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RE: Freedom of Information Request 201718 / 094 – Weight Management

Your Query Date of Request June 2017

- 1. Do you currently have provision for commissioned (incl. co-commissioned) or directly delivered tier 2 weight management services in place:
 - For adults
 - For children
- 2. Do you currently have provision for tier 3 weight management services?
- 3. What were numbers of participants by sex for your tier $\underline{2}$ adult weight management services in 2016/17? (or most recent figures available)?
- 4. What were numbers of participants by sex for your tier <u>3</u> adult weight management services in 2016/17? (or most recent figures available)?
- 5. What were numbers of participants by sex for your tier 2 children weight management services in 2016/17? (or most recent figures available)?
- 6. What were numbers of participants by sex for your tier 2 family weight management services in 2016/17? (or most recent figures available)?
- 7. Do your commissioned or directly delivered tier 2 weight management services for adults include:
 - Mixed-sex services (men & women)
 - Men-only services
 - Women-only services
- 8. What special activities, interventions or service design elements (if any) do you have to encourage men to take up adult weight-loss programmes?
- 9. What special activities, interventions or service design elements (if any) do you have to encourage dads to participate in family weight-loss programmes?

Response

- 1. Yes, for both children and adults.
- 2. Yes, Dietician led weight management one-to-one (people BMI over 30) and also Counterweight



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Plus liquid based diets for people with BMI over 40.

3. Men - 8

Women - 24

4. Men - 29

Women - 57

- 5. The small size of the Orkney population and the small sample size result in the numbers involved being less than five meaning that the data is potentially patient-identifiable. It is therefore exempt under Section 38(1)(b) of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002
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- 7. Our service is mixed-sex.
- 8. Nothing specifically targeting men. However, we do undertake men's health work where we signpost to mixed-sex interventions.
- 9. Current approach is to look at a health and well being approach called "Well Now" that was developed by NHS Highland and does not focus on weight specifically.





