

Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002

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Question/s to be Answered

I would like to ask the following questions.

1. In your health board, how many NHS hearing aid repair support appointments there has been in each year since 1999.

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022 to end March
HA REPAIR appointments	580	583	649	750	735	599	478	489	425	416	138

Note: data not held prior to 2012

2. What the average waiting time for an appointment has been in each year since 1999.

Waiting list data is held at specialty level (not by specific appointment type) so we are unable to provide this for hearing aid repair support appointments. If you would like data for all of NHS Shetland Audiology please come back to us.

3. What is the longest waiting time for an appointment has been in each year since 1999.

See the response to question 2.