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Dear Requestor

Request made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

On 19 September 2019 you sent a request, made under the Freedom of Information Act, relating to abortion spend. I now provide this information as an attachment.

I trust that this is the information you require and that your request has been fully discharged.

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If you have queries about this response, please do not hesitate to contact me quoting the above reference number.

Yours sincerely

Signature Removed

Paddy Baker
Data Protection Officer
NHS Dorset Clinical Commissioning Group

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Q1:

Please can you tell me the total amount (whether estimated or exact) your Clinical Commissioning Group spent on abortion provision in the calendar year 2018 (01/01/2018-31/12/2018)?

Terms: 'Abortion provision' refers to all abortion procedures, pre abortion counselling and post abortion care.

Response:

Please note that our reporting process operates to the financial year. This is an exact figure.

<u>Provider</u>	<u>£</u>
BPAS	£622,394.50
Marie Stopes	£272,142.00
Dorset Healthcare	£157,327.00
Total 2018-19 Spend	£1,051,863.50