

Freedom of Information Request	FOI 21-416	19 th October 2021
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Freedom of Information Request: Accident and Emergency

1. How many people were treated by A&E departments within your Health Board during:

The data is only available back to April 2016 and includes attendances at Emergency Departments only – it does not include attendances at Minor Injury Units.

- Each month of 2021**

Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21
5,325	5,290	6,862	7,465	7,915	8,441	8,066	7,691

- Each year from 2011 - 2020 (inclusive)**

Apr-Dec 2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	Jan-August 2021
93,717	126,129	126,622	133,387	104,454	57,055

2. How many of those people who were treated by your A&E departments, during the time periods listed below, received their treatment within the four hour target?

The data is only available back to April 2016 and includes attendances at Emergency Departments only – it does not include attendances at Minor Injury Units.

- For each month of 2021**

Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21
3,537	3,499	4,187	4,633	4,379	4,793	4,362	3,636

- For each year from 2011 - 2020 (inclusive)**

Apr-Dec 2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	Jan-August 2021
72,485	97,875	91,608	91,354	75,145	33,026

3. How many people requested an appointment to see a GP within your Health Board during:

- **Each month of 2021**
- **Each year from 2011 - 2020 (inclusive)**

The Health Board does not hold this level of data.

4. What was the average waiting time for patients to see a GP in your health board during:

- **Each month of 2021**
- **Each year from 2011 - 2020 (inclusive)**

The Health Board does not hold this level of data.

This will vary from practice to practice, and the detail will be held at practice level. Many practices are offering pre-bookable appointments with the GP/ANP, some of these are face to face although largely via remote consultation at present. Other practices are offering a mixture of on the day appointments, appointments within 48 hours or pre-bookable 2 weeks in advance with a GP/ANP, whilst some practices are offering all book on the day with pre-bookable only at the request of the clinician.

5. How many incidents of aggression towards hospital workers were reported during:

Please find the information requested in the tables below. Please note, the data for hospital workers relates to any incident occurring in a hospital setting and the data for healthcare workers includes all incidents across the Health Board.

- **Each month of 2021**

FOI 21-416 - incidents of aggression towards hospital workers	Hospital Workers	Health Care Workers
January 2021	158	190
February 2021	132	154
March 2021	141	159
April 2021	130	149
May 2021	178	191
June 2021	179	206
July 2021	214	245
August 2021	187	212
September 2021	190	231
October 2021 (part month)	42	51
Total	1,551	1,788

- **Each year from 2011 - 2020 (inclusive)**

FOI 21-416 - incidents of aggression towards hospital workers	Hospital Workers	Health Care Workers
2011	1,093	1,287
2012	1,181	1,349
2013	1,397	1,620
2014	1,548	1,791
2015	1,728	1,900
2016	1,756	1,937
2017	1,592	1,764
2018	1,383	1,548
2019	1,612	1,767
2020	1,603	1,745
Total	14,893	16,708

6. How many individuals were employed by the health board during:

- **Each month of 2021**

Please find below those individuals employed by the Health Board from January to August 2021.

Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21
15415	15550	15580	15583	15606	15623	15609	15581

- **Each year from 2011 - 2020 (inclusive)**

Please find below those individuals employed by the Health Board from 2012 to 2020. We are unable to provide 2011 data as at that time data was not held centrally.

31st Dec 2012	31st Dec 2013	31st Dec 2014	31st Dec 2015	31st Dec 2016	31st Dec 2017	31st Dec 2018	31st Dec 2019	31st Dec 2020
13153	13395	13468	13924	14131	13883	14157	14665	15255

7. How many GPs were employed by the health board during:

- **Each month of 2021**

The Health Board does not employ the GPs that work in independent practices. However, the Health Board does directly employ some GPs within our managed practices.

Please find GPs employed by the Health Board in 2021.

Specialty	Staff Group	Jan-21	Feb-21	Mar-21	Apr-21	May-21	Jun-21	Jul-21	Aug-21	Sep-21
040 Managed Practices (S)	Medical and Dental	14	14	15	15	15	14	13	13	12

- **Each year from 2011 - 2020 (inclusive)**

The Health Board's first managed practice was in 2018. Please see below individual GPs employed by the Health Board in 2018, 2019 and 2020.

Dec-18		
Specialty	Staff Group	Total
040 Managed Practices (S)	Medical and Dental	9
Dec-19		
Specialty	Staff Group	Total
040 Managed Practices (S)	Medical and Dental	8
Dec-20		
Specialty	Staff Group	Total
040 Managed Practices (S)	Medical and Dental	14