

Request 1:

Please provide the number of sites commissioned by your local authority, or a provider sub-contracted by your local authority, to deliver contraceptive services for each of the last 10 financial years (2013/14 - 2022/23). **If figures for 2022/23 are not yet available, please provide plans for this financial year.*

If your organisation has taken a decision to reduce the number of sites, please provide the reason why this decision was taken.

The commissioned services cover:

- Specialised sexual health services commissioned to deliver contraceptive services in the Borough as part of their offer
- Primary Care clinics delivering contraception
- GPs commissioned to deliver Long Acting Reversible Contraception as part of a Local Enhanced Scheme contract

Please note the following caveats:

- We are unable to provide information on specialist service sites prior to 2016 as we do not have this information.
- The figures are provided based on information we hold via a range of different records across different commissions, which sometimes are records of actual delivery. They should therefore be considered a snapshot of delivery at that point the source is available. Service delivery from a site may have stopped at some point within the given calendar year, but we do not record the date(s) service delivery stopped.
- We do not yet have the data available from 2022/23 as the calendar year has not yet completed.

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| 2013/14 | 19 |
| 2014/15 | 30 |
| 2015/16 | 18 |
| 2016/17 | 32 |
| 2017/18 | 35 |
| 2018/19 | 28 |
| 2019/20 | 28 |
| 2020/21 | 23 |
| 2021/22 | 17 |

No decisions have been made to reduce the number of sites, although some sites have been discontinued due to other factors, such as COVID-19.

Request 2:

Please confirm or deny whether the local authority stipulates and/or monitors waiting time requirements in contracts with

(a) general practice and (b) sexual and reproductive health services for appointments for the fitting of IUDs/IUSs.

If confirm, please release corresponding data on (i) average waiting times and (ii) the longest waiting time in the most recent year for which figures are available.

Wigan Council does not generally stipulate waiting time requirements for the fitting of IUDs/IUSs in contracts with either general practice or sexual and reproductive health services. However, we do monitor this 'by exception across a number of relevant services.