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## **Re: Freedom of Information Request - Age Related Macula Degeneration (AMD) services**

Thank you for your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, which was received into this office on the 19<sup>th</sup> April 2022.

### **You Asked for:**

I am interested to find out about the Age-Related Macula Degeneration (AMD) services offered within your Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) and would like to ask the following questions through an FOI if possible.

1. Please provide the name of all providers delivering AMD services on behalf of your CCG.
2. By provider, please provide the total number of AMD patients seen within 2019/2020.
3. By provider, please provide the total number of AMD patients seen within 2020/2021
4. By provider, please provide the total number of AMD patients seen within 2021/2022
5. Please advise when the current AMD contract is due to expire.
6. Please confirm if there is an option to extend this contract, and if so, for how long.
7. Please provide the name and contract details for the individual who manages this contract within your CCG.

### **Our Response:**

1. Wirral University Teaching Hospital NHS Foundation Trust (WUTH) provides this service.
2. NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) does not receive this level of data. Please can I suggest that you contact WUTH directly? I have included their contact details below, should you wish to do so.  
WUTH - [wih-tr.AccessstoInformationOffice@nhs.net](mailto:wih-tr.AccessstoInformationOffice@nhs.net)
3. Please see the answer to question number 2.
4. Please see the answer to question number 2.
5. The current contract is due to expire on the 31<sup>st</sup> of March 2023.
6. Yes, there is an option to extend by 12 months as part of the main NHS acute contract.
7. Stephen Cocks is the Associate Director of Contracting and Performance for NHS Wirral CCG and can be contacted via email on [WICCG.InTouch@nhs.net](mailto:WICCG.InTouch@nhs.net).

We hope this information is useful, however, if you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact a member of the Corporate Affairs Team, (contact details at the top of this letter).

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