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Re: Freedom of Information Request

Please find below the response to your recent Freedom of Information request regarding extended access to GP appointments within NHS Southport and Formby CCG.

Request/[Response](#):

1. Does NHS South Sefton CCG offer patients seven-day, 8-8 access to routine GP appointments?
[No](#)
2. If no, please specify extended-hours opening times for routine GP appointments?
[Extended hours opening times differ between practices as this is based on population need, and access to a clinician](#)
3. How many patients can access this scheme?
[This information is held at practice level](#)
4. What is the annual cost of the scheme to the CCG?
[Unknown for 16/17 as achievement against the scheme is not yet known](#)
5. How much of this funding is spent on GP locums?
[This information would be held at practice level](#)
6. What (%) take up is there of evening/Saturday/Sunday appointments respectively?
[Unknown for 16/17 as achievement against the scheme is not yet known, however we do not have any practices offering extended hours on a Sunday](#)

[NB: For questions 2 - 6 with regards to direct enhanced services you will need to redirect your questions to NHS England](#)

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