

Policy statement:	Facial Surgery- Aesthetic (Cosmetic)
Status:	Not Funded

M&SECCGs do not fund aesthetic (cosmetic) facial surgical procedures including (but not limited to) face lifts (rhytidectomy), brow lifts, neck lifts, nose reshaping (rhinoplasty), split earlobe correction, eye bag reduction and upper eye lid surgery.

This service/procedure has been assessed as a **Low Clinical Priority** by M&SECCGS and will not be funded unless there are **exceptional clinical circumstances**.

Individual funding requests should only be made where the patient demonstrates clinical exceptionality.

Further information on applying for funding in exceptional clinical circumstances can be found on the CCGs' website.

