

FOI Request: Formulary Usage
Our Reference Number: 1314057

Does your clinical commissioning group use a formulary for the provision of urology products supplied under Part IX of the Drug Tariff?

There is a CCG formulary for urology products

If yes:

Please provide the minutes of the meeting where the decision to include a formulary was approved.



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What process of engagement or consultation took place with patients or suppliers prior to the introduction of a formulary?

- Letters were sent to appliance contractors (as shown on e-pact data) via e-mail whilst hard copies were posted.
- An agreed patient letter and poster were disseminated to patients via all GP practices.
- Both our district nursing and community services continence teams were advised and were and are continually involved in filtering down this information to patients.

What was the cost of the introduction of the formulary? Please provide any documents assessing the cost, in particular relevant impact assessments.

No costs were involved

Were suppliers asked to offer rebates or other incentives in return for inclusion on the formulary? Please provide any correspondence discussing rebates or other incentives.

No incentives or rebates were offered or solicited.

What is the cost of maintaining the formulary on an on-going basis? Please provide any financial costings relating to this.

No costs are anticipated for maintenance of the formulary.

If no:

Have plans for the development of a formulary been considered, and if so please provide all relevant documents relating to the development of a formulary.

N/A