

Estimated waiting times

Data as recorded on 5 September 2024 (for the reporting month of August)

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.	63 weeks	47 weeks
Audiology	Ears and hearing	6 weeks	4 weeks
Breast surgery	Surgery for breast/ chest	No data available	27 days
Cardiology	Heart conditions and care	48 weeks	56 weeks

Children's Services	All services for children and their parents including paediatrics	17 weeks	14 weeks
Colorectal	Disorders of the rectum, anus and colon	No data available	56 weeks
Dermatology	Skin conditions	47 weeks	38 weeks
Diabetes	Supporting patients who have diabetes, are pre-diabetic and associated conditions	No data available	17 weeks
Dietetics	Diet, health and nutrition	3-4 weeks	11 weeks
Ears, Nose and Throat	Ears, nose, throat	33 weeks	34 weeks
Ears, Nose and Throat (paediatrics)	Ears, nose, throat	33 weeks	36 weeks
Endocrine	The circulatory system	15 weeks	15 weeks
Gastroenterology	The digestive system	45 weeks	51 weeks

General Medicine (Lipids)		No data available	65 weeks
Gynaecology	Women's reproductive health	30 weeks	42 weeks
Gynaecology coil clinic		16 weeks	No data available
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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	54 weeks	54 weeks
Neurology	Nerves	62 weeks	29 weeks
Occupational Therapy		No data available	No data available
Older Peoples Services	Services for older people, including medical, social and emotional needs	1 week	13 weeks
Ophthalmology	Eyes	21 weeks	14 weeks

Oral Surgery	Surgery for the mouth and jaw	16 weeks	25 weeks
Orthodontics	Teeth and jaw alignment	No data available	No data available
Orthoptics	Eyes and eye muscles	23 weeks	No data available
Orthotics	Medical devices such as braces and splints	No data available	No data available
Pain Management		No data available	Service books
Physiology		8 weeks	No data available
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	No data available	49 weeks

	damaged tissue and skin		
Rehabilitation	General rehabilitation	11	No data available
Respiratory	Breathing and the respiratory organs	47 weeks	20 weeks
Rheumatology	Pain and inflammation of joints and musculoskeletal system	17 weeks	20 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)	54 weeks	27 weeks
Trauma and Orthopaedic Upper Limb	Trauma and orthopaedic specialists for upper	60 weeks	30 weeks

	limbs (shoulders, arms, hands)		
Upper GI	Stomach and Intestines	No data available	47 weeks
Urology	Urinary tract systems and male reproductive organs	48 weeks	60 weeks
Vascular	Vascular system (arteries, veins and lymphatic circulation)	23 weeks	37 weeks

Medical Imaging

X-ray		5 - 6 weeks	8 weeks
CT scan		5 – 6 weeks	2 weeks
MRI scan		5 - 6 weeks	6 weeks
Ultra Sound		6 weeks	14 weeks
Consultant Telephone Sleep Clinic		62 weeks	
CPAP Set up Clinic		34 weeks	

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	Colchester	Clacton
Adult Physiotherapy MSK	17	
MSK T2	4	
MSK Spinal	3	
Pain Management	3	
Podiatry Routine	107	92
Podiatry Biomechanics	113	100
Podiatry Doms	110	34
Podiatry Nail Surgery	30	10
Podiatry Paediatrics	97	70
Podiatry NEEDS	8	7
Cardiology	2	
Cardiology Echo	3	
Dietetics	11	
Dietetics Gastro	6	

Lymphedema	5	
Respiratory PR	101	
Respiratory RP	57	
Respiratory COPD	0	
Respiratory HOS	104	
Early Stroke Discharge	0	
Speech and Language Adults	18	