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## **Re: Freedom of Information Request**

Please find below the response to your recent Freedom of Information request regarding ECG services within NHS South Sefton CCG.

### Request/[Response](#):

- 1) How much does it currently cost the CCG for a patient referred by a GP to have a 24 hour ECG recording (Holter)?

[NHS South Sefton CCG does not hold this information. You may wish to re-direct your question to the provider.](#)

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- 2) How many 24 hour ECG recording (Holter) are performed annually?

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- 3) With regard to 12 lead ECGs, 24 hour ECG recordings (Holter), Echocardiograms and Audiograms can your GPs

- a. Refer their patients directly to a local provider via e-Referral or must they go via a referral service e.g. Devon Referral Support Service?

[In South Sefton GPs refer direct to the provider electronically or via fax/phone dependent on clinical urgency.](#)



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- b. Refer their patients directly to a local provider via e-Referral or must the request be assessed as an appropriate referral by an intermediate service?

[As above](#)