

Reference:	FOI.11159.23
Subject:	Urology Waiting Times
Date of Request:	1 March 2023

Requested:

1. Average waiting times for a non-urgent, non-cancer urology general practitioner referral made in December 2019. When providing this information, please detail:
 - a. The average wait time from GP referral to the first appointment; and
 - b. Where applicable, the average wait time from the first appointment to flexible cystoscopy.
2. Average waiting times for an urgent, non-cancer urology general practitioner referral made in December 2019. When providing this information, please detail:
 - a. The average wait time from GP referral to the first appointment; and
 - b. Where applicable, the average wait time from the first appointment to flexible cystoscopy.

Response:

- 1a. Hywel Dda University Health Board (UHB) confirms that the average wait time, for a GP referral made in December 2019 to first appointment for non-urgent, non-cancer urology patients, was 28.1 weeks.
- 1b. The UHB confirms that the average wait time from first appointment to flexible cystoscopy was 3.6 weeks, during December 2019.
- 2a. The UHB confirms that the average wait time for a GP referral made in December 2019 to first appointment for urgent, non-cancer urology patients, was 8.6 weeks.
- 2b. The UHB confirms that the average wait time from first appointment to flexible cystoscopy was 3.4 weeks, during December 2019.