

BSUH- GP Median Wait New OP Appointments

Approximate wait times - non-urgent referrals Information for GPs - Figures from March 2019

This update shows:

- A. Median wait in weeks from non-urgent referral to first appointment for new **outpatient appointments** booked in the last 4 weeks. This excludes two week waits and other urgent referrals.
- B. Median wait **from first outpatient appointment to inpatient treatment**.

This is an indicative guide only. There is sub-specialty and site variation within this data.

BSUH are live on the NHS e-Referral Service for all BSUH GP to Con Led Specialities.

All GP referrals for these Specialities must be sent via e-RS.

Specialty	Median Weeks Waits to first outpatient appointment	Median Weeks Wait from DOWL to treatment
Acute Medicine	7	0
Audiology	7	8
Breast Care	0	9
Cardiac Surgery	5	12
Cardiology	20	19
Chemical Pathology	19	0
Chest Medicine (Respiratory)	20	8
Chest Sleep Studies (Resp Physiology)	0	5
Clinical Haematology	9	0
Clinical Immunology and Allergy	37	0
Clinical Physiology	1	0
Colorectal & Lower GI Surgery	40	13
Diabetic Medicine	9	0
Digestive Diseases (Surgical)	41	0
Ear Nose & Throat	20	12
Elderly & General Medicine	6	0
Endocrinology	10	0
Gastroenterology	36	8
General Surgery	20	6
Gynaecology	10	10
Hepatology	34	0
Infectious Diseases	3	0
Neurology	24	7
Neurosurgery	45	9
Nutrition and Dietetics	8	0
Ophthalmology	4	12

Oral & Maxillo Facial Surgery	9	17
Orthodontics	12	0
Orthoptics	10	0
Paediatric Cardiology	31	0
Paediatric Clinical Haematology	11	0
Paediatric Clinical Immunology & Allergy	51	0
Paediatric Dermatology	25	0
Paediatric Ear Nose and Throat	15	21
Paediatric Endocrinology	15	0
Paediatric Epilepsy	8	0
Paediatric Gastroenterology	29	35
Paediatric Medicine	29	0
Paediatric Ophthalmology	15	11
Paediatric Respiratory Medicine	12	0
Paediatric Rheumatology	15	0
Paediatric Surgery	6	18
Paediatric Trauma and Orthopaedics	29	35
Paediatric Urology	18	25
Pain Management	40	27
Physiotherapy	6	0
Renal Medicine	12	9
Rheumatology	39	0
Speech and Language Therapy	4	0
Spinal Surgery Service	40	17
Trauma & Orthopaedics *Foot and Ankle 4 weeks *Complex Knee and Hip 8 weeks *Shoulder and Elbow 7 weeks	4	13
Upper Gastrointestinal Surgery	44	7
Urology	34	9
Vascular Surgery	13	11

If you are concerned about a patient who is experiencing a long wait for BSUH treatment and is reporting a deterioration of their condition, please email BSU-tr.outpatientbookings@nhs.net