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Re: Freedom of Information Request

Thank you for your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 which was received into this office on 23rd December 2014.

You Asked for:

The information I require relates to continuing healthcare funding for both male and female, juvenile and adult prison/youth offender inmates.

How many incarcerated individuals are in receipt of continuing healthcare funding by the CCGs that your FOI office serves and please identify which CCGs fund the care separately.

NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group is not responsible for providing Continuing Healthcare (CHC) to people who are incarcerated. I would advise for you to redirect your enquiry to NHS England as they have statutory responsibility for CHC for prisoners, I have included their contact details below for your ease:

By telephone: 0300 311 22 33 (Monday to Friday 8am to 6pm, excluding English Bank Holidays).

Email: england.contactus@nhs.net

Post: NHS England, PO Box 16738, Redditch, B97 9PT

Also please identify if the care is delivered to persons over or under 18 years of age.

CHC does not apply to persons under 18 years of age.

I hope this sufficiently answers your FOI enquiry however if you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact a member of the FOI team (contact details at the top of this letter).

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