

Freedom of Information request 354-20

Request

I would like to request the following information under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002.

1. Whether the flu vaccination programme in 2020/21 will be carried out by GPs or by the local health and social care partnerships.
2. The number of people who were eligible for a free flu vaccine in 2019/20 and the number who will be eligible in 2020/21.
3. The number of invite letters that have been sent out for the 2020/21 vaccination programme.
4. The dates on which the flu vaccination programme is to take place and the planned location for where vaccinations will be carried out.
5. The number of flu vaccines ordered for the vaccination programme in 2019/20 and the number that have been ordered (or for which there are plans to order) for the programme in 2020/21.
6. What the costs (or estimated costs) were for the flu vaccination programme in 2019/20 and will be in 2020/21.
7. A copy of all official correspondence sent to GPs regarding the flu vaccination programme.

Response

1-6 Please find the data requested for questions 1-6 within an excel spreadsheet as requested:



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Data.xlsx

- 7 Please find attached copies of official correspondence held by NHS Borders that was sent to GPs regarding the flu vaccination programme:



NHS Act Flu Vacc
Directions 2020.pdf



RCGP Mass
Vaccination.pdf



SG BMA Flu
Programme 2020-21.

If you are not satisfied with the way your request has been handled or the decision given, you may ask NHS Borders to review its actions and the decision. If you would like to request a review please apply in writing to, Freedom of Information Review, NHS Borders, Room 2EC3, Education Centre, Borders General Hospital, Melrose, TD6 9BS or foi.enquiries@borders.scot.nhs.uk.

The request for a review should include your name and address for correspondence, the request for information to which the request relates and the issue which you wish to be reviewed. Please state the

reference number **354-20** on this request. Your request should be made within 40 working days from receipt of this letter.

If following this review, you remain dissatisfied with the outcome, you may appeal to the Scottish Information Commissioner and request an investigation of your complaint. Your request to the Scottish Information Commissioner should be in writing (or other permanent form), stating your name and an address for correspondence. You should provide the details of the request and your reasons for dissatisfaction with both the original response by NHS Borders and your reasons for dissatisfaction with the outcome of the internal review. Your application for an investigation by the Scottish Information Commissioner must be made within six months of your receipt of the response with which you are dissatisfied. The address for the Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner is, Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner, Kinburn Castle, Doubledykes Road, St Andrews, Fife.