



GIG
CYMRU
NHS
WALES

Bwrdd Iechyd Prifysgol
Cwm Taf Morgannwg
University Health Board



Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB_360_25

You asked:

Please find the following FOI requests:

1) How many people are currently on the NHS dentist waiting list in the health board? Please also provide waiting list figures for A) each of the last 12 months B) each of the last 5 years, if available.

There are currently 4141 validated NHS records on the waiting list for CTMUHB as of 5th August 2025. The Dental Access Portal has been live since February 2025, prior to The Dental Access Portal going live, there was a Health Board waiting list that was also held and this was transferred over to the Dental Access Portal when it went live. Some Practices also held their own waiting lists; however, these were not automatically transferred over to the Dental Access Portal due to GDPR.

Based on the information held within The Dental Access Portal, the longest waiters have been registered since 2023, broken down as follows;

- 15 patients waiting since 2023 (excluding U16's)
- 404 patients waiting since 2024 (excluding U16's)
- 3722 patients waiting since 2025 (excluding U16's)

2) How many people under 16 are currently on the NHS dentist waiting list in the health board? Please also provide waiting list figures for A) each of the last 12 months B) each of the last 5 years, if available.

There are 232 patients under the age of 16 that are currently on the Health Boards waiting list for an NHS Dentist. The Dental Access Portal has been live since February 2025, prior to The Dental Access Portal going live, there was a Health Board waiting list that was also held and this was transferred over to the Dental Access Portal when it went live. Some Practices also held their own waiting lists; however, these were not automatically transferred over to the Dental Access Portal due to GDPR.

Based on the information held within The Dental Access Portal, the longest waiters have been registered since 2024, broken down as follows;

- 22 patients waiting since 2024 (U16's)
- 210 patients waiting since 2025 (U16's)