

FOI Request: Medicines Management
Our Reference Number: 1314207

Further to your request made to **NHS Southend CCG** for information relating to the above and pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act 2000, please see the organisations response below:

1. Do you have a medicines management team within your CCG?

Yes, NHS Southend CCG has a medicines management team within the CCG.

If the answer to Q1 is yes, please answer the following Q2 onwards, if it is no, please answer Q6 onwards.

2. Is the team solely for your CCG or shared across other CCGs?

The team is shared across another CCG.

3. If the team is shared, which CCGs are you sharing a team with?

The medicines management team is shared between NHS Southend CCG.

4. If the team is shared, what percentage of the total cost is met by each of the CCGs listed above?

The percentage total cost of the medicines management team is split as follows:

NHS Southend CCG 51.23%

NHS Castle Point & Rochford CCG 48.77%.

5. How many staff are employed by your CCG as part of the medicines management team and what are their roles and grades?

There are eight members of staff employed by the CCG as part of the medicines management team. Roles can be found on the organisation chart on our website.

<http://www.southendccg.nhs.uk/key-documents>

6. Are you using a CSU to support your medicines management activity?

No.

7. If yes, which CSU(s) are you using to support your medicines management activity?

N/A.

8. What is the medicines management budget for your CCG?

The medicines management staff costs are as follows:

NHS Southend CCG £256,000.

9. What percentage of your total CCG budget is being spent on medicines management?

The percentage of the total CCG budget spent on medicines management team is as follows:

NHS Southend CCG 5.75%.