

15 November 2022

Dear

ATISN 16867 – Waiting times for hip surgery

Thank you for your request to the Welsh Government for information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) received on 14 November 2022. You have requested the following:

- *To provide the comparison waiting times between the Health Boards in Wales for Hip Replacement Surgery.*

Our Response

Welsh Government does not hold information relating to waiting times specifically for hip replacement surgery, but we do have information on orthopaedic waiting times which would include hip replacement, knee replacement, shoulders, hands, etc.

The latest information on orthopaedic waiting times can be found [here](#). Under treatment function, you will need to select trauma and orthopaedic.

Next steps

If you are dissatisfied with the Welsh Government's handling of your request, you can ask for an internal review within 40 working days of the date of this response. Requests for an internal review should be addressed to the Welsh Government's Freedom of Information Officer at:

Information Rights Unit,
Welsh Government,
Cathays Park,
Cardiff,
CF10 3NQ

or Email: Freedom.ofinformation@gov.wales

Please remember to quote the ATISN reference number above.

You also have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office,
Wycliffe House,
Water Lane,
Wilmslow,
Cheshire,
SK9 5AF.

However, please note that the Commissioner will not normally investigate a complaint until it has been through our own internal review process.

Yours sincerely,