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**RE: Freedom of Information Request**

**17<sup>th</sup> December 2023**

Dear Sir/Madam

With reference to your request for information received on 29<sup>th</sup> November 2023 in which you asked:

In your request you asked:

**1. Do you have a dedicated service for lower limb wounds in your integrated care bored? (Lower limb wound services can be described as a healthcare service providing care for patients with chronic wounds located below the knee and above the foot.)**

- Yes
- No

*If no, please proceed to question 2*

*If yes, please complete questions: 1.1, 1.2, 1.3, & 1.4.*

**1.1 Is this service delivered by a doctor or nurse led?**

- Delivered by a medically trained doctor
- Nurse lead
- Other (Please specify) .....

**1.2 Are the staff who provide lower limb services able to apply compression bandaging? (Bandages that result in therapeutic levels of lower limb compression when applied with pressure)**

- Yes
- No
- Other (Please specify) .....

**1.3 What are the clinical requirements to be eligible for this service?**

Please specify: .....

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**1.4 How are referrals received for this service?**

- Electronic e.g. e-referral system
- Referral via email
- Referral via telephone call
- Patient self-referral
- Other (Please specify) .....

**1.5 Does this service provide care or outreach services for house bound patients?**

- Yes
- No

**2. Do you have a dedicated vascular service?**

*(Vascular services are commissioned to provide diagnostics and treatment for vascular disease. The principal clinical specialities involved are vascular surgery and interventional vascular radiology. Such services provide care for the needs of patients with disorders relating to the arteries, veins, and lymphatic system)*

- Yes
- No
- Other (Please specify) .....

*If yes, please complete questions: 2.1 & 2.2*

**2.1 If yes, is the vascular service a hub centre or specialist service? (please select all that apply)**

*Hub centre: providing diagnostics and expert advice in an outpatient setting.*

*Specialist services: providing diagnostics and expert advice in an outpatient setting + providing elective and 24/7 emergency vascular services.*

- Hub Centre
- Specialist service
- N/A

**2.2 Do you have a dedicated service for venous disease within the vascular service?**

- Yes
- No
- Other (Please specify) .....

**2.3 If yes, is this delivered by a doctor or a nurse?**

- Delivered by a medically trained doctor / surgeon
- Nurse lead
- Other (Please specify)

I can confirm in accordance with Section 1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 that we do not hold the information you have requested.

Under Section 16 of the Act we have a duty to provide advice and assistance. Please contact NHS Nottingham and Nottinghamshire ICB [notts.foi@nhs.net](mailto:notts.foi@nhs.net) who may hold this information.

Should you have any further enquiries or queries about this response please do not hesitate to contact me. However, if you are unhappy with the way in which your request has been handled, you have the right to ask for an internal review. Internal review requests should be

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If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of the internal review, you can apply to the Information Commissioner's Office, who will consider whether we have complied with our obligations under the Act and can require us to remedy any problems.

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Yours faithfully

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