

FOI 2122141- NICE

NHS Calderdale CCG's response to your request can be found below.

1. What steps has your CCG/Trust taken to ensure compliance with the mandatory NICE tag 664 for Saxenda. If none, what plans are in place to address this?

The NICE guidance TA 664 says that liraglutide (Saxenda) is an option for patients who meet the criteria, but it must be prescribed in secondary care within a tier 3 weight management service. NHS Calderdale Clinical Commissioning Group does not currently commission a tier 3 weight management service and this is not available from our local secondary care trust.

The provision of tier 3 weight management services across the West Yorkshire Integrated Care System is being considered at that level.

2. Have patients that are eligible to utilise the NICE approved product Saxenda been able to access this product? If so, please provide the volume, or if not, please provide any current plans to address this.

See answer to question 1 above.