

Freedom of Information Request	FOI 22-131	28 <sup>th</sup> March 2022
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**I'd like to enquire regards the current waiting times for laparoscopic cholecystectomy from the point that a patient is added to the surgical list within the health board. If a breakdown by hospital is available then this would also be welcome.**

<b>Hospital</b>	<b>Average Days Wait</b>	<b>Median Days Wait</b>	<b>Average Weeks Wait</b>	<b>Median Weeks Wait</b>
Grange University Hospital*	486	486	69	69
Nevill Hall Hospital	291	287	42	41
Royal Gwent Hospital	418	314	60	45
<b>All ABUHB hospitals</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>297</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>42</b>

\*less than 5 patients

Please note waiting times for treatment is not something that is reported routinely. The figures have been calculated by looking at patients who had a laparoscopic cholecystectomy in January and/or February 2022 and calculating how long they had waited from being added to the inpatient/daycase waiting list.