Ref No: DGS 177  
10 January 2017

Dear

Further to your request for information dated 15 December 2016 the information requested is below

1) Please provide the names of the acute trusts you contract with (broken down by CCG if you cover more than one area)

- Dartford and Gravesham NHS Trust
- East Kent Hospitals University Foundation Trust
- Maidstone and Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust
- Medway NHS Foundation Trust
- Guy's and St Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust
- King's College Hospital NHS Foundation Trust
- Moorfields Eye Hospital NHS Foundation Trust
- Queen Victoria Hospital NHS Foundation Trust
- Royal National Orthopaedic Hospital NHS Trust
- Lewisham and Greenwich NHS Trust
- Royal Brompton & Harefield NHS Foundation Trust
- University College London Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust
- Great Ormond Street NHS Foundation Trust
- Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust

2) Please provide a list of all services currently provided by those hospital trusts which face being decommissioned or redesigned and the date from which that will be the case.

The CCG has either started, or will be undertaking work during 2017/18 to re-design the following pathways/services:
• Diabetes (procurement started in November 2016 which should be completed early 2017/18)
• Muscular Skeletal (start of pilot project to introduce triage in early 2017)
• Respiratory (Full review of services/pathways underway. Business case to be presented to Committees early in 2017)
• Discharge to Assess Model implementation (expected to be implemented early 2017)
• Implementation of Care Navigators in conjunction with Age UK (work underway, with staff expected to be in place early 2017)
• Falls/Frailty Services (Continuation in the delivery of a number of initiatives that will aim to reduce falls)
• End of Life Care (Initiatives to improve identification of EoL patient already started and will continue throughout 2017/18)
• Paediatric, Cardiology and Vascular Vanguards (work to continue with DVH and GSTT throughout the next year to improve pathways in these areas)

3) Please provide a reason for the change – ie Sustainability and Transformation Planning etc.

All of the above initiatives are in place to ensure the CCG undertakes all expected actions in relation to the Five Year Forward View and the Sustainability and Transformational Planning. The main aims are to ensure that patients receive the right care, at the right time, in the right setting. There is a drive to ensure more services are available within a community and/or primary care setting to ensure that patients receive services that are closer to home and outside of an acute hospital environment. This will ensure that only those patients who really need urgent/specialist care are seen by the hospitals, which will in turn enable them to see patients more quickly.

4) Please provide the contracting value (latest figures are acceptable) for each of those services

• Diabetes New/Follow-up Single Professional Outpatients (to Month 8) Diabetic Medicine: £324k
• Muscular Skeletal circa £800k spent in Physiotherapy
• Respiratory – circa £1.8m spent across all points of delivery under Respiratory Medicine
• Discharge to Assess Model - this covers numerous patient conditions, therefore unable to give a contract value
• Care Navigators– this covers numerous patient conditions, therefore unable to give a contract value
• Falls/Frailty – we do not contract by diagnosis, therefore unable to give a contract value.
• End of Life Care– we do not contract by diagnosis, therefore unable to give a contract value.
• Paediatric, Cardiology and Vascular Vanguards - New/Follow-up Single Professional Outpatients (to Month 8) - Paediatrics: £980k, Cardiology: £1,216k and Vascular: £45k
If you have any queries or concerns please contact me. Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

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If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint or review, you may apply to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the complaints procedure provided by the Clinical Commissioning Group. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

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