

FOI Request: Restricted Treatments
Our Reference Number: 1314332

1 - Have any treatments or services that were previously available for patients within the CCG/PCT been restricted in any way over the past three years?

2 - If yes, please list each treatment/service outlining how it is now restricted and when these restrictions came into place.

Southend CCG (formerly South East Essex PCT) – Please see policies below, which cover the last three years. These show the restricted treatments and how they have changed since the previous policy. The service restriction policy is currently under review for all South Essex CCGs.



CRU Policy 2010 -
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CRU Policy 2011 -
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3 - Are any of the above treatments available to patients willing to pay privately?

The treatments would be available to patients who are willing to pay privately; however, should a patient wish to be treated privately this would have to be arranged themselves. Private treatments are not able to be arranged via the NHS.

The CCGs would fund a patient if they proved exceptional to the policy, or if treatment deemed necessary were not available to the patient on the NHS. These treatments may be with a private provider where deemed necessary.

4 - If yes please list which ones with the prices for private treatment.

N/A