

National comparison of DHBs for August, 2009

DHB Name	1. DHB services that appropriately acknowledge and process all patient referrals within ten working days.			2. Patients waiting longer than six months for their first specialist assessment (FSA).			3. Patients waiting without a commitment to treatment whose priorities are higher than the actual treatment threshold (aTT).			4. Clarity of treatment status.			5. Patients given a commitment to treatment but not treated within six months.			6. Patients in active review who have not received a clinical assessment within the last six months.			7. Patients who have not been managed according to their assigned status and who should have received treatment.			8. The proportion of patients treated who were prioritised using nationally recognised processes or tools.		
	Level	Status %	Imp. Req.	Level	Status %	Imp. Req.	Level	Status %	Imp. Req.	Level	Status %	Imp. Req.	Level	Status %	Imp. Req.	Level	Status %	Imp. Req.	Level	Status %	Imp. Req.	Level	Status %	Imp. Req.
Auckland	27 of 27	100	0	587	1	0	22	0	0	0	0	0	339	2	0	1	0	0	216	1	0	1501	96	0 %
Bay of Plenty	21 of 21	100	0	167	1	0	62	1	0	0	0	0	276	3	0	1	0	0	247	3	0	678	100	0 %
Canterbury	27 of 27	100	0	441	1	0	63	0	0	0	0	0	280	2	0	9	0	0	180	1	0	1204	100	0 %
Capital and Coast	23 of 23	100	0	217	1	0	76	1	0	0	0	0	266	3	0	103	10	0	161	2	0	673	100	0 %
Counties Manukau	19 of 19	100	0	28	0	0	88	1	0	0	0	0	212	2	0	0	0	0	211	2	0	1150	100	0 %
Hawkes Bay	0 of 17	0	17	212	1	0	60	1	0	0	0	0	263	4	0	0	0	0	128	3	0	345	99	0 %
Hutt Valley	15 of 15	100	0	47	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	123	3	0	0	0	0	67	1	0	395	100	0 %
Lakes	16 of 16	100	0	197	2	0	23	1	0	0	0	0	180	5	0	4	0	0	146	4	0	306	100	0 %
MidCentral	23 of 23	100	0	230	1	0	36	1	0	0	0	0	151	3	0	7	0	0	117	2	0	413	100	0 %
Nelson Marlborough	21 of 21	100	0	347	2	0	90	2	0	0	0	0	180	3	0	38	9	0	149	3	0	445	98	0 %
Northland	13 of 13	100	0	53	0	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	96	2	0	6	0	0	55	1	0	350	100	0 %
Otago	0 of 0	X	0	0	X	0	155	3	0	0	0	0	219	4	0	57	12	0	156	3	0	356	100	0 %
South Canterbury	14 of 14	100	0	30	0	0	25	1	0	0	0	0	80	3	0	0	0	0	68	2	0	247	100	0 %
Southland	26 of 26	100	0	140	1	0	104	3	0	0	0	0	99	2	0	5	0	0	83	2	0	331	100	0 %
Tairāwhiti	17 of 17	100	0	54	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36	2	0	0	X	0	21	1	0	173	100	0 %
Taranaki	21 of 21	100	0	60	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	52	1	0	4	0	0	38	1	0	286	100	0 %
Waikato	26 of 26	100	0	241	1	0	32	0	0	0	0	0	459	3	0	14	8	0	344	2	0	1353	99	0 %
Wairarapa	14 of 14	100	0	52	1	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	28	2	0	2	0	0	22	1	0	96	100	0 %
Waitemata	19 of 19	100	0	311	1	0	435	6	-59	0	0	0	138	2	0	35	5	0	122	2	0	756	99	0 %
West Coast	17 of 18	94	1	13	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	32	2	0	0	0	0	31	2	0	141	100	0 %
Whanganui	12 of 12	100	0	34	1	0	16	1	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	2	0	0	4	0	0	203	100	0 %
<b>Total</b>				<b>3,461</b>			<b>1,315</b>			<b>0</b>			<b>3,519</b>			<b>288</b>			<b>2,566</b>			<b>11402</b>		

This report displays overall ESPI results for each DHB. The ESPI results do not include non-elective patients or elective patients awaiting planned and staged procedures. ESPIs 3, 7 and 8 assess surgical specialties where patients are prioritised using nationally recognised tools - including General Surgery from 01 January 08 and Vascular and Urology from 01 July 08. So, Medical specialties are currently excluded from the ESPI results. Please contact the Ministry of Health's Electives Team if you have any queries on the ESPI definitions (details on electives website). NZHIS's Analytical Services Team can assist with providing variations of this information e.g data for a particular DHB or period (details on the NZHIS website - <http://www.nzhis.govt.nz/>).