

## Freedom of Information Act 2000 disclosure log entry

### Reference

21-22020

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22/06/21

### Subject

GIC Waiting List Data

### Details of enquiry

1. How many patients are on your waiting list for their first Gender Clinic appointment.
2. What the average waiting time for a first appointment is for these patients.
3. What the shortest and longest waiting times, from referral to first appointment, were in the 12 months between April 2019 – April 2020.

### Response Sent

1. How many patients are on your waiting list for their first Gender Clinic appointment:  
As of 1<sup>st</sup> June 2021 there were 9046 patients
2. What the average waiting time for a first appointment is for these patients  
The current average wait is approximately 4 years. We cannot provide a definitive timeline for the patients currently waiting as there is a large amount of work being undertaken across the country to address Gender waiting lists and these factors will impact on any waiting times
3. What the shortest and longest waiting times, from referral to first appointment, were in the 12 months between April 2019 – April 2020.  
In 2019/20 The shortest waiting time was 5 weeks (due to transfer of care) and the longest waiting time was 169 weeks