

Ref. No: 039210422  
From: Public  
Date: 21/04/22  
Subject: Cataract Surgery

## REQUEST

1. Please provide the total number of patients waiting for Cataract surgery within your trust.
2. Please provide the total number of patients waiting for cataract surgery between 18 weeks - 51 weeks within your trust.
3. Please provide the total number of patients waiting for cataract surgery between 52 weeks - 103 weeks within your trust.
4. Please provide the total number of patients waiting for cataract surgery over 104 weeks within your trust.
5. Please answer yes or no. Are you currently using any sub-contractors to support with any backlog of Cataract patients within your trust.
6. Please answer yes or no. Have you used, any sub-contractors to support with any backlog of Cataract patients within your trust.
7. Please answer yes or no. Have you transferred any Cataract patients into the care of another provider? Eg: IPT
8. If yes to question 5, 6 or 7, please provide the name and location of the provider (s) you have used or are using.
9. If yes to question 5 or 6 please provide the total number of completed cataract surgeries they have done for you in 2020/21 and 2021/22 (to date).
10. If yes to question 7, please provide total number of patients transferred, by provider.
11. If no to question 9, please provide a reason for not using other providers to support with any backlog within your Trust.

12. Please confirm the total number of days a week you deliver cataract surgery within your Trust.

13. Please confirm how many cataract patients you expect to see on each of the days you deliver cataract surgery within your Trust.

14. Please provide the name and contact details for the individual (s) accountable for contracting these services within your Trust.

## RESPONSE

1. Total dated and undated 1078

2. 517

3. 0

4. 0

5. Yes

6. Yes

7. Yes

8. Subcontract: Fairfield Independent Hospital, Crank Road, Crank, St Helens  
IPT: Spa Medica, Teal House, Tan House Ln, Widnes

9. Transferred 21 to Fairfield

10. Transferred 203 to Spamedica

11. N/A

12. 6 days

13. If cataract only lists we would expect to see:

Monday - 28

Tuesday - 21

Wed - 7

Thursday - 28

Friday - 21

Saturday - 12

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