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## **Community and Hospital Dental Services**

**How many patients in total are currently on the waiting list to access community dental services, broken down as follows:**

**Current GA Extraction waiting lists:**

- **Children on extraction only GA lists**
- **Special Care Children's comprehensive care GA – extractions and restorations**
- **Adult Special Care GA**

**Average length of waiting times for each of the above?**

**How many are waiting for each of the above?**

**What is the longest waiting time for each of the above?**

**How many of each (of the above) have been done in the last year?**

**In terms of hospital waiting lists, I would be grateful if you could supply the following information:**

**New patient waiting times for each dental specialty (i.e. length of time that a patient will wait from receipt of referral to being seen for the first time) for:**

- **Red flag referrals (e.g. possible mouth cancers if applicable).**
- **Urgent referrals.**
- **Routine referrals.**

**Please also provide number of patients waiting in each category for each dental specialty.**

**Please provide these figures for (each of) the last 5 years for each dental specialty.**

**Treatment Waiting times (if a patient is accepted onto a hospital dental treatment waiting list how long will they wait from acceptance to commencement of treatment)?**

**Please provide details of the longest waiting times in your trust for each hospital dental specialty.**

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**Please provide these figures for (each of) the last 5 years for each hospital dental specialty.**

**Specialities may include**

- **Oral surgery**
- **Orthodontics**
- **Restorative dentistry**
- **Paediatric dentistry**
- **Oral Medicine specialities**
- **OMFS (including Orthognathic (OGN) and Dentoalveolar (DA) patient waiting times)**

Please see the attached document