



SA Health Metropolitan Specialist Outpatient Clinics

Median and Maximum Outpatient Waiting Time by Specialty and Hospital as at 31 October 2018

Clinicians assess the urgency to be given to a patient referral based on information provided. These waiting times do not apply to urgent referrals that may need to be seen by a clinician within 30 days, they are for routine or non-urgent patient referrals that can be added to a waiting list for an appointment. These waiting times are for new patients who have been referred and have not been given an appointment and are 'unscheduled'.

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Outpatient Specialty	Hospital	Median Waiting Time Months	Maximum Waiting Time Months
Breast	RAH	<1 Month	4.5 Months
	TQEH	<1 Month	1.4 Months
	LMH	0 Months	0 Months
	MH	0 Months	0 Months
Cardiology	RAH	11.5 Months	85.3 Months
	TQEH	11.8 Months	49.4 Months
	LMH	6.8 Months	54.6 Months
	FMC	6 Months	12 Months
	WCH	4.5 Months	28.1 Months
Cardiothoracic	RAH	0 Months	0 Months
	FMC	0 Months	0 Months
Craniofacial	RAH	7.4 Months	15.8 Months
	WCH	2.3 Months	6.6 Months
Dermatology	RAH	9.8 Months	29.7 Months
	TQEH	8.1 Months	14.4 Months
	FMC	6.8 Months	18.1 Months
	WCH	13.4 Months	61.3 Months
Ear, nose and throat (ENT)	RAH	31.9 Months	128.5 Months
	TQEH	11.9 Months	33 Months
	LMH	13 Months	102.6 Months
	MH	7.9 Months	18.4 Months
	FMC	8.5 Months	47.5 Months
	WCH	15.4 Months	50.3 Months
Endocrinology	RAH	15.2 Months	68.9 Months
	TQEH	4.6 Months	32.9 Months
	LMH	3 Months	3.6 Months
	FMC*	Data not available at time of report	Data not available at time of report
	WCH	7.7 Months	27.3 Months
Epilepsy	RAH	8.1 Months	48.4 Months
	TQEH	13 Months	13 Months

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Gastroenterology	RAH	2.3 Months	98.7 Months
	TQEH	23.6 Months	66.3 Months
	LMH	8.5 Months	40.5 Months
	MH	11.5 Months	16.7 Months
	FMC	10 Months	71.2 Months
	WCH	1.4 Months	40.2 Months
General medicine	RAH	1.7 Months	17.7 Months
	TQEH	8.5 Months	19.5 Months
	MH	0 Months	0 Months
	LMH	13.7 Months	14.5 Months
	FMC	1.7 Months	6.7 Months
General surgery	RAH	13.7 Months	63.2 Months
	TQEH	11.9 Months	158.5 Months
	MH	0 Months	0 Months
	LMH	6.8 Months	17.1 Months
	FMC	1.6 Months	22.8 Months
Geriatric Medicine	RAH	3 Months	8.6 Months
	TQEH	<1 Month	1.1 Months
	FMC*	N/A	N/A
	NHS	11.5	11.5
Gynaecology	RAH	<1 Month	13.8 Months
	TQEH	15.2 Months	34 Months
	LMH	6 Months	16.3 Months
	FMC	5.6 Months	68.1 Months
	WCH	1.6 Months	33.5 Months
Gynaecology Oncology	RAH	<1 Month	4.2 Months
	LMH	0 Months	0 Months
	FMC	1 Month	2.0 Months
Haematology	RAH	0 Months	0 Months
	TQEH	0 Months	0 Months
	LMH	10.3 Months	19.9 Months
	FMC	0 Months	0 Months
	WCH	0 Months	0 Months
Hepatobiliary	RAH	4.6 Months	29 Months
	TQEH	7.4 Months	27.3 Months
	FMC	3 Months	32.6 Months
Immunology	RAH	23.3 Months	67.9 Months
	FMC	11.5 Months	31.2 Months
	WCH	15.9 Months	81 Months

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Infectious diseases	RAH	3.7 Months	14.1 Months
	TQEH	0 Months	0.2 Months
	LMH	0 Months	0 Months
	MH	0 Months	0 Months
	FMC	1.9 Months	14.5 Months
	WCH	4.4 Months	19.4 Months
Medical Oncology (consultation)	RAH	0 Months	0 Months
	TQEH	0 Months	0 Months
	LMH	2.3 Months	2.3 months
	FMC	0 Months	0 Months
	WCH	3.8 Months	8.7 Months
Metabolic Bone	RAH	18 Months	39.3 Months
Nephrology	RAH	8.5 Months	8.5 Months
	LMH	4.5 Months	12.7 Months
	MH	0 Months	0 Months
	FMC	2 Months	10.8 Months
	WCH	2.3 Months	8.9 Months
Neurology	RAH	13 Months	105.2 Months
	TQEH	16 Months	46.6 Months
	MH	0 Months	0 Months
	LMH	14.4 Months	57.8 Months
	FMC	9.7 Months	68 Months
	WCH	11 Months	40.4 Months
Neurosurgery	RAH	14.5 Months	80.3 Months
	FMC	18.7 Months	112 Months
	WCH	4.8 Months	13.3 Months
Ophthalmology	RAH	18 Months	128.1 Months
	TQEH	12.1 Months	61.1 Months
	MH	9.9 Months	72.9 Months
	FMC	14.2 Months	94.7 Months
	WCH	13.8 Months	54.9 Months
Orthopaedics	RAH	22.2 Months	106.6 Months
	TQEH	20 Months	149.3 Months
	LMH	13.7 Months	80.9 Months
	MH	11.4 Months	56.1 Months
	NH	3.9 Months	60.6 Months
	WCH	10.7 Months	39 Months

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Paediatric medicine	LMH	4.7 Months	6 Months
	MH	0 Months	0 Months
	FMC	3.9 Months	32 Months
	WCH	<1 Month	15.7 Months
Paediatric surgery	FMC	0 Months	0 Months
	WCH	11.8 Months	51.4 Months
Pain Management	TQEH	13.9 Months	44.5 Months
	FMC	3.9 Months	32.2 Months
	WCH	4.4 Months	8.3 Months
Palliative Care	RAH	0 Months	0 Months
	TQEH	0 Months	0 Months
	MH	0 Months	0 Months
	FMC*	N/A	N/A
	WCH	0 Months	0 Months
Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery	RAH	17.3 Months	126.7 Months
	TQEH	16.2 Months	70.2 Months
	MH	16.5 Months	68.5 Months
	FMC	16 Months	96.5 Months
	WCH	3.9 Months	14.8 Months
Psychiatry	RAH	1.8 Months	23.4 Months
	TQEH	26.4 Months	27.5 Months
	WCH	4 Months	47.2 Months
	RAH	0 Months	0 Months
Radiation Therapy (Consultation)	LMH	0 Months	0 Months
	TQEH	7.8 Months	8.7 Months
Rehabilitation - Medicine	FMC*	Data not available at time of report	Data not available at time of report
	WCH	2.9 Months	6.7 Months
	RAH	5.4 Months	18.8 Months
Respiratory	TQEH	12.6 Months	42.9 Months
	LMH	12.6 Months	62.8 Months
	MH	16.7 Months	38.8 Months
	FMC	3.6 Months	30.6 Months
	WCH	4.7 Months	9.4 Months
	RAH	0 Months	0 Months
Respiratory - Cystic Fibrosis	WCH	0 Months	0 Months

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Rheumatology	RAH	9.2 Months	64 Months
	TQEH	13.9 Months	142.9 Months
	LMH	4.9 Months	11.3 Months
	MH	6.6 Months	14.7 Months
	FMC	5.8 Months	50.4 Months
	NH	6.6 Months	12 Months
	WCH	3.6 Months	6.7 Months
Sleep Disorders	RAH	4.3 Months	76.6 Months
	TQEH	6.5 Months	6.5 Months
	LMH	16.5 Months	44.6 Months
	FMC	7.2 Months	18.4 Months
Spinal	RAH	3.6 Months	33.3 Months
	TQEH	8.1 Months	16.5 Months
	WCH	2.3 Months	15.2 Months
	RAH	23.1 Months	127.9 Months
	TQEH	24.4 Months	66.7 Months
	LMH	16.7 Months	80.4 Months
	MH	8.3 Months	28.5 Months
	NH	14.6 Months	133 Months
	FMC*	Data not available at time of report	Data not available at time of report
	WCH	<1 Month	16.3 Months
Urology	RAH	23.1 Months	127.9 Months
	TQEH	24.4 Months	66.7 Months
	LMH	16.7 Months	80.4 Months
	MH	8.3 Months	28.5 Months
	FMC*	Data not available at time of report	Data not available at time of report
	WCH	<1 Month	16.3 Months
Vascular Surgery	RAH	3.1 Months	27.5 Months
	TQEH	<1 Month	8.8 Months
	LMH	9.2 Months	25.1 Months
	MH	0 Months	0 Months
	FMC	11.2 Months	32.8 Months

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