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Dear

Request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

Thank you for your request for information received on 19th December 2014, relating to GP winter funding.

I am pleased to confirm that Gloucestershire CCG does hold the following information:

1. How much funding the CCG has been allocated by NHS England for combating winter pressures?

Gloucestershire CCG received Operational Resilience Funds of £3,610k in 2014/15 (this excludes national allocations for NHS111, Mental Health and A&E targeted funding)

2. How much has been allocated to support GP practices or GP services?

£781k

3. What the money allocated to GPs will it be spent on?

£691k will be allocated to GP's to provide additional sessions on both weekends and weekdays with £90k being allocated to local pharmacies in support of repeat medication/minor ailment schemes

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Yours sincerely



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