

Ref: 016FOI21.22 – Blood Glucose Monitors

I am contacting yourselves to request the following information regarding details of blood glucose monitors within Kirklees CCG:

A weblink to your current blood glucose testing formulary.

The Medicines Management section of the newly merged Kirklees CCG is still under development. (Greater Huddersfield CCG and North Kirklees CCG merged to produce Kirklees CCG in April 2021). Please find attached the most recent document.

The name(s), contact email address(es) and telephone numbers of the person(s) in your Medicines Management team responsible for the blood glucose meters formulary within the CCG

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The date of the next review of your formulary in respect of blood glucose meters.

The CCG does not hold a date for the next review. The guidance we have in relation to blood glucose monitoring will be updated and the impact of recent improvements will affect this. However, the updating of some documents is currently delayed due to urgent health priorities related to COVID-19.

How do you intend to review your formulary (detail to include process, time lines)?

The CCGs do not hold this information. Please refer to the answer given to the previous question.

Is your CCG part of a local partnership arrangement for formulary review?

Kirklees CCG works collaboratively with other local (geographically) CCGs and at ICS level (West Yorkshire and Harrogate Health and Care Partnership) in exchanging information and ideas; however, there is not currently a single designated diabetes formulary involving Kirklees CCG with other local CCGs, or across the whole of the ICS.

If so, please provide the names of other CCG's included in the arrangement and the contact name, email address and telephone number for the person with responsibility for blood glucose meters.

Not applicable. Information that is reasonably accessible by other means is exempt under section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act. This link takes you to more details about the partnership: <https://www.wyhppartnership.co.uk/about>. There is no one person specified as having overall responsibility for blood glucose meters, though for Kirklees CCG please refer to the response given to your second