Ref No: DGS 028
31 May 2018

Dear

**Freedom of Information Request**

Further to your Freedom of Information request dated 17 May 2018, the information requested is below.

- **What was your CCG’s total attributable budget for weight management services/interventions for 2016/2017? Please break this down by:**
  - **Tier 1**
    
    NHS Dartford Gravesham and Swanley Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) does not commission tier 1 services
  - **Tier 2**
    
    The CCG does not commission tier 2 services
  - **Tier 3**
    
    The CCG was not the commissioners of tier 3 at this stage. Please contact KCC Public Health Commissioners.

- email [freedomofinformation@kent.gov.uk](mailto:freedomofinformation@kent.gov.uk)
- write to
  
  Information Resilience and Transparency Team,
  Kent County Council, Room 2.71,
  Sessions House,
  County Hall,
The CCG were not the commissioners of tier 4 at this stage. Please contact NHS England.

NHS England
PO Box 16738
Redditch
B97 9PT

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england.contactus@nhs.net

Please write “Freedom of Information” in the subject line.

2. What was your CCG’s total attributable budget for weight management services/interventions for 2017/2018? Please break this down by:

- Tier 4

The CCG took over the commissioning of tier 4 (Bariatric Surgery) on 1st April 2017. The budget for this service was provided as an allocation adjustment from NHS England. The CCG fund all patients who meet the criteria for bariatric surgery.

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SK9 5AF  
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