Dear

Freedom of Information Request – DGS 196

Thank you for your recent email requesting more detailed information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, which was received by NHS Dartford Gravesham and Swanley Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) on 8 February 2019 relating to White Horse Surgery and walk-in centre.

NHS Dartford Gravesham and Swanley Clinical Commissioning Group have been reviewing its urgent care services for some time, with a view to creating a new Urgent Treatment Centre (UTC) for patients in Dartford Gravesham and Swanley. The CCG is currently exploring two options with the public for where this may be located, in anticipation of a full public consultation later this year.

In the meantime, both the Whitehorse Surgery registered list, and the Walk-in Centre at the Fleet Health Campus in Northfleet, will be provided until 1 January 2020, when we expect the new UTC to open.

Running alongside this review, Fleet Healthcare are developing their own plans for neighbouring GP practices to work more closely together at the Fleet health Campus from July 2019.

If you are still dissatisfied following the internal review, you have the right under Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to appeal against the decision by contacting the Information Commissioner. The Information Commissioner provides full and detailed guidance on the Freedom of Information Act, and on when and how to complain.

Please find below the link to their website page and their helpline number. https://ico.org.uk/for-the-public/official-information/ Helpline number: 0303 123 1113

In line with the Information Commissioner’s directive on the disclosure of information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 your request will form part of our disclosure log. An anonymised version of our response will therefore be posted on our website.
Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.