

Freedom of Information request 016132

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I am writing to request the following information on **routine (i.e. not urgent two-week wait) referrals to secondary care** under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

*Please note, information is for routine GP referrals received via ERS. Cardiology figures do not include Open Access ECGs

1. How many routine GP referrals were made to the department between January and December 2019?

Cardiology	Gynaecology	Neurology
5127	2826	1659

2. How many of these referrals between January and December 2019 were:
 - a) Not accepted by the department
 - b) Accepted but the patient was later discharged without having had an appointment (eg, due to clinical reasons, DNAs, failed to respond – NB, no need to specify reasons)

Cardiology	Gynaecology	Neurology
a) 353	a) 5	a) 276
b) 180	b) 191	b) 66

3. How many routine GP referrals were made to the department between January and December 2021?

Cardiology	Gynaecology	Neurology
4299	3379	1579

4. How many of these referrals between January and December 2021 were:
 - a) Not accepted by the department
 - b) Accepted but the patient was later discharged without having had an appointment (eg, due to clinical reasons, DNAs, failed to respond – NB, no need to specify reasons)

Cardiology	Gynaecology	Neurology
a) 402	a) 286	a) 192
b) 333	b) 163	b) 118

5. How many appointments were delivered face to face in the following departments in 2021?

Cardiology	Gynaecology	Neurology
6910	12181	3194

6. How many appointments were delivered remotely in the following departments in 2021?

Cardiology	Gynaecology	Neurology
1211	3590	2667