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Re: Freedom of Information Request

Please find below the response to your recent Freedom of Information request regarding Purchase of healthcare from non-NHS bodies services within NHS Southport and Formby CCG.

Request/Response:

1. Please can you confirm that 'Purchase of healthcare from non-NHS bodies' includes any healthcare purchased from ISTCs (independent sector treatment centres), private providers (e.g. Bupa, Virgin Care), social enterprises, GP provider companies, as well as other company structures?
2. Please can you provide a breakdown of the contracts, including the sum of money spent on each contract, that make up the 'Purchase of healthcare from non-NHS bodies' category in the annual accounts **for each CCG that you deal** with for the financial year 2017-18? In the breakdown, please provide the organisation name and type of service provided for each contract.

[For questions 1 & 2 – Please see attached appendix 1.](#)