

Ref. No: 1636  
Date: 27<sup>th</sup> March 2025  
Subject: Ultrasound Scans

## REQUEST

### 1. Waiting List Data

a) The number of patients currently on the waiting list for the following ultrasound scans:

- o General
- o Obstetrics and Gynaecology
- o Small Parts
- o Musculoskeletal (MSK)
- o Head, Neck, and Thyroid
- o Groin
- o Breast (male and female)
- o Deep Vein Thrombosis (DVT)
- o Triple Aneurysm (AAA)
- o Lumps and Bumps
- o Soft Tissues

b) The number of patients who have been on the waiting list for these scans for longer than 18 weeks.

### 2. Contact Information

Please provide the name and email address of the individuals holding the following positions within the Trust:

- o Procurement Director
- o Divisional Director(s) of Radiology
- o Director(s) of Radiology
- o Radiology Services Manager

## RESPONSE

**Response for STHK sites only.**

1. A

<b>Ultrasound Scans</b>	<b>Number of patients on the waiting list as of 31/03/2025</b>
General	2690
Gynaecology	2032
Obstetrics	Obstetric exams are timed to be performed at certain gestations. Therefore, obstetrics don't have a waiting list as such.
Small Parts	324
Musculoskeletal (MSK)	697
Head, Neck, and Thyroid	412
Groin	115
Breast (male and female)	57
Deep Vein Thrombosis (DVT)	195
Triple Aneurysm (AAA)	25
Lumps and Bumps	Will be captured in the MSK or soft tissue category
Soft Tissues	444

1. B

No patients have been on the waiting list for 18 weeks or over

2.

<b>Contact Information</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>E-mail Address</b>
Procurement Director	Chris McNamara Deputy Director of Procurement	Withheld under Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 as it relates to personal data.
Divisional Director(s) of Radiology	Emma Williams Divisional Director of Clinical Support Service and Community	Withheld under Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 as it relates to personal data.
Director(s) of Radiology	David King Deputy Divisional Director of Clinical Support Service and Community	Withheld under Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 as it relates to personal data.
Radiology Services Manager	Sue Conroy Radiology Manager	Withheld under Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 as it relates to personal data.

**Response for S&O sites only.**

1. A

<b>Ultrasound Scans</b>	<b>Number of patients on the waiting list as of 31/03/2025</b>
General	912
Gynaecology	509
Obstetrics	Obstetric exams are timed to be performed at certain gestations. Therefore, obstetrics don't have a waiting list as such.
Small Parts	104
Musculoskeletal (MSK)	339
Head, Neck, and Thyroid	91
Groin	50
Auxilia, don't do breast (male and female)	10
Deep Vein Thrombosis (DVT)	152
Triple Aneurysm (AAA)	15
Lumps and Bumps	Will be captured in the MSK or soft tissue category
Soft Tissues	120

1. B

No patients have been on the waiting list for 18 weeks or over

2.

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Divisional Director(s) of Radiology	Emma Williams Divisional Director of Clinical Support Service and Community	Withheld under Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 as it relates to personal data.
Director(s) of Radiology	David King Deputy Divisional Director of Clinical Support Service and Community	Withheld under Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 as it relates to personal data.
Radiology Services Manager	Lisa Thompson Radiology Manager	Withheld under Section 40(2) of the Freedom of

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