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You asked

- 1. Please state the median waiting time (Consult-led Referral to Treatment) at the Trust for the following procedures in:**

A) 2015/16:

- Knee arthroscopy**
- Knee replacement surgery**
- Hip arthroscopy**
- Hip replacement surgery**
- Cataract surgery**

B) 2016/17:

- Knee arthroscopy**
- Knee replacement surgery**
- Hip arthroscopy**
- Hip replacement surgery**
- Cataract surgery**

- 2. Please state the longest time a patient waited for each of the following procedures in:**

A) 2015/16

- Knee arthroscopy**
- Knee replacement surgery**
- Hip arthroscopy**
- Hip replacement surgery**
- Cataract surgery**

B) 2016/17

- Knee arthroscopy**
- Knee replacement surgery**
- Hip arthroscopy**

- Hip replacement surgery
- Cataract surgery

(If providing the longest wait time would include statistical errors, please provide the 99th percentile):

Our response

Please find attached a table giving you median wait / longest wait for the surgery cohorts asked for below. We have included the total activity for each procedure for context.

Please note that some patients that waited longer than 18 weeks for their surgery may have either chosen to wait longer or turned down earlier surgery dates due to health problems, other reasons etc.

Median Wait

Surgery Type	FY 1516	FY 1617
Knee Arthroscopy Median RTT Weeks LOW	15	16
Knee Arthroscopy Activity	446	336
Knee Replacements Median RTT Weeks LOW	29	20
Knee Replacements Activity	315	360
Hip Arthroscopy Median RTT Weeks LOW	16	16
Hip Arthroscopy Activity	340	244
Hip Replacements Median RTT Weeks LOW	25	19
Hip Replacements Activity	338	391
Cataract Surgery Median RTT Weeks LOW	14	13
Cataract Surgery Activity	2691	2696

Longest wait

Surgery Type	FY 1516	FY 1617
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Knee Arthroscopy Longest RTT Weeks LOW	51	44
Knee Replacements Longest RTT Weeks LOW	62	51
Hip Arthroscopy Longest RTT Weeks LOW	51	44
Hip Replacements Longest RTT Weeks LOW	51	53
Cataract Surgery Longest RTT Weeks LOW	43	46

Attachments included: No