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How many Practices within your CCG have not joined PCNs and NOT signed patients' data-sharing agreements for full patients' clinical records with the PCNs?

If there are any such Practices within your CCG who have not signed up to PCNs and/or data-sharing, then what is the CCG strategy for providing the PCN services to the patients of such Practices? Does this include negotiating with these particular Practices for them to provide such services?

Presumably, if non-PCN Practices have signed up to data-sharing with the PCNs, then relevant PCN services may then be provided on behalf of relevant patients directly. What is your approach should such data-sharing agreements for non-PCN Practices have NOT, as yet, been signed? Does the PCN, for example, request such Practices to identify relevant patients to put forward together with their specific clinical records; or perhaps, rely on the Summary Care Records on the 'NHS-Spine' or both...?

I would be grateful, please, for a listing of any relevant Practices in these groups.

Response

All practices within NHS Kirklees CCG are part of a PCN.