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### **Freedom of Information request**

Firstly, please accept our apologies for the delay in providing you with a response.

Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, which was received by the Trust on 16/03/2022. Please see responses to your requests below.

**I would like more information than is currently being published under the Consultant-led Referral to Treatment Waiting Times data publication.**

- 1. At the end of January 2022, how many patients were waiting more than 156 weeks to start treatment (incomplete pathways) after being referred?**

There were 0 patients.

- 2. At the end of January 2022, how many patients were waiting more than 208 weeks to start treatment after being referred?**

There were 0 patients.

- 3. At end of January 2022, what was the longest period of time (in weeks) that a patient was waiting to start treatment after being referred?**

The longest wait was 105 weeks.

- 4. By which department was the patient in question (3) waiting to be seen?**

The department was ENT.

Please accept this letter as completion of your request. Please note that copies of this request will be held on file for three years before being confidentially destroyed.

If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of your request, please contact our Head of Information Governance on [Information.Governance@porthosp.nhs.uk](mailto:Information.Governance@porthosp.nhs.uk) or write to the above address and we will conduct an internal review. Upon review, if you are still dissatisfied, you may appeal our decision by contacting the Information Commissioner's Office; for more information, please visit the [ICO's website](#).

Please be aware, if we do not receive an appeal within 30 days of you receiving this letter, we will assume that you are satisfied with our response. If you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

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