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Dear Sirs

### **Your Request for Information**

I am writing in response to your recent request that we received on 24 August 2020 in which you requested the following information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

### **Information Requested**

1. Which companies/suppliers do you use to support the assessment of Personal Health Budgets?  
[The assessment for a personal health budget is carried out by the CCG's clinical staff.](#)
2. Which companies/suppliers do you use to support the management of Personal Health Budgets?  
[The CCG commission our Local Authority partners, North Yorkshire County Council, to provide a Direct Payment Support Service who set up other forms of PHB Direct Payment support \(e.g. managed accounts and Payroll\) on our behalf.](#)
3. Which companies/ suppliers do you use to support the payment of Personal Health Budgets?  
[Personal Health Budgets are paid to the budget holder by the CCG.](#)

### **Response**

[I can confirm NHS Vale of York Clinical Commissioning Group holds the information you have requested as per the above.](#)

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If you have any concerns about the way your request has been handled; the operation of the Publication Schemes, the response received, or the 'exemption' decision, you should, in the first instance, contact me to try to resolve them. If you are not happy with the outcome, you can write to our Accountable Officer at the address above, within 40 days from the date of our response, to make a request for an internal review.

If you are not satisfied with the outcome of the internal review, you can then write to the Information Commissioner:

FOI/EIR Complaints Resolution  
Information Commissioner's Office  
Wycliffe House  
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Helpline telephone: 01625 545 745

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you need any further assistance. You can find out more information about our Clinical Commissioning Group by visiting our website [www.valeofyorkccg.nhs.uk](http://www.valeofyorkccg.nhs.uk)

Yours sincerely

**Freedom of Information Team**  
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