



4 September 2019

## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION – DECISION NOTICE

Dear Requester

**FOI Reference Number: 000866**

I refer to your email of 13 August requesting information in respect of blood glucose meters.

I can confirm on behalf of Great Yarmouth and Waveney, North Norfolk, South Norfolk, Norwich and West Norfolk CCGs and in accordance with S.1 (1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) that we do not hold the information that you have requested. A response to each element of your request is detailed below:

The following response is informed by information held by the medicines management team on behalf of the CCGs in relation to the medicines management service commissioned under a contract.

I am requesting the following information:

- The name(s) and direct contact email address(es) and direct telephone numbers of the person(s) in your Medicines Management team who is responsible for the blood glucose meters formulary within the CCG
- The date of the next review of your formulary in respect of blood glucose meters
- How do you intend to review your formulary (detail to include process, time lines)
- Is your CCG is part of a local partnership arrangement for formulary review?
- If so, please provide the contact name, email address and telephone number for the person with responsibility for blood glucose meters.

### **Response**

The CCGs' do not have a blood glucose meter formulary therefore do not hold the information sought within the request.

To assist further the CCGs' publish information regarding blood glucose within the Knowledge Anglia website – see the following link and search for blood glucose:

<https://www.knowledgeanglia.nhs.uk/>

I hope that this answers your queries with the information we currently hold, but if I can be of any further assistance please do not hesitate to contact me.

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, 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

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FOI Team, Room 18  
Scarsdale  
Newbold Road  
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Email [agcsu.foi.norfolkwaveneyccgs@nhs.net](mailto:agcsu.foi.norfolkwaveneyccgs@nhs.net)

If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the complaints procedure provided the CCG.

The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioners Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF, telephone 0303 123 1113, email [casework@ico.org.uk](mailto:casework@ico.org.uk)

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Yours faithfully

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**On behalf of  
Great Yarmouth and Waveney,  
North Norfolk, South Norfolk  
Norwich and West Norfolk CCGs**