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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 27th July 2015.

You Asked for:

For the financial year April -1st 2013 to March-31st 2014

- 1) Number of providers commissioned to deliver INR testing/blood coagulation analysis in non-hospital setting?
There were 52 providers commissioned to deliver INR testing/blood coagulation analysis in non-hospital settings 2013-14.
- 2) Number of patients managed for INR testing/blood coagulation analysis in non-hospital settings?
There were 5418 patients managed for INR testing/blood coagulation analysis in non-hospital settings in 2013-14.
- 3) Number of patients managed for INR testing/blood coagulation in hospital-settings?
NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group would not hold this data, I suggest that you contact Wirral University Teaching Hospital NHS Foundation Trust directly, please see below their contact details:

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Wirral University Teaching Hospital NHS Foundation Trust
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- 4) Total number of unique patients managed for INR testing/blood coagulation analysis
Can you please provide clarification on the definition of a 'unique' patient?

For the financial year April -1st 2014 to March-31st 2015

- 5) Number of providers commissioned to deliver INR testing/blood coagulation analysis in non-hospital setting?
There were 52 providers commissioned to deliver INR testing/blood coagulation analysis in non-hospital settings 2014-15.
- 6) Number of patients managed for INR testing/blood coagulation analysis in non-hospital settings?
There were 6346 patients managed for INR testing/blood coagulation analysis in non-hospital settings in 2014-15.
- 7) Number of patients managed for INR testing/blood coagulation in hospital-settings?
Please see answer to question 3.
- 8) Total number of unique patients managed for INR testing/blood coagulation analysis
Can you please provide clarification on the definition of a 'unique' patient?
- 9) List of all providers currently commissioned to deliver INR testing/blood coagulation
10) Contact details of current INR testing/blood coagulation providers
Please see attached a list of all providers currently commissioned to deliver INR testing/blood coagulation, including all contact details.
- 11) Details of any new and/or additional INR testing/blood coagulation services planned between April 1st 2015 and 31st March 2016?
There are no new and/or additional INR testing/blood coagulation service planned between April 1st 2015 and 31st March 2016.
- 12) Contact details of the INR testing/blood coagulation commissioning lead at NHS Wirral CCG
NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Groups INR testing/blood coagulation commissioning lead is:
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