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Re: Freedom of Information Request

Request/[Response](#):

Service Design and Makeup

1. Who are your current providers for community and secondary care dermatology services within your locality?

[Southport and Ormskirk NHS Trust](#)

[Aintree University Hospital Trust](#)

[Royal Liverpool and Broadgreen University Hospital Trust](#)

[St Helens and Knowsley Teaching Hospital s trust](#)

[Virgin Care](#)

2. Which of these services are contracted as

- a) consultant led 18-week services
- b) GPwSI services
- c) primary care nurse services?

[Acute services operate an 18 week consultant led service.](#)

[Virgin Care is Community, Consultant Led but use GPs to deliver the service.](#)

[None of the services are contracted as GPwSI services or primary care nurse services](#)

3. Has the CCG, since its formation, been made aware of any service capacity issues by providers? If so were these:

a) workforce capacity issues?

NHS South Sefton CCG has been made aware of consultant workforce issues in acute services

b) other issues (please specify).

4. NHS South Sefton CCG has been made aware of increased demand in secondary care

For each GPwSI dermatology service directly contracted by the CCG do all the GPwSIs:

a) attend a monthly clinic at their local hospital or

b) have access to another consultant dermatologist resource

N/A

Consultation and Needs Assessment

1. Since the CCGs formation have you put dermatology services locally out to tender?

Since the formation of NHS South Sefton CCG, dermatology services locally have not been put out to tender

2. What activity data did you use to inform the service specification requirements? Please list the data sets used to inform the care pathway requirements contained within your specification.

Not applicable. Please see above

3. Please list the type and number of individuals or organisations you consulted with during the design of the care pathway requirements contained within your service specification.

Not applicable. Please see above

4. What activities do you undertake to identify the local health care need or requirements for service redesign?

Not applicable. Please see above

5. Has the CCG conducted:

a) A healthcare needs assessment to determine the likely level of demand for a dermatology service?

NHS South Sefton CCG are about to embark on this to inform service specification for 2016/2017

b) A review of current service provision? Please provide details of how this was conducted.

Please see response to 5a above

6. When was the last time your CCG conducted a review of local dermatology service demand and workforce capacity?

Please see response to 5a above

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