

# STOCKPORT'S PRIVATE HEALTH EXPENDITURE 2017-18

**10.8%**  
OF TOTAL

The expenditure on non-NHS / non-public sector providers was **£37,659,000**. This was **10.8%** of the total expenditure on healthcare services (**£347,197,000**).

It does not include expenditure to councils (**£26,360,000**) and devolved administrations (**£359,000**) Total: £26,719,000, as this analysis is concerned with non-public sector expenditure.

The Annual Report figures for expenditure on Other costs: services from foundation trusts, services from other NHS trusts and purchase of healthcare from non-NHS bodies, have been used to calculate total expenditure on healthcare services (**£347,197,000**).

Stockport CCG would not provide detail of the amount of expenditure for each non-NHS provider, and did not even give a list of non-NHS providers; they just gave a table broken down into Independent/Private, Voluntary/Not-for-Profit, Local Authorities, and Devolved Administrations for Primary and Secondary Healthcare.

2017/18 Total **£37,660,000** £

Private **25,833,000**  
Care homes/home care **9,714,000**  
Voluntary – large/UK **2,113,000**  
Voluntary – local

#### Primary Care

Private **7,125,000**  
Voluntary **82,000**

#### Community Health

Private **1,285,000**  
Voluntary **1,094,000**

#### Continuing Care [care homes]

Private **9,714,000**

#### General and Acute

Private **14,483,000**  
Voluntary **241,000**

#### Mental Health

Private **2,940,000**  
Voluntary **696,000**

Stockport's rationale for not providing detailed financial information was:

**“Unfortunately, we are unable to provide financial values as we believe that this information is commercially sensitive. The rationale for this response is that the CCG should not differentiate between large providers who provide many services under one or several contracts and a small provider who provides a service under one contract where the provision of such information would be commercially sensitive.”**

Previously, at the start of the financial year, they had supplied a table listing providers, service type, service description and contract values for 2017/18, but in many cases actual financial amounts were not given on the basis that they were activity based contracts or AQP contracts, or that it was a framework agreement, or cost per case, so there was no specific contract value. However in some cases specific figures were given.

Also, in line with government requirements, Stockport does publish information about all individual payments per month over £25,000. In 2017/18 the total of such expenditure on healthcare services (£20,301,253) was about 54% of the total expenditure to non-public organisations for healthcare services (£37,659,000).

There is no information as to how much of the other 46% also goes to these same non-public organisations in payments of less than £25,000.

Over the whole year, the following amounts were paid to a range of private and voluntary sector organisations (information about the services in italics is taken from company websites rather than from Stockport CCG). Figures in bold are the same, or close - within £10,000 - as those given in the table of contract values for 2017/18. Figures in [ ] are those given in the table of contract values for 2017/18. Information about the services in italics is taken from company websites rather than from Stockport CCG.

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