

NORTHERN HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE TRUST

Waiting Times Summary Report

December 2016

Table 1(b): Endoscopy Patients by Weeks Waiting at 31/12/2016

- 690 NHSCT Endoscopy Patients waiting over 9 weeks
- 68% NHSCT Endoscopy Patients waiting within 9 weeks

DAYCASES	WEEKS																																Total > 9 wks
	>9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	26	27	28	29	31	32												
GASTROENTEROLOGY (C)	1					1																											2
GASTROENTEROLOGY IS Scope			1		1						1	1				1																	5
GASTROENTEROLOGY Scope	40	57	55	88	49	37	5	4	1				1																				337
GENERAL SURGERY IS Scope					1												1																2
GENERAL SURGERY Scope	28	39	46	40	41	36	17	10	9	3	1		5	6	4	3			1	1									1			291	
GS ENDOSCOPY Scope	3		4	13	8	5	2										2												1			38	
GS ENDOSCOPY-IS IS Scope										1	5						1	1														8	
GS ENDOSCOPY-IS Scope		1																														1	
INPATIENTS	>9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	26	27	28	29	31	32						Total > 9 wks						
GASTROENTEROLOGY Scope	1					2																										3	
GENERAL SURGERY Scope	2					1																										3	
Total IP/DC	75	97	106	141	100	82	24	14	10	4	7	1	6	6	7	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	690		

(Source: Information Services – Acute, PTLIPDC – run date 11/01/2017)

Table 1(c): Visiting Consultant IP/DC Patients by Weeks Waiting at 31/12/2016

DAYCASES	WEEKS																		Total > 13 wks			
	>13	14	15	16	17	19	20	21	22	24	25	27	28	29	32	33	39	40		41	42	48
OPHTHALMOLOGY (C)	1	2	3	5	5	1	6	6	3	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	3	2	2	1	1	50
UROLOGY BHSCT (C)		1			3		3		1													8
INPATIENTS	>13	14	15	16	17	19	20	21	22	24	25	27	28	29	32	33	39	40	41	42	48	Total > 13 wks
OPHTHALMOLOGY (C)												1										1
Total IP/DC	1	3	3	5	8	1	9	6	4	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	3	2	2	1	1	59

(Source: Information Services – Acute, PTLIPDC – run date 11/01/2017)

NHSCT Outpatient Waiters –

As at 31st December 2016 there were;

- 19894 NHSCT patients waiting over 9 weeks Outpatients (inc. IS Transfers)
- 2575 NHSCT patients waiting over 52 weeks (inc. IS Transfers)
- 31 % NHSCT patients were seen within 9 weeks

Table 3(a): OP Patients by Weeks Waiting at 31/12/16

Specialty Description	WEEKS																																Total > 9 wks	Longest Waiter	Total Waits	Total Waits > 9 wks March 16										
	> 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				
CARDIOLOGY (C)	22	20	26	1			1																																70	16	478	178				
CARE OF OLDER PERSONS (C)	1	4	1	1	1	6	1							1	1					1																			18	28	165	29				
CHEMICAL PATHOLOGY (C)	2	1																																					3	10	17	4				
DERMATOLOGY (C)	69	66	57	57	51	62	57	62	34	45	49	55	41	42	46	18	43	23	39	42	38	28	28	36	38	17	29	26	22	29	20	30	26	34	31	1	1		1392	45	2162	257				
DIABETIC (C)	1	2	4	3	3		2																																1	16	66	108	3			
EAR, NOSE & THROAT - IS (C)																																							1	1	64	1	93			
EAR, NOSE & THROAT (C)	161	142	114	154	143	125	130	161	98	119	105	104	127	96	90	72	104	119	111	112	108	114	120	112	92	91	90	128	113	90	55	120	102	109	93	113	724	775	5536	68	6974	3674				
ENDOCRINOLOGY (C)	20	18	13	26	13	10	12	12	6	17	6	17	17	14	5	4	13	19	15	18	10	8	8	12	16	5	11	13	11	6	5	8	9	9	4	3	26	1	440	55	575	346				
ENDOCRINOLOGY (WLIO)																																							1		1	48	1			
GASTROENTEROLOGY (C)	68	55	63	58	40	59	40	58	38	40	57	61	43	68	48	34	59	56	57	43	53	29	49	53	53	45	49	54	45	64	24	44	19	27	29	36	189	878	2785	86	3384	1742				
GENERAL MEDICINE (C)	6	5	2	6	1	1						1																												22	19	115	36			
GENERAL SURGERY (C)	119	98	93	89	96	83	81	66	64	82	62	60	46	51	54	45	47	63	69	58	34	38	57	48	50	48	61	65	54	45	16	32	33	38	32	33	212	407	2729	77	4078	1641				
GENERAL SURGERY BREAST (C)	2	1	1																																							62	45	290	5	
GYNAECOLOGY (C)	101	103	83	104	98	99	91	102	61	91	92	67	61	88	67	34	47	21	21	20	15	9	12	22	13	14	23	17	18	16	7	13	3	2		3	24	3	1665	54	2662	1679				
HAEMATOLOGY (C)	7	6	2	5	1	4	4	4	2	2	1	2																													40	20	158	28		
HYSTEROSCOPY (C)	1	3																																							4	10	64	26		
MIRENA - GYNAE (C)	5	4	3	3	9	2	6	3																																		37	33	72	25	
NEPHROLOGY (C)	4	8	7	10	11	3	2	6	4	2																																	57	18	172	20
NEUROLOGY (C)	22	23	18	12	24	10	11	8	9	16	8	16	13	21	15	12	19	16	12	13	11	12	16	13	17	8	14	22	17	14	12	10	12	16	15	21	48	2	578	54	753	114				
ORTHODONTICS (C)	3	3	2	2	5	5																																					20	15	77	14
PAEDIATRIC MEDICINE (C)	48	54	59	36	56	53	54	34	23	21	27	32	28	22	19	13	7	11	2																								599	27	1176	175
PAIN MANAGEMENT (C)	29	41	29	39	41	33	22	52	23	35	35	35	31	28	24	21	30	25	38	26	27	22	32	40	46	24	52	29	42	20	22	19	26	25	11	15	56	57	1202	62	1501	427				
RHEUMATOLOGY (C)	38	53	35	40	28	31	21	44	33	29	23	19	27	18	36	14	27	35	26	38	25	33	33	27	28	22	21	29	34	29	12	34	32	28	30	27	158	448	1665	89	2057	1405				
THORACIC MEDICINE (C)	47	41	29	38	44	27	37	36	20	36	29	27	30	32	23	30	35	30	31	22	33	17	27	30	24	26	23	23	32	9	8	5	6	8	6	4	25	2	952	58	1452	439				
Total	776	751	641	684	665	613	572	648	415	535	495	495	465	481	428	297	431	418	421	393	354	310	382	393	378	300	373	406	388	322	181	335	291	308	253	257	1464	2575	19894							

(Source: Information Services – Acute, OP – run date 09/01/2017)

Notes:

- Waiting list figures are validated weekly by operational staff.
- Table 3(a) excludes ICATs and Visiting Consultant waiters.
- Community Paediatric (non PAS) included from 31st March 2013
- Patients are grouped into weeks waiting, ie 52 weeks equals 364 -370 days. Patients waiting >15 weeks (364 - 370 days) will therefore be included in the 52 week group. Only those waiting exactly 52 weeks in this column are not breachers.

Table 3(b): Visiting Consultant OP Patients by Weeks Waiting at 31/12/16

Speciality Description	>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	Total > 9 wks	Longest Waiter	
DENTAL SURGERY (C)	8	6	7	8	14	1	11	5	1	6	4	5	7	5		4	5	2	3	3	2	4	4	8	2		5	3	4	4	2	4	10	4	5	7	174	347	129	
NEUROLOGY (C)	6	9	6	6	9	11	6	3	2	5	2	6	6	3	4	5	10	9	9	7	7	3	6	4	10	5	14	4	5	5		3	7	9	7	10	427	650	139	
OPHTHALMOLOGY (C)	27	23	20	22	26	22	32	24	12	16	21	15	10	3	1		4	3	1	11	6	3	3	5	7	5	8	3	4	5	2	3						347	40	
PAEDIATRIC CARDIOLOGY (C)												1																											1	20
TRAUMA & ORTHOPAEDICS (C)	2	1	1			1	1	2		1	1																												10	19
Total	43	39	34	36	49	35	50	34	15	28	28	27	23	11	5	9	19	14	13	21	15	10	13	17	19	10	27	10	13	14	4	10	17	13	12	17	601	1355		

(Source: Information Services – Acute OP Breach – run date 09/01/2017)

Northern Trust Outpatients Average Completed Waits – Routine

The outpatient waiting time information relates to average waiting times for patients seen in December 2016 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 5:

Specialty	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16	Jul-16	Aug-16	Sep-16	Oct-16	Nov-16	Dec-16	Jan-17	Feb-17	Mar-17
Breast Surgery	7	7	8	8	14	11	8	5	4			
Cardiology	10	11	12	10	8	9	10	8	8			
Colposcopy	5	4	4	4	7	5	5	5	8			
Dermatology	8	6	8	7	2	6	6	7	8			
ENT	38	42	40	38	40	45	46	44	45			
Gastroenterology	41	71	63	57	62	63	68	69	60			
General Surgery	11	15	19	13	10	13	18	20	17			
Gynae inc Hysteroscopy	24	25	26	26	26	25	23	25	25			
Haematology	15	12	8	11	12	38	10	12	11			
General Medicine	7	8	7	9	7	6	6	7	7			
Nephrology	11	13	12	14	15	16	16	14	16			
Neurology	36	36	52	41	51	46	52	49	50			
Paediatric Medicine	9	14	10	12	16	12	12	12	12			
Pain Management	30	26	30	32	30	30	35	40	42			
Rheumatology	39	36	35	36	50	49	57	54	54			
Thoracic	25	26	27	25	30	31	32	27	29			
Urology	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			

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

Northern Trust Outpatients Average Completed Waits – Urgent

The outpatient waiting time information relates to average waiting times for patients seen in December 2016 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 ie excluding DNAs and cancellations
2. Showing Urgent Patients

Table 6:

Specialty	Apr-16	May-16	Jun-16	Jul-16	Aug-16	Sep-16	Oct-16	Nov-16	Dec-16	Jan-17	Feb-17	Mar-17
Breast Surgery	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1			
Cardiology	6	5	6	6	6	4	4	6	5			
Colposcopy	2	10	2	3	2	3	2	2	3			
Dermatology	3	3	4	4	3	5	4	4	3			
ENT	7	8	9	10	9	9	9	12	13			
Gastroenterology	8	9	10	9	8	10	8	10	11			
General Surgery	5	7	6	6	6	8	8	6	6			
Gynae inc Hysteroscopy	5	5	5	4	4	5	4	4	4			
Haematology	5	4	4	4	5	5	4	5	4			
General Medicine	8	5	7	7	4	5	5	7	6			
Nephrology	7	6	7	8	7	9	7	8	7			
Neurology	21	17	15	17	19	23	24	26	17			
Paediatric Medicine	4	3	3	3	2	5	3	2	2			
Pain Management	10	9	8	7	12	17	15	19	14			
Rheumatology	17	18	17	14	15	17	13	13	20			
Thoracic	7	6	7	8	8	8	6	8	9			
Urology	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			

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

Diagnostics – As at 31st December 2016 there were patients waiting over 9 weeks. The longest waiter information is being developed.

TABLE 7: Waiting List Position as of 31/12/2016

	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 weeks (183 days +)	Total Waiters
Cardiology	646	631	272	333	556	288	434	3160
GI Physiology	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	4
Respiratory Physiology	401	420	278	210	63	0	0	1372
Urodynamics	10	21	15	27	34	27	39	173
Audiology	63	145	147	212	411	414	46	1438
TOTAL Physiology	1120	1219	712	782	1064	729	521	6147
TOTAL Imaging	4274	3132	1959	1443	617	21	121	11567
Total Diagnostics	5394	4351	2671	2225	1681	750	642	17714

(Source: Acute Hospital Information Services; Priority 2 – Diagnostic Test WL Monthly 2016-17)