

Freedom of Information Act Request

I am writing to request information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Under the Freedom of Information Act (2000), I am requesting the following information regarding delays in your Emergency Department(s).

Please provide data on the recorded reasons for 4-hour breaches in the trust's Emergency Department(s) from **January 2013 to December 2025**.

Data is only available from 10/06/2014:

Breach Reason	Number of 4-Hour Breaches
Alcohol	1529
Ambulance	2913
Bed Frailty	2258
Bed Gynaecology	994
Bed ITU	81
Bed Medicine	49817
Bed Orthopaedics	3712
Bed Other	1950
Bed Paediatrics	468
Bed Surgery	9922
Bloods	3080
BST Clock Change	10
CT	1321
Dual ED & Medical	2931
Dual ED & Ortho	676
Dual ED & Other Specialty	526
Dual ED & Surgical	1125
Manipulation	672
Mental Health	3233
No Delay	172
NotEntered	522
Other	2693
Overdose	3840
Patient Deteriorated	9308
Resuscitation	7462
Review by A&E Doctor	98660

Review by Specialist - Multi	2394
Review by Specialist Frailty	210
Review By Specialist Medicine	8156
Review by Specialist Ortho	5652
Review by Specialist Other	3253
Review by Specialist Surg	5582
Review by Speciality ENT	1383
Review by Speciality Gynaecology	1733
Review by Speciality Urology	201
Review by Speciality Vascular	67
Review by Specialty Paediatrics	655
To see A&E Doctor	144196
Transfer Delay	1472
Treatment Delay	2543
Xray	1329

If you are not satisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to request an internal review. Requests for an internal review should be submitted within 40 working days from the date of this response, and should be addressed to d.wraith@nhs.net.

If you remain dissatisfied after the internal review, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO). The ICO can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office

Wycliffe House

Water Lane

Wilmslow

Cheshire

SK9 5AF

Tel: 0303 123 1113

Website: <https://ico.org.uk/make-a-complaint/>