



Freedom of Information Request: Our Reference CTMUHB_378_25

You asked:

I would like to request, under the Freedom Of Information Act 2000, the following information concerning the Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board from you:

1. The number of people currently on the waiting list for a hip replacement in the Cwm Taf Morgannwg University Health Board.

2025-07-31 534

Please note:

- Position is calculated at census point 31st July.
- Total is calculated using the "Clinical Condition Description" which is not a mandatory field.

2. The number of people marked as urgent.

Census point used is 31st July 2025. Total Hip replacements marked has urgent.

2025-07-31 268

3. The total number of hip replacements that were performed in 2023, 2024 and to date for 2025.

Count of Procedures	Calendar Year
234	2023
369	2024
74	2025

Please note:

- Where data is reliant on clinical coding, there is a delay – therefore data may be incomplete.
- Patient may belong to another Health Board area.
- Patients admitted within the date period.

4. How many referrals were made to a private hospital for hip replacements in 2023, 2024 to date for 2025.

We do not refer patients to private hospitals. However, we have had contractual agreements where patients are sent to a private hospital, if the medical criteria for particular conditions are met, in order to reduce our waiting lists. Although, this is patient choice to accept not a hospital referral.

5. What is the longest waiting time, the shortest waiting time and current average waiting time for people on the hip replacement waiting list over the past 3 years.

Please note that the time period used for these time frames is 1st July 2022 – 31th July 2025.

	Total in Weeks
Longest Waiting Time	170
Shortest Waiting Time	0
Average Wait	61.47

6. How many people are currently over the average waiting time.

At Census Point 31st July 2025 - 276 people were waiting over the average time.