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Request:

This is an information request under the Freedom of Information Act.

I would like the following information about community equipment services:

1. What is the name of your service?

Adaptations and Loan Equipment Service

2. Who is the lead authority for your Service: local Authority, NHS, or joint?

Local Authority

3. What population size does the service cover?

203,307(North Tyneside)

4. Please provide contact details for the lead commissioner of the service?

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5. How is the service currently provided: in-house / tendered out / other? (If other please give details. If tendered out, what date does the current contract/arrangement end?)

In House

6. If in house are there any plans to test the market on the service?

No

7. If yes, when is it envisaged that this will happen: within 12 months, within 2 years, within 3 years, over 3 years, around 5 years, or not sure

N/A

8. Does the Community Equipment Service also include any provision of the following (please indicate):

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- a) Telecare – No
 - b) Community alarms – No
 - c) Telehealth – No
 - d) Wheelchairs – No
 - e) Tissue viability/Pressure Care – Yes
 - f) Specialist seating – Yes
 - g) Minor adaptations – Yes
 - h) Major adaptations – Yes (by the Adaptations service)
 - i) Communication aids – No
 - j) Manual handling – Yes
 - k) Other specialist equipment – Yes
9. Are there any further plans to join/merge other related equipment services such as those mentioned above in your area? – No

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