

**Reference:** FOI.ICB-2324/356

**Subject:** Community Services

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

QUESTION	RESPONSE
<p><b>1. Musculoskeletal/Physiotherapy:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Is this service provided through a framework or contract? Could you provide the name of the supplier(s)?</li> <li>ii. What is the actual spend on this contract/framework (and any sub-lots) from the start of the contract to the current date?</li> <li>iii. What is the start date and duration of the framework/contract?</li> <li>iv. Is there an extension clause in the framework(s)/contract(s) and, if so, what is the duration of the extension?</li> <li>v. Has a decision been made on whether the framework(s)/contract(s) are being extended or renewed?</li> <li>vi. Who is the senior officer (outside of procurement) responsible for this contract?</li> <li>vii. What is the name/title of the person they report to?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. The community MSK / physio service forms part of the Adult Community Services Contract for BNSSG, which is delivered by Sirona care &amp; health CIC</li> <li>ii. Please note the finance figures are for the Sirona Adult's Community block contract which these services sit under</li> <li>iii. The contract commenced on 1 April 2020</li> <li>iv. There is no option to extend the contractual arrangements</li> <li>v. N/A</li> <li>vi. Head of Contracts and Procurement: Communities &amp; Children. The Senior Responsible Officer (SRO) for all contracts in the ICB is the Deputy Chief Executive/Chief Finance Officer – Sarah Truelove</li> <li>vii. The Deputy CEO and CFO reports to the Chief Executive, Shane Devlin.</li> </ul>

<p><b>2. Pain (Community Services):</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Is this service provided through a framework or contract? Could you provide the name of the supplier(s)?</li> <li>ii. What is the actual spend on this contract/framework (and any sub-lots) from the start of the contract to the current date?</li> <li>iii. What is the start date and duration of the framework/contract?</li> <li>iv. Is there an extension clause in the framework(s)/contract(s) and, if so, what is the duration of the extension?</li> <li>v. Has a decision been made on whether the framework(s)/contract(s) are being extended or renewed?</li> <li>vi. Who is the senior officer (outside of procurement) responsible for this contract?</li> <li>vii. What is the name/title of the person they report to?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Pain services are provided by North Bristol NHS Trust (NBT) and University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust (UHBW) under the main contract with each of these acute trusts.</li> <li>ii. There is not a separate contract governing this service.</li> <li>iii. The main contracts run from 1 April to 31 March in line with the NHS England Standard Contract</li> <li>iv. No</li> <li>v. A new contract with each acute trust will be negotiated and agreed to run from 1 April 2024</li> <li>vi. The SRO for all contracts in the ICB is the Deputy CEO/CFO – Sarah Truelove. A member of the Acute &amp; Mental Health contracts team manages the contract.</li> <li>vii. The Deputy CEO and CFO reports to the Chief Executive, Shane Devlin.</li> </ul>
<p><b>3. Mental Health Counselling (Adult/Talking Therapies/IAPT Counselling):</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Is this service provided through a framework or contract? Could you provide the name of the supplier(s)?</li> <li>ii. What is the actual spend on this contract/framework (and any sub-lots) from the start of the contract to the current date?</li> <li>iii. What is the start date and duration of the framework/contract?</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. NHS Talking Therapies is provided in BNSSG through a contract. The provider is Vita Health Group.</li> <li>ii. The total contract value of the 10 year contract is £82.4million</li> <li>iii. Start Date: September 2019 Duration: 10 years</li> <li>iv. 7 years extension clause within the original 10 year contract</li> <li>v. No decision has been made at this stage</li> <li>vi. The SRO for all contracts in the ICB is the Deputy CEO/CFO – Sarah Truelove.</li> </ul>

<p>iv. Is there an extension clause in the framework(s)/contract(s) and, if so, what is the duration of the extension?</p> <p>v. Has a decision been made on whether the framework(s)/contract(s) are being extended or renewed?</p> <p>vi. Who is the senior officer (outside of procurement) responsible for this contract?</p> <p>vii. What is the name/title of the person they report to?</p>	<p>vii. A member of the Acute &amp; Mental Health contracts team manages the contract.</p> <p>The Deputy CEO and CFO reports to the Chief Executive Shane Devlin.</p>
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***The information provided in this response is accurate as of 18 January 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.***