

Reference: FOI.ICB-2223/027

Subject: Menopause Clinics and Gynaecology Referrals

I can confirm that the ICB does hold some of the information requested; please see responses below:

QUESTION	RESPONSE
<p>1. Please could you tell me how many women in BNSSG are waiting to see a clinician at a menopause clinic, and how long: a) they have already waited, and b) how long they are likely to be waiting until they see someone.</p>	<p>Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire Integrated Care Board (BNSSG ICB) Referral Service does not hold this information.</p> <p>We advise you to contact our local secondary care providers for this information:</p> <p>North Bristol NHS Trust (NBT) – https://www.nbt.nhs.uk/about-us/information-governance/freedom-information/request-information</p> <p>University Hospitals Bristol and Weston NHS Foundation Trust (UHBW) – https://www.uhbw.nhs.uk/p/how-we-use-your-data/freedom-of-information-foi-requests</p>
<p>2. I would also like to know the current number of referrals into gynaecology departments from GP surgeries in BNSSG.</p>	<p>There have been 4937 eReferral bookings into the gynaecology specialty for BNSSG patients between the period Jan – Jun 2022.</p>

The information provided in this response is accurate as of 15 August 2022 and has been approved for release by Joanne Medhurst, Chief Medical Officer for NHS Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire ICB.