

Waiting Times Summary Report

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Table 1(b): Endoscopy Patients by Weeks Waiting at 31/08/2019

- 1953 NHSCT Endoscopy Patients waiting over 9 weeks
- 47% NHSCT Endoscopy Patients waiting within 9 weeks

Speciality	Weeks Waiting																											Total >9 wks	Longest Waiter	Total Waiters	% <9 wks												
	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35					36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45-52	>52	
GASTROENTEROLOGY Scope	42	64	58	48	65	41	25	15	19	23	9	7	13	18	18	16	13	12	9	14	12	10	15	13	18	8	5	6	8	5	7	5	1				4	1	647	67	1680	61%	
GENERAL SURGERY IS Scope												1		1	1	1	1	1		1	1			9	21	8		3	6	7	10	10	7	6	4	3	11	1	114	65	114	0%	
GENERAL SURGERY Scope	30	35	27	38	33	36	44	34	32	28	22	44	46	48	21	26	38	56	23	32	35	34	22	19	19	13	3	11	12	15	18	19	14	11	5	20	67	45	1075	66	1711	37%	
GS ENDOSCOPY IS Scope																								1	2			2	1	2							4	3	15	65	15	0%	
GS ENDOSCOPY Scope	2	3	2		1				4			1	3			1		3		4	5	3	4	3	1				1	1	4	1	1	1	3	2	16	10	80	67	138	42%	
Inpatient	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45-52	>52					
GASTROENTEROLOGY Scope				1								1							1																					4	39	23	83%
GENERAL SURGERY Scope		1		1	1							1	1		1	1										1	1							1	2			1	2	17	63	34	50%
GS ENDOSCOPY Scope																																							1	1	65	1	0%
Total Scopes	74	103	87	88	100	77	69	49	55	51	31	55	63	67	41	45	52	73	33	51	53	47	41	45	62	30	8	22	28	31	40	35	24	20	12	25	103	63	1953				

(Source: Information Services – Acute, PTLIPDC – run date 12/09/2019)

Table 1(c): Visiting Consultant IP/DC Patients by Weeks Waiting at 31/08/2019

- 53% NHSCT patients waiting within 13 weeks

Speciality	Weeks Waiting																	Total >13 wks	Longest Waiter	Total Waiters	% <13 wks						
	13	14	15	16	17	18	21	22	23	24	26	27	28	29	33	36	37					38	42	43	44	45-52	>52
OPHTHALMOLOGY RASC (C)	1	1	1	1	1								1	1		1		1		1		20	64	94	140	106	11%
UROLOGY WHSCT (C)	1	1	1			1	2	4	2	3	1	1			2		1		1	1	1	16	6	45	90	112	60%
Inpatient	13	14	15	16	17	18	21	22	23	24	26	27	28	29	33	36	37	38	42	43	44	45-52	>52				
OPHTHALMOLOGY RASC (C)			1																					1	15	1	0%
Total VC's	2	2	3	1	1	1	2	4	2	3	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	36	70	140			

(Source: Information Services – Acute, PTLIPDC – run date 12/09/2019)

Table 2(b): Visiting Consultant OP Patients by Weeks Waiting at 31/08/2019

- 21% NHSCT Patients waiting within 9 weeks

Speciality	Weeks Waiting																														Total > 9 wks	Longest Waiter	Total Waiters	% < 9 wks										
	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38					39	40	41	42	43	44	45-52	>52		
DENTAL SURGERY (C)	3	2	8	7	3	6	3	1	6	1	4	4	7	3	4	6	2	10	7	1	17	5	4	3	3	1	3	2	13	5	7	10	9	9	3	11	74	556	823	250	860	4%		
NEUROLOGY (C)		3		3	4	1	4	1	4	2	4	5	4	2		4	1	1	2	2	2		2	2	1	2			2		1	5	1	1		11	387	464	237	476	3%			
NEUROLOGY VISITING (C)		1	1		1	1	1	1	2			1																												9	20	14	36%	
OPHTHALMOLOGY (C)	12	17	23	16	21	22	10	15	11	12	19	14	15	17	15	23	26	30	20	29	13	26	19	16	21	8	7	23	15	12	23	22	17	15	13	16	45		678	48	875	23%		
TRAUMA & ORTHOPAEDICS (C)	1					1																																			2	14	231	99%
Total VC's	16	23	32	26	29	31	18	18	23	15	27	24	26	22	19	33	29	41	29	32	32	31	25	21	25	11	10	25	28	19	30	33	31	25	17	27	130	943	1976					

(Source: Information Services – Acute OP Breach – run date 10/09/2019)

Northern Trust Outpatients Average Completed Waits – Routine

The outpatient waiting time information relates to average waiting times for patients seen in August 2019 for their first outpatient attendance. It is calculated as an average of the difference between:

1. The scheduled appointment date and the effective current date i.e. excluding DNA's and cancellations
2. Urgent Patients are excluded

Table 3(a):

Specialty	Apr-19	May-19	Jun-19	Jul-19	Aug-19	Sep-19	Oct-19	Nov-19	Dec-19	Jan-20	Feb-20	Mar-20
Breast Surgery	12	12	13	12	11							
Cardiology	10	13	14	12	13							
Colposcopy	8	8	12	13	15							
Dermatology	7	13	41	2	1							
ENT	55	32	39	32	31							
Gastroenterology	87	83	82	80	88							
General Surgery	33	28	35	29	32							
Gynae inc Hysteroscopy	17	20	19	22	16							
Haematology	30	28	41	37	30							
General Medicine	5	9	9	6	7							
Nephrology	7	6	9	8	10							
Neurology	78	90	100	107	144							
Paediatric Medicine	16	15	15	17	17							
Pain Management	49	78	73	79	77							
Rheumatology	34	50	39	40	17							
Thoracic	66	66	68	79	47							

Note: General Medicine includes Chemical Pathology, Diabetics & Endocrinology
 Activity Recorded in Weeks & Numbers Rounded and includes Cancers & Waiting List Initiative
 ICATS excluded
 As at 18/09/2019

Northern Trust Outpatients Average Completed Waits – Urgent

The outpatient waiting time information relates to average waiting times for patients seen in August 2019 for their first outpatient attendance. It is calculated as an average of the difference between:

1. the scheduled appointment date and the effective current date i.e. excluding DNAs and cancellations
2. Showing Urgent Patients

Table 3 (b):

Specialty	Apr-19	May-19	Jun-19	Jul-19	Aug-19	Sep-19	Oct-19	Nov-19	Dec-19	Jan-20	Feb-20	Mar-20
Breast Surgery	2	2	2	3	2							
Cardiology	7	7	5	5	4							
Colposcopy	2	3	2	3	2							
Dermatology	6	5	6	7	7							
ENT	15	15	15	14	14							
Gastroenterology	12	6	11	11	12							
General Surgery	10	10	9	9	9							
Gynae inc Hysteroscopy	6	7	6	7	7							
Haematology	4	4	3	4	5							
General Medicine	5	4	8	6	7							
Nephrology	6	6	6	6	5							
Neurology	25	21	47	22	25							
Paediatric Medicine	4	5	7	5	6							
Pain Management	14	26	23	23	10							
Rheumatology	17	24	17	18	17							
Thoracic	7	6	10	7	7							

Note: General Medicine includes Chemical Pathology, Diabetics & Endocrinology
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Diagnostics – As at 31/08/2019 – 35% of patients were waiting < 9 weeks for a diagnostic test with 13243 patients waiting over 26 weeks.

TABLE 4: Waiting List Position as of 31/08/2019

	0-3 Weeks (0 - 21 days)	>3 to 6 weeks (22 - 42 days)	>6 to 9 weeks (43 - 63 days)	>9 to 13 weeks (64 - 91 days)	>13 to 21 weeks (92 - 147 days)	>21 to 26 weeks (148 - 182 days)	> 26 to 36 weeks (183 - 252 days)	>36 to 52 weeks (253 - 364 days)	>52 to 65 weeks (365 - 455 days)	>65 to 78 weeks (456 - 546 days)	> 78 weeks (547 days +)	Total waiters
Cardiology	669	495	377	367	761	342	678	1,202	223	217	0	5,331
Respiratory Physiology	258	274	52	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	595
Urodynamics	8	10	13	6	17	3	0	0	0	0	0	57
Audiology	226	195	122	108	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	674
Total Physiology	1,161	974	564	492	801	345	678	1,202	223	217	0	6,657
Total Imaging	4679	2812	1318	1672	2873	1787	3109	567	6906	330	11	26064
Total Diagnostics	5840	3786	1882	2164	3674	2132	3787	1769	7129	547	11	32721

(Source: Acute Hospital Information Services; Priority 2 – Diagnostic Test WL Monthly)