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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act (FOI) 2000 - Request for Information Reference: Tier 3 Weight Management

I am writing in response to your request for information under the FOI 2000.

I can confirm in accordance with Section 1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 that we do the information you have requested. A response to each part of your request is provided below.

Home, Community, Hospital.

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| FOI Request / Question | Question Response | Is there an exemption? | Exemption | Exemption Details |
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| 1. Does your Trust provide a Tier 3 weight management service? | | Yes | Section 21 Exemption - Refer Applicant to the Publication Scheme / Information Reasonably Accessible Elsewhere | Under Section 21 of the Act, the Turst is not required to provide information in response to a request if it is already reasonably accessible to you. The information you requested is available <u>https://www.sfh-</u> <u>tr.nhs.uk/media/vesptonn/foi-53609-tier-3-</u> <u>weight-management-services-04012024.pdf</u> |
| 2. If answer to question 1 | N/A | | | |
| was yes: | | | | |
| A. How many patients did this service support in 2023/24? | | | | |
| B. How many patients are currently on the waiting list for the service? | | | | |
| C. What is the current average waiting time in weeks for this service? | | | | |
| D. Is the service commissioned to include | | | | |
| pharmacotherapy? | | | | |
| E. Is your Tier 3 service face-to-face only, or do you provide a digital- only weight management service? | | | | |
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| 3. If answer to question 1 was no, do you have any | Please see Q1 | Yes | Section 21 Exemption - Refer Applicant to the | |

| plans to provide a Tier 3 service in 2024/25? | | | Publication Scheme / Information Reasonably Accessible Elsewhere | |
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| 4. Were patients prescribed Wegovy (semaglutide) in your Trust in 2023/24? | We do not have this specific brand of Semaglutide within pharmacy. | | | |
| 5. If answer to question 4 was yes: A. How many patients were prescribed Wegovy in 2023/24? B. Clinicians from which specialties (e.g. endocrinology, cardiology etc) prescribed Wegovy in 2023/24? | | | | |
| 6. Who in your organisation would be responsible for the management of weight management services and/or diabetes? Please provide name, position and contact details where possible. | Please see Q1 | Yes | Section 21 Exemption - Refer Applicant to the Publication Scheme / Information Reasonably Accessible Elsewhere | |

I trust this information answers your request. 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 submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to: Sally Brook Shanahan, Director of Corporate Affairs, King's Mill Hospital, Mansfield Road, Sutton in Ashfield, Nottinghamshire, NG17 4JL or email sally.brookshanahan@nhs.net.

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Yours faithfully

Information Governance Team

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