

Reference: FOI.ICB-2627/004

Subject: Stoma Care Reviews

I can confirm that the ICB does hold some of the information requested; please see responses below:

QUESTION	RESPONSE
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Does your ICB commission, specify, or support routine annual clinical reviews for people living with a stoma? 2. If yes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Which services or providers typically deliver these reviews (e.g. acute trusts, community services, primary care, or other commissioned providers)? ○ Do you hold any information on the proportion of patients who receive a review within a 12-month period? If so, please provide the most recent available figure or estimate. 3. If no: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Are you aware of any current plans, discussions, or service developments to introduce or standardise routine reviews for stoma patients? 	<p>Our ICB commissions University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust (UHBW) and North Bristol NHS Trust (NBT) to provide stoma care services as part of the wider acute contract. The Stoma Nurses employed within both Trusts provide clinical reviews as part of their service delivery, but the ICB does not hold quantitative data on the number of reviews conducted.</p>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 4. Does your ICB hold any estimate of the number of people living with a stoma within your population? If so, please provide the most recent figure available. 	<p>The ICB does not hold this information.</p>

5. Do you currently collect, review, or have access to information relating to:
- The frequency of stoma care reviews, and/or
 - Outcomes associated with stoma care (for example complications, hospital activity, or patient-reported outcomes)?

- The ICB does not collect or hold information relating to the frequency of stoma care reviews.
- The ICB has access to quantitative stoma-related hospital activity data, but no access to patient outcomes.

The information provided in this response is accurate as of 9 April 2026 and has been approved for release by Dr Joanne Medhurst, Chief Population Health Improvement Officer for NHS Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire ICB.