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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 1<sup>st</sup> April 2015.

### You Asked for:

This is a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000). A separate attachment details the application for commercial re-use of the data and preferably use under the Open Government License. Please supply the CCG position on use under OGL.

Please supply the data requested without restriction to diabetic datasets as most CCGs have been unable to do this. From other national datasets it is possible to extrapolate diabetic activity for tests that are not used exclusively for the diagnosis and/or treatment of diabetes i.e. please supply the TOTAL numbers of each of the tests carried out on behalf of the CCG.

The data is for PRIMARY CARE only.

Please note Data Set A is for the financial year April 2014 - March 2015 inclusive. If your CCG received an FOI request in Jan\Feb this year that was for a different date period - this is a different date period and slightly modified request.

If the CCG does not hold the data (or cannot obtain it) then please forward this to all the laboratories who you obtain laboratory services from using the ICO guidance for responses, "if you know that the information is held by another public authority, you could transfer them". Please let me know if you have done this and cc me into the email to the laboratory/hospital FOI department.

If you know the prices for the current financial year April 2015 - March 2016 then please complete Data Set B as well.

### Our Response:

Unfortunately NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group does not hold this information regarding diagnostic tests; I would recommend that you contact the Wirral University Teaching Hospital directly on:

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