

Reference: FOI 23296 GLO 11M

Subject: Paediatric Audiology

QUESTION	RESPONSE
<p>1. Please state the name, job title and contact details of the person completing this form.</p>	
<p>Name:</p>	<p>Helen Ford</p>
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2. Please list the locations where secondary tier paediatric audiology services, commissioned by your CCG, are carried out (services which carry out hearing assessments but do not carry out any treatment or re/habilitation services. Children found to have a hearing loss would be referred to the ENT clinic or tertiary paediatric audiology service for hearing aid fitting).

Please use full names, with no abbreviations and add further rows or continue on a further sheet of paper if necessary.

Name of NHS Trust or Provider	Hospital or Clinic or site name	Address	Postcode
Gloucestershire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	Gloucester	Great Western Road, Gloucester	GL1 3NN
Gloucestershire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	Cheltenham	Sandford Road, Cheltenham, Gloucestershire	GL53 7AN

<p>3. Please list the locations where tertiary paediatric audiology services, commissioned by your CCG, are carried out (services which carry out both hearing assessments and re/habilitation services, including hearing aid fitting).</p> <p>Please use full names, with no abbreviations and add further rows or continue on a further sheet of paper if necessary.</p>	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Name of NHS Trust or Provider</th> <th>Hospital or Clinic or site name</th> <th>Address</th> <th>Postcode</th> <th>Are hearing assessments carried out at this site? Y/N</th> <th>Is hearing aid fitting carried out at this site? Y/N</th> <th>Does this site provide tinnitus and balance services? Y/N</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Gloucestershire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust</td> <td>Gloucester</td> <td>Great Western Road, Gloucester</td> <td>GL1 3NN</td> <td>Y</td> <td>Y</td> <td>Y</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Name of NHS Trust or Provider	Hospital or Clinic or site name	Address	Postcode	Are hearing assessments carried out at this site? Y/N	Is hearing aid fitting carried out at this site? Y/N	Does this site provide tinnitus and balance services? Y/N	Gloucestershire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust	Gloucester	Great Western Road, Gloucester	GL1 3NN	Y	Y	Y
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<p>4. Is there anything else you'd like to tell us about the sites where paediatric audiology services are commissioned or details of the commissioning arrangements?</p> <p>No</p>															
<p>5. Do you use the Commissioning Services for People with Hearing Loss: A framework for clinical commissioning groups? when commissioning services</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>Yes</td> <td>No x</td> <td>Not sure</td> <td>Not aware of it</td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No x	Not sure	Not aware of it											
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<p>for deaf children in your area?</p> <p>Please put a cross next to the most relevant option.</p>						
<p>6. Do you use the model service specification for children's audiology services that forms part of the Commissioning Services for People with Hearing Loss: A framework for clinical commissioning groups? (section 8.5)?</p> <p>Please put a cross next to the most relevant option.</p>	<table border="1" data-bbox="701 592 1973 647"> <tr> <td data-bbox="701 592 1126 647">Yes</td> <td data-bbox="1126 592 1552 647">No x</td> <td data-bbox="1552 592 1973 647">Not sure</td> </tr> </table>			Yes	No x	Not sure
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<p>7. When commissioning paediatric audiology services (via a contract or service specification etc.) do you require them to:</p> <p>(Please put a cross next to the most relevant option)</p>	<table border="1" data-bbox="701 895 1973 1161"> <tr> <td data-bbox="701 895 1126 1161">Have gained IQIPS (Improving Quality in Physiological Services) accreditation for paediatric audiology</td> <td data-bbox="1126 895 1552 1161">Be working towards IQIPS accreditation for paediatric audiology</td> <td data-bbox="1552 895 1973 1161">Neither of these options x</td> </tr> </table>			Have gained IQIPS (Improving Quality in Physiological Services) accreditation for paediatric audiology	Be working towards IQIPS accreditation for paediatric audiology	Neither of these options x
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8. Is there anything else you'd like to tell us about the paediatric audiology services that you commission?	No
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The information provided in this response is accurate as of 29 November 2017, and has been authorised for release by Kim Forey, Director of Integration for NHS Gloucestershire CCG.