

**Reference:** FOI.ICB-2223/245

**Subject:** Closed GP Surgeries

*I can confirm that the ICB **does hold the information requested**; please see responses below:*

QUESTION	RESPONSE																														
<p>a) How many GP surgeries in your ICS footprint closed (including mergers with other practices) in each year from 2018-2022 (inclusive);</p> <p>b) How many patients were registered at the surgeries when they closed?</p> <p>For the years before the ICS was created, I would be grateful if you could add together the numbers that closed/patients affected in each of the CCGs that combined to create the ICS.</p>	<p>Practice closures and mergers have been represented separately, as combining them would be misleading: Closures result in a dispersal process where patients will need to be registered with a different GP Practice. A merger is an organisational administrative change where patients will be retained and their registrations will be linked to the single retained organisational code.</p> <p>The information relates to all practices within the ICS footprint for the years requested.</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="1099 1013 2024 1173"> <thead> <tr> <th>Calendar year</th> <th>2018</th> <th>2019</th> <th>2020</th> <th>2021</th> <th>2022</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Number of Closures (Dispersal)</td> <td>0</td> <td>2</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>1</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Registered patients</td> <td>0</td> <td>8,195</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td>1,850</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <table border="1" data-bbox="1099 1209 2069 1324"> <thead> <tr> <th>Calendar year</th> <th>2018</th> <th>2019</th> <th>2020</th> <th>2021</th> <th>2022</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Number of Mergers (Pts unaffected)</td> <td>1</td> <td>1</td> <td>2</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Calendar year	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Number of Closures (Dispersal)	0	2	0	0	1	Registered patients	0	8,195	0	0	1,850	Calendar year	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	Number of Mergers (Pts unaffected)	1	1	2	0	0
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	Registered patients (Retained ODS Code)	26,232	8,710	18,353	0	0
	Registered patients (Retired ODS Code)	7,556	4,864	17,651	0	0

***The information provided in this response is accurate as of 16 May 2023 and has been approved for release by David Jarrett,  
Director of Integrated and Primary Care for NHS Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire ICB.***