

**Reference:** FOI.ICB-2324/170

**Subject:** Bariatric Surgery and Tier 3 Services

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

QUESTION	RESPONSE
1. Do you fund bariatric surgery for people living in your ICS?	Yes
2. Please list all the current criteria that are used within your ICS for funding decisions regarding bariatric surgery -For example, but not limited to, BMI cut-offs, type 2 diabetes status, time in Tier 3 weight management service, requirement for preoperative weight loss, comorbidities etc.	Published online at: <a href="https://bnssg.icb.nhs.uk/directory/weight-management-service-tier-3-and-tier-4-service/">https://bnssg.icb.nhs.uk/directory/weight-management-service-tier-3-and-tier-4-service/</a>
3. Is there a commissioned/designated bariatric surgery service located within you ICS catchment? If not, where are people requiring bariatric surgery within your ICS typically referred?	Yes
4. Do you commission a Tier 3 specialist weight management service? Is it located within your ICS catchment? If not, where are people within your ICS requiring Tier 3 weight management services typically referred?	Yes

***The information provided in this response is accurate as of 3 August 2023 and has been approved for release by Sarah Truelove, Deputy Chief Executive and Chief Finance Officer for NHS Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire ICB.***