



## Freedom of Information Request Hydrotherapy Provision in United Kingdom

1. On behalf of which NHS Health Board are you responding?

NHS Shetland

2. Are all of the hydrotherapy pools within your health board's estate currently operational?

YES

NO

Where are the operational hydrotherapy pools located?

If NO where are the non-operational hydrotherapy pools located?

If NO why is this the case?

No hydrotherapy pool available within NHS Shetland estate. Hydrotherapy pool available in 3<sup>rd</sup> sector

3. If the non-operational hydrotherapy pools are not scheduled to reopen, has a full public consultation taken place?

Yes

No

N/A

If NO why is this the case?

4. If the non-operational hydrotherapy pools are not scheduled to reopen has an equality impact assessment taken place?

- Yes
- No
- N/A

If NO why is this the case?

5. Is there a lead aquatic physiotherapist responsible for rehab activities across all of your health boards hydrotherapy pools?

- Yes
- No

If NO why is this the case? No hydrotherapy service

6. Are your hydrotherapy pools used by inpatient or outpatient services?

- Inpatients
- Outpatients

If NO for either why is this the case? No hydrotherapy service

7. Below are a list of specialities that commonly provide access to hydrotherapy for their patients. Which of these specialties use your hydrotherapy pools? Tick all that apply.

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|-----------------------|------------------------------|--|
| Rheumatology          | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |
| MSK                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |
| Orthopaedics          | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |
| Neurology             | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |
| Paediatrics           | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |
| Learning Disabilities | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |

Other (please specify) No hydrotherapy service

If NO for any specialty listed above why is this the case? NO hydrotherapy service

8. Do you provide out of hours access to your hydrotherapy pools to third sector patient groups or private groups?

- YES
- NO

If NO why is this the case? NO hydrotherapy pool

9. Do you currently audit the use and effectiveness of hydrotherapy?

- Yes
- No

If YES please list any outcome measures used

If NO why is this the case? No hydrotherapy service

10. If you are happy to be contacted for further information to support hydrotherapy services remobilise and improve please provide an email address below.

Thank you