

Estimated waiting times

Data as recorded on 2 July 2024 (for the reporting month of June)

Kindly be advised, these wait times are not updated in real time, and may differ from week to week

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Service / procedures	Description	Colchester Hospital waiting time (weeks) for first appointment	Ipswich Hospital waiting time (weeks) for first appointment
General Surgery	Within general surgery, you could be having any of the below surgeries.	57 weeks	40 weeks
Audiology	Ears and hearing	6 weeks	4 weeks
Breast surgery	Surgery for breast/ chest	No data available	45 days
Cardiology	Heart conditions and care	52 weeks	44 weeks

Children's Services	All services for children and their parents including paediatrics	17 weeks	17 weeks
Colorectal	Disorders of the rectum, anus and colon	No data available	52 weeks
Dermatology	Skin conditions	49 weeks	33 weeks
Diabetes	Supporting patients who have diabetes, are pre-diabetic and associated conditions	No data available	14 weeks
Dietetics	Diet, health and nutrition	3-4 weeks	9 weeks
Ears, Nose and Throat	Ears, nose, throat	29 weeks	31 weeks
Ears, Nose and Throat (paediatrics)	Ears, nose, throat	27 weeks	29 weeks
Endocrine	The circulatory system	17 weeks	14 weeks
Gastroenterology	The digestive system	55 weeks	50 weeks

General Medicine (Lipids)		No data available	58 weeks
Gynaecology	Women's reproductive health	30 weeks	37 weeks
Gynaecology coil clinic		16 weeks	No data available
Gynaecology Hyst coil clinic		42 weeks	No data available
Haematology	Blood disorders	6 weeks	6 weeks
Hepatobiliary and Pancreatic	Liver, gall bladder, bile duct and pancreas	No data available	No data available
Nephrology	Kidneys	47 weeks	50 weeks
Neurology	Nerves	53 weeks	31 weeks
Occupational Therapy		No data available	No data available
Older Peoples Services	Services for older people, including medical, social and emotional needs	6 week	13 weeks

Ophthalmology	Eyes	21 weeks	14 weeks
Oral Surgery	Surgery for the mouth and jaw	18 weeks	23 weeks
Orthodontics	Teeth and jaw alignment	No data available	Booked as requested
Orthoptics	Eyes and eye muscles	23 weeks	14 weeks
Orthotics	Medical devices such as braces and splints	No data available	No data available
Pain Management		No data available	Service books
Physiology		No data available	No data available
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Clinical Physiology		No data available	No data available
Neurophysiology		No data available	6 weeks
Respiratory Physiology	Sleep studies	2 weeks	No data available
Physiotherapy	Treatment using physical, external methods such as heat treatment and exercise	8 weeks	No data available

Plastics Surgery	Repair and reconstructing damaged tissue and skin	No data available	36 weeks
Rehabilitation	General rehabilitation	10	No data available
Respiratory	Breathing and the respiratory organs	43 weeks	15 weeks
Rheumatology	Pain and inflammation of joints and musculoskeletal system	12 weeks	19 weeks
Speech and Language therapy	Speech and language therapy	6 weeks	No data available
Spinal	Spinal issues	38 weeks	46 weeks
Stroke		No data available	6 weeks
TIA (stroke)		No data available	No data available
Trauma and Orthopaedic Lower Limb	Trauma and orthopaedic specialists for lower limbs (legs, knees, ankles, feet)	62 weeks	27 weeks

Trauma and Orthopaedic Upper Limb	Trauma and orthopaedic specialists for upper limbs (shoulders, arms, hands)	57 weeks	41 weeks
Upper GI	Stomach and Intestines	No data available	41 weeks
Urology	Urinary tract systems and male reproductive organs	40 weeks	57 weeks
Vascular	Vascular system (arteries, veins and lymphatic circulation)	20 weeks	34 weeks

Medical Imaging

X-ray		5 - 6 weeks	7 weeks
CT scan		5 – 6 weeks	8 weeks
MRI scan		5 - 6 weeks	6 weeks
Ultra Sound		6 weeks	14 weeks
Consultant Telephone Sleep Clinic		52 weeks	
CPAP Set up Clinic		28 weeks	

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Service

	Colchester	Clacton
Adult Physiotherapy MSK	19	
MSK T2	3	
MSK Spinal	3	
Pain Management	3	
Podiatry Routine	110	92
Podiatry Biomechanics	108	100
Podiatry Doms	115	34
Podiatry Nail Surgery	38	10
Podiatry Paediatrics	99	70
Podiatry NEEDS	105	7
Cardiology	4	
Cardiology Echo	7	
Dietetics	9	

Dietetics Gastro	3	
Lymphedema	3	
Respiratory PR	114	
Respiratory RP	111	
Respiratory COPD	N/A	
Respiratory HOS	100	
Early Stroke Discharge	N/A	
Speech and Language Adults	25	