



Redditch and Bromsgrove Clinical Commissioning Group

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Dear

Re: Request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000
Ref no: FOI-03232-X1S4-RB

Thank you for your correspondence dated 12 March 2018 making a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 for information which may be held by NHS Redditch and Bromsgrove Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG).

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

1. Please provide the total number of GP surgeries operating in your area. And the total number of patients covered?

22 practices – 177,000 patients

2. Please provide the total number of those GP surgeries which are being run by interim caretakers, rather than fully contracted out. Please also provide the number of patients those surgeries cover?

1 Temporary caretaker in place

3. Please provide the total cost to the CCG of commissioning those interim caretakers, above?

0

4. For 2015, 2016, 2017 and 2018 so far, please provide the number of GP surgeries where partners have handed their contract back and please also attach the names of the surgeries and the registered partner (s)?

0

5. Please provide the average total cost (or the cost in each instance if average is unworkable) to the CCG of putting the returned contract out to tender/procurement. Please breakdown the costs where possible to marketing, advertising, tendering, legal costs etc?

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Information Commissioners Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF
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Yours faithfully

FOI Officer
On behalf of NHS Redditch and Bromsgrove CCG