

Ref: CCG January 2016 023

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Dear

Re: Freedom of Information Request

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request which we received on 26 January 2016 with regards to services commissioned by Liverpool CCG.

Request:

Please would you let us know what services you commission for:

- a) pre-school children who stammer
- b) primary school-age children who stammer
- c) secondary school-age children who stammer
- d) adults who stammer.

Response:

We are unable to provide you with the information you have requested under section 1 (1)(a) of the FOI Act. This is because Liverpool Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) does not hold the information you have requested.

LCCG does not commission any specific services solely for patients of any age whom stammer. However we do commissions Speech and Language Therapy (SALT) services for both children and adults from our community provider.

We would advise you to redirect your request to Liverpool Community Health Service who provides this service.

Email: FOI@liverpoolch.nhs.uk

Write to: Freedom of Information Officer, Liverpool Innovation Park, 2nd Floor, Digital Way, Liverpool, L7 9NJ

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The ICO can be contacted at:

Information Commissioners Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF
www.ico.gov.uk

Should you require any further information, clarification regarding this response or do not feel that your request has been answered as you would expect, please contact us to discuss.

Yours sincerely

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