

29 July 2024

Patients Transferred from Hepatobiliary Ward to ICU

How many patients from the hepatobiliary ward at Belfast City Hospital were sent to ICU in the years between 2019 - June 2024? Please provide a total and an annual breakdown.

January - December 2019	<5
January - December 2020	<5
January - December 2021	8
January - December 2022	9
January - December 2023	12
January - June 2024	6

Use of <5 (less than five): Belfast Trust is unable to provide an exact figure - exempt from release under Section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act, as the small numbers involved could make patients personally identifiable. Disclosure would constitute a breach of the principles of the General Data Protection Regulation 2018.

How many days post-operative were they sent to ICU?

January - December 2019	0
January - December 2020	0
January - December 2021	0 - 36 days
January - December 2022	0 - 84 days
January - December 2023	0 - 26 days
January - June 2024:	0 - 42 days

What were the ages of the patients referred to ICU?

Age 45 – 49	6
Age 50 – 55	5
Age 56 – 59	<5
Age 60 – 65	10
Age 66 – 69	5
Age 70 – 75	6
Age 76 – 79	<5

How many men were sent to ICU vs how many women?

Men	29
Women	7

How many of these patients sent to ICU survived?

Alive	32
Died	<5