

**NHS Shetland Waiting Times - Consultant Led Services & Physiological Measurement.**

Report Period: 1 Jul 2025 to 30 Sep 2025.

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*In the tables below, where the values for Total Seen or Total Waiting in any row are between 1 and 5, this information replaced with a "-" to avoid the potential for identification of individuals.*

**1 - New Outpatients**

Service	New outpatients seen between 1 Jul 2025 and 30 Sep 2025		New outpatients waiting as of 30 Sep 2025	
	Total Seen	Average Weeks Wait	Total Waiting	Average Weeks Waiting
Audiometry - Routine	0	NA	741	88.8
Audiometry - Urgent	0	NA	20	84.6
Clinical Genetics - Routine	0	NA	-	4.1
Dermatology - Routine	48	27.9	192	29.4
Dermatology - Urgent	10	7.7	14	6.0
Ear, Nose & Throat - Routine	48	41.8	215	24.4
Ear, Nose & Throat - Urgent	28	3.1	8	2.7
Endocrinology - Routine	10	9.5	16	7.9
Endocrinology - Urgent	-	4.2	0	NA
Fertility - Routine	0	NA	-	9.5
General Medicine - Routine	81	5.8	73	5.1
General Medicine - Urgent	30	2.3	6	3.3
General Surgery - Fracture - Routine	65	1.6	6	1.1
General Surgery - Routine	329	8.2	256	7.8
General Surgery - Urgent	124	2.0	21	1.5
General Surgery (excl Vascular, Maxillofacial) - Routine	0	NA	-	0.1
Gynaecology - Routine	60	20.2	117	12.7
Gynaecology - Urgent	38	2.5	10	2.6
Nephrology - Routine	6	13.7	-	1.2
Nephrology - Urgent	-	6.9	0	NA
Ophthalmology - Routine	34	20.2	188	24.4
Ophthalmology - Urgent	-	4.7	13	7.2
Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery - Routine	31	50.4	106	35.8
Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery - Urgent	9	7.0	-	9.4
Orthodontics - Routine	0	NA	-	1.7
Orthopaedics - Routine	56	11.5	84	12.4
Orthopaedics - Urgent	-	3.9	-	6.3
Paediatric Surgery - Routine	-	8.9	-	16.1
Paediatrics - Routine	51	19.9	70	10.4
Paediatrics - Urgent	-	0.9	-	8.7
Pain Management - Routine	26	10.4	25	4.6
Pain Management - Urgent	-	4.4	-	3.0
Physiological Measurement - 24 Hour Holter - Routine	-	0.9	102	16.7
Physiological Measurement - 24 Hour Holter - Urgent	12	3.8	8	5.0
Physiological Measurement - 48 Hour Holter - Routine	-	9.9	35	17.4
Physiological Measurement - 48 Hour Holter - Urgent	10	3.1	8	5.2
Physiological Measurement - 7 Day Holter - Routine	-	7.1	34	20.3
Physiological Measurement - 7 Day Holter - Urgent	15	3.0	17	4.7
Physiological Measurement - 72 Hour Holter - Routine	-	9.0	16	22.9
Physiological Measurement - 72 Hour Holter - Urgent	9	4.0	-	0.7
Physiological Measurement - Ambulatory BP - Routine	-	1.7	-	10.8
Physiological Measurement - Ambulatory BP - Urgent	-	1.9	-	2.4
Physiological Measurement - Bubbles Echo - Routine	-	6.1	0	NA
Physiological Measurement - Contrast Echo - Urgent	0	NA	-	1.7
Physiological Measurement - ECG - Routine	0	NA	7	15.2
Physiological Measurement - Echo - Routine	48	8.5	189	14.3
Physiological Measurement - Echo - Urgent	98	3.3	17	3.2
Physiological Measurement - Exercise Test - Routine	0	NA	7	19.3
Physiological Measurement - Exercise Test - Urgent	-	4.1	0	NA
Physiological Measurement - Pacemaker Check - Routine	-	1.4	-	10.1
Physiological Measurement - Pacemaker Check - Urgent	-	0.4	0	NA
Physiological Measurement - RACPC - Routine	10	16.8	9	19.7
Physiological Measurement - RACPC - Urgent	25	7.3	8	7.1
Public Health Medicine Health Improvement - Routine	0	NA	60	20.3
Respiratory Medicine - Routine	25	2.4	18	2.9
Respiratory Medicine - Urgent	-	1.3	0	NA
Rheumatology - Routine	31	10.0	48	10.0
Rheumatology - Urgent	11	5.3	-	5.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>1422</b>	<b>10.3</b>	<b>2800</b>	<b>36.3</b>

## 2 - Inpatient and Day-case Treatments

Service	Patients seen for inpatient/day-case		Patients waiting for inpatient/day-case	
	Total Seen	Average Weeks Wait	Total Waiting	Average Weeks Waiting
Anaesthetics - Routine	-	0.3	0	NA
Ear, Nose & Throat - Routine	23	18.8	30	23.7
Ear, Nose & Throat - Urgent	-	4.1	-	11.5
General Medicine - Routine	30	3.6	9	10.8
General Medicine - Urgent	-	7.0	0	NA
General Surgery - Routine	78	10.0	95	10.1
General Surgery - Urgent	10	3.3	-	13.4
Gynaecology - Routine	12	13.1	32	12.9
Gynaecology - Urgent	14	3.0	8	4.1
Nephrology - Routine	-	1.3	0	NA
Ophthalmology - Routine	54	33.6	82	26.9
Ophthalmology - Urgent	-	17.9	-	65.0
Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery - Routine	11	21.2	49	37.6
Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery - Urgent	-	52.0	6	38.1
Oral Surgery - Routine	6	23.2	27	18.6
Oral Surgery - Urgent	-	5.6	-	22.9
Orthopaedics - Routine	-	16.1	-	41.4
Paediatric Surgery - Routine	0	NA	-	2.0
Pain Management - Routine	39	10.5	33	4.9
Pain Management - Urgent	0	NA	-	4.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>14.8</b>	<b>386</b>	<b>19.3</b>

## 3 - Diagnostic Endoscopy:

Main Procedure	Patients seen for diagnostic endoscopy		Patients waiting for diagnostic	
	Total Seen	Average Weeks Wait	Total Waiting	Average Weeks Waiting
Colonoscopy - Bowel Screening	18	3.4	-	2.0
Colonoscopy - Routine	19	5.2	13	3.5
Colonoscopy - Urgent	29	3.7	8	3.6
Cystoscopy - Routine	14	2.7	-	17.7
Cystoscopy - Urgent	16	2.5	-	1.0
Other - Routine	6	4.3	6	0.1
Other - Urgent	-	1.5	-	0.1
Sigmoidoscopy - Routine	8	8.3	-	5.1
Sigmoidoscopy - Urgent	-	2.4	-	2.9
Upper Endoscopy - Routine	30	4.9	10	3.3
Upper Endoscopy - Urgent	29	3.1	14	1.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>3.1</b>