

Our ref: SF/sb/FOI 81-20/21: Watts  
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Dear Ms Watts

**Freedom of Information Act Request: Ref FOI 81-20/21 - Response**

I am writing further to your request made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 received on 19 August 2020. NHS Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Clinical Commissioning Group's response is set out below:

***Please could you provide the following information in regard to the Learning Disability Mortality Review (LeDeR) programme under the Freedom of Information Act:***

**1. Who is the LeDeR Local Area Contact (LAC) for the CCG?**

Susan Sadek  
Senior Lead and Local Area Contact, Learning Disabilities Mortality Review (LeDeR)

**2. How many Local Reviewers are engaged by the CCG? Of these, how many are permanent employees?**

1 substantive employee with the CCG.  
17 local reviewers who work for local partner/provider organisations (local authority, acute trust, mental health trust etc).  
2 independent reviewers.

**3. How many LeDeR notifications did the CCG receive in 2018?**

51

**4. How many LeDeR notifications did the CCG receive in 2019?**

38

**5. How much did the CCG spend on agency or independent LeDeR reviewers in the last financial year (1/4/19 to 31/3/20)?**

Nil

**6. How are reviewers paid (e.g. hourly, daily, or per review completed) and what is the average/standard rate of pay?**

Local reviewers are not paid to complete reviews; they have time out from their usual role (local authority, acute trust, mental health trust etc) to complete reviews.  
The substantive reviewer is paid at Band 6, Agenda for Change.

Independent reviews are paid per review; these are individually negotiated contracts. Independent reviewers are paid between £300 and £500 per completed review, depending on experience and expertise.

If you are dissatisfied with how your request has been handled or would like to formally appeal against our response please address your concerns, in writing, to the Freedom of Information Team at NHS Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Clinical Commissioning Group at Lockton House, Clarendon Road, Cambridge CB2 8FH: Telephone: 01223 725400  
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If, after we have addressed your concerns, you remain dissatisfied with how the CCG 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

A handwritten signature in dark ink that reads "Sharon Fox". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

**Sharon Fox**  
**Director of Governance**