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Freedom of Information Act 2000

I am writing in response to your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 in relation to Ophthalmology services.

You asked:

- 1. Please confirm the organisations commissioned by the CCG provide Ophthalmology services to your patients?*
- 2. Please can you confirm if your ophthalmology services are contracted on a PbR, Block or other tariff and when this contract is due to end?*
- 3. Please confirm the 2020/21 annualised activity levels of contract values at: 1.) CCG Level, 2.) Provider Level.*
- 4. Please confirm the end dates of your current commissioned ophthalmology providers?*
- 5. Please confirm who (if any) providers are providing ophthalmology services to patients without a contract where a patient has exercised their right to choose a provider?*
- 6. Please advise what services have been commissioned to Opticians?*
- 7. Do you commission services to inject Avastin?*
- 8. Which drugs do you currently authorise for AMD treatments?*
- 9. Who are your contracted AMD providers within the CCG?*
- 10. Is Nurse Led Intravitreal Injections part of the plan for NHS Shortfall for your CCG Commissioning plans/intentions?*
- 11. How many of your existing contract providers contract arrangements are now in their extension period?*

Trust response:

The questions are directed at a commissioner and not a provider.

Maidstone and Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust as a provider is unable to answer them.