

**Freedom of Information Request – Reference: FOI-726**

**Subject: PUPoC and CHC assessments/funding**

	<p>Our request relates to PUPoC claims and assessments for NHS funded continuing healthcare (CHC). Therefore, registered with the former Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCGs) and now Integrated Care Boards/Partnership.</p> <p>Our request therefore relates to fast-track assessments, standard CHC assessments and claims involving previously un-assessed periods of care (“PUPoC”).</p> <p>In respect of the claims, please provide us with the following information on an annual basis from 2018/19:</p>	<b>Response from ICB</b>	
1	How many people in receipt of Fast Track CHC assessments have been reassessed and how many have been found not eligible for CHC	No. of reviews 18/19 – 89 19/20 – 21 20/21 – 69 21/22 – 53 22/23 – 167	No. not eligible 18/19 – 10 19/20 – <5 20/21 – 14 21/22 – 17 22/23 – 21
2	How many people in receipt of standard NHS CHC have been reassessed and how many have been found no longer eligible for CHC funding	No. of reviews 18/19 – 263 19/20 – 98 20/21 – 149 21/22 – 205 22/23 – 152	No. not eligible 18/19 – 13 19/20 – 7 20/21 – 9 21/22 – 14 22/23 – 11

3	How many requested have been received for PUPoC assessments	18/19 - <5 19/20 - 8 20/21 - 11 21/22 - 7 22/23 - 6
4	How many PUPoC cases have been completed by or on behalf of the ICB or former CCG	18/19 - <5 19/20 - 5 20/21 - <5 21/22 - 5 22/23 - 5
5	How many PUPoC cases are still open.	18/19 - <5 19/20 - <5 20/21 - 7 21/22 - <5 22/23 - <5
6	How many of the cases referred to in 3 above have been successful, (i.e. redress paid)	18/19 - <5 19/20 - <5 20/21 - <5 21/22 - <5 22/23 - 5
7	How many PUPoC cases are waiting for redress (eligibility awarded and redress to be made)	18/19 - 0 19/20 - 0 20/21 - 0 21/22 - <5 22/23 - <5
8	Please provide the total amount paid in redress to claimants – this includes (1) payments made for PUPoC and (2) payments made in redress due to a current assessment deemed to be unsound following appeal. Please provide this amount annually. Please note 1) PUPoC payments 2) Payments made following successful appeal against original CHC non eligible decision	18/19 1) £1,807 2) £129,099 19/20 1) £0 2) £0 20/21 1) £32,237 2) £174,954 21/22 1) £5,720 2) £131,657 22/23 1) £11,942 2) £153,634

**These figures have been extracted from the Continuing Healthcare database, however in 2022 there was a merge of data from three databases to one. This data has been provided with the best of our resources.**

**The above information is correct at: 18 August 2023**