1. Do you have a commissioned Nutrition / Dietetics Medicines Optimisation team focusing on the nutrition (Oral Nutritional Supplement (ONS) and infant formula) spend in NHS Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Integrated Care Board and the individual PCNs within the ICS?***

The ICB does not have a specifically commissioned service for the delivery of ONS or infant formula management within the Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Integrated Care System (ICS). We have a lead ICB dietitian, who works within the Medicines Optimisation Team, who supports in the development of guidance for appropriate prescribing of nutritional products across the system.

If yes, please also provide: N/A

- 1. The contract expiry date, contract value, and vendor name for this commissioned service.***
- 2. The contractual performance Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) for this contract, specifically related to ONS and infant formula prescription savings per year.***
- 3. The name and contact details of the senior officer (outside of procurement) responsible for this contract.***

Furthermore, I kindly request information on:

- 1. The structure of the medicines management team within the NHS Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Integrated Care Board.***

Please refer to the relevant structure chart extract which accompanies this response letter.



2. *The individuals or teams responsible for reviewing and managing ONS prescribing within the ICS.*

The clinicians recommending the prescription of the item to the prescriber, or who has prescribed the item is responsible for the patient's nutritional management including any relevant nutritional prescription products .

Oversight and assurance sits with the ICB Medicines Optimisation Team.

3. *Whether there is a Dietitian on the medicines management team.*

Yes, the Medicines Optimisation Team includes a lead ICB dietitian

4. *Any NHS-wide incentives in place for ONS prescribing.*

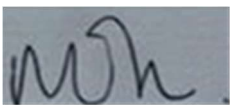
No current incentives for prescribing ONS

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If, after we have addressed your concerns, you remain dissatisfied with how the ICB has responded, you are entitled to appeal to the Information Commissioner's Office at Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF. Further details can be found at <https://ico.org.uk/>.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if I can be of any further assistance.

Yours sincerely



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