

**Reference:** FOI.ICB-2627/012

**Subject:** Equality Impact Assessment (EIA) for Supporting Transgender Patients

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

QUESTION	RESPONSE
<p>Has BNSSG ICB undertaken an Equality Impact Assessment (or equivalent equality analysis) in relation to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• access to hormone prescribing and monitoring in primary care</li> <li>• shared care arrangements with private gender identity clinics</li> <li>• the impact of these arrangements on transgender patients</li> </ul> <p>If such an assessment exists, I would be grateful if you could provide a copy.</p> <p>If no such assessment exists, I would appreciate confirmation of this.</p>	<p>The ICB undertakes Equality Impact Assessments (EIA) as part of developing and making decisions on policies, strategies and interventions. However, the ICB has not yet developed the work listed and therefore there is no EIA at present.</p>

***The information provided in this response is accurate as of 23 April 2026 and has been approved for release by Dr Ananthakrishnan Raghuram, Chief Clinical Leadership and Delivery Officer (Medical) for NHS Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire ICB.***