

FOI REF: 25/299a

6th June 2025

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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT

I am responding to your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act. The answers to your specific questions are as follows:

For each of your type one A&E departments, please provide the following site-level data on type 1 A&E performance:

1) Four hours A&E performance % (overall).

[Please see attached document - FOI 25-299 A&E Performance.](#)

2) Four hours A&E performance % for admitted patients only.

[Please see attached document - FOI 25-299 A&E Performance.](#)

3) Numbers of 12 hour waits from time of arrival to admission.

- Please provide this data by quarter from the start of 2023/24, up to the end of quarter four of 2024/25, using the spreadsheet template provided. Request you to please fill in the details in the attached Excel document.
- To reiterate, I am looking for site level data for each of your type 1 emergency departments, NOT trust level data.

[Clarification was sought with regard to whether you mean 'numbers of waits \(stays\) more than 12 hrs in A&E from arrival to admission/discharge/transfer ' and confirmation was received that you require time of arrival to admission and NOT from a decision to admit.](#)

[Please see attached document - FOI 25-299 A&E Performance.](#)

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Further to our response of 15th May 2025, we subsequently received the following request from yourself and our reply is detailed below:

However, regarding the following ask below-

Numbers of 12 hour waits from time of arrival to admission

We will be requiring the data in percentage (%) as mentioned in the excel.

Could you please send the updated response.

Please find attached our amended response – ‘FOI 25-299 A&E Performance v2’, providing the %, as requested.

Please note the percentage has been worked out as follows:

The Total 12 hours or over 12 hours in A&E Type 1 for admitted patients, of the Total A&E Type 1 for admitted patients.

If I can be of any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Should you be dissatisfied with the Trust’s response to your request, you have the right to request an internal review. Please write to the Freedom of Information Department (esh-tr.foi@nhs.net), quoting the above reference, within 40 working days. The Trust is not obliged to accept an internal review after this date.

Should you still be dissatisfied with your FOI request, you have the right of complaint to the Information Commissioner at the following address:

The Information Commissioner’s Office
Wycliffe House
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Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Department
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FOI 25/299 - East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust
Q1

| Code | Provider Name | Type 1 A&E | 2023-24 | | | | 2024-25 | | | | | 2023-24 | 2024-25 |
|------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| | | | q1 | q2 | q3 | q4 | q1 | q2 | q3 | q4 | | | |
| | | | Percent age in 4 hours or less (type 1) | Percent age in 4 hours or less (type 1) | Percent age in 4 hours or less (type 1) | Percent age in 4 hours or less (type 1) | Percent age in 4 hours or less (type 1) | Percent age in 4 hours or less (type 1) | Percent age in 4 hours or less (type 1) | Percent age in 4 hours or less (type 1) | | Percent age in 4 hours or less (type 1) | Percent age in 4 hours or less (type 1) |
| RXC | East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust | Eastbourne District General Hospital | 67.84% | 65.22% | 61.55% | 65.94% | 67.51% | 67.68% | 60.05% | 58.56% | | 65.14% | 63.59% |
| RXC | East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust | Conquest Hospital | 63.19% | 67.24% | 58.98% | 66.28% | 75.19% | 71.29% | 60.04% | 61.77% | | 63.94% | 67.17% |

Q2

| | | | 2023-24 | | | | 2024-25 | | | | 2023-24 | 2024-25 | |
|------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--------|--|--|--------|
| | | | q1 | q2 | q3 | q4 | q1 | q2 | q3 | q4 | | | |
| | | | Percent age in 4 hours or less (type 1) | Percent age in 4 hours or less (type 1) | Percent age in 4 hours or less (type 1) | Percent age in 4 hours or less (type 1) | Percent age in 4 hours or less (type 1) | Percent age in 4 hours or less (type 1) | Percent age in 4 hours or less (type 1) | | Percent age in 4 hours or less (type 1) | Percent age in 4 hours or less (type 1) | |
| Code | Provider Name | Type 1 A&E | | | | | | | | | | | |
| RXC | East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust | Eastbourne District G | 52.52% | 50.35% | 40.69% | 40.45% | 32.62% | 33.55% | 29.30% | 28.45% | | 45.99% | 30.95% |
| RXC | East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust | Conquest Hospital | 47.28% | 51.26% | 37.43% | 43.46% | 49.02% | 42.03% | 33.07% | 33.30% | | 44.84% | 39.39% |

| Q3 | | | 2023-24 | | | | 2024-25 | | | | | |
|------|----------------------------------|----------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| | | | q1 | q2 | q3 | q4 | q1 | q2 | q3 | q4 | | |
| | | | A&E Attenda nces 12hr | A&E Attenda nces 12hr | A&E Attenda nces 12hr | A&E Attenda nces 12hr | A&E Attenda nces 12hr | A&E Attenda nces 12hr | A&E Attenda nces 12hr | A&E Attenda nces 12hr | A&E Attenda nces 12hr | A&E Attenda nces 12hr |
| Code | Provider Name | Type 1 A&E | | | | | | | | | | |
| RXC | East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust | Eastbourne Dis | 7.54% | 10.33% | 16.28% | 20.80% | 30.51% | 35.63% | 42.92% | 45.84% | | 13.73% |
| RXC | East Sussex Healthcare NHS Trust | Conquest Hosp | 8.85% | 6.01% | 17.86% | 18.87% | 13.77% | 20.26% | 23.72% | 28.15% | | 21.41% |

Note:
 Percentage: (Total 12 hrs or over 12 hrs in A&E Type 1 for admitted patients)of (Total A&E Type 1 for admitted patients)