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Dear Ian Reynolds

**Re: Freedom of Information Act 2000
ICB Primary Care Partner(s)**

Thank you for your information request indicated in bold below, which has now been considered under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 by NHS Cheshire & Merseyside Integrated Care Board (ICB). I am able to provide you with the following information and responses.

Your Request:

I have written to all 42 ICBs and they 29/31 so far have been able to provide me with the names of the GPs that have taken up the role of Primary Care Partner (normally it is two people), has your ICB got a similar position allocated as of yet?

Our Response:

The composition of the NHS Cheshire & Merseyside Integrated Care Board includes the membership of two Partner member(s) from Primary Medical Services.

NHS Cheshire & Merseyside ICB have appointed Adam Irvine, Partner Board Member (Pharmacy) as one of the Partner Member from Primary Medical Services to the board.

The other Partner Member from Primary Medical Services board position is currently vacant awaiting appointment, with work in the Primary Care community due to commence to ensure that this Partner Member vacancy is appointed to this Board.

Should you require any further information or clarification regarding this response or do not feel that your request has been answered as you would expect, please contact us to discuss.

We also wish to take this opportunity to inform you that, where you are not satisfied with the response to your request for information, a formal complaints and internal review process is available.

This can be formally requested by emailing foi@cheshireandmerseyside.nhs.uk and must be done within a reasonable time period (3 calendar months) from the date this response was issued.

Where you remain dissatisfied with our review under the Freedom of Information Act or the Environmental Information Regulations, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioners Office (ICO) for a review of your appeal decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted our complaints procedure.

The ICO can be contacted at;

The Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF
www.ico.gov.uk

Should you need any further clarification or assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us quoting the above FOI reference.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading 'Matthew Cunningham'.

Matthew Cunningham
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