

May 12, 2022

Kristen Schulz
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Dear Kristen Schulz:

RE: Access to Information Request – HE06-23G

Thank you for your Access to Information Request received in this office on May 4, 2022, pursuant to *The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (the Act) requesting:

Please provide the most recent data on the number of patients in the province (or best estimate) who are:

- ***Currently on a waiting list or waiting to be placed on a waiting list for surgery or a procedure***
- ***Currently on a waiting list or waiting to be placed on a waiting list for a diagnostic scan***
- ***Currently on a waiting list or waiting to be placed on a waiting list for an appointment with a specialist***

Please be sure to note the date the data was compiled.

Our office would like to advise you that some of the information you wish access to will be published within 90 days. The most recently available waiting list information for surgery and diagnostic imaging is scheduled to be published by the end of May 2022 at the following website locations:

<https://www.saskatchewan.ca/residents/health/accessing-health-care-services/surgery/surgical-performance-and-wait-times>

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<https://www.saskatchewan.ca/residents/health/accessing-health-care-services/medical-imaging/medical-imaging-wait-times>

We do not have information related to wait lists for specialists.

This notification has been provided in accordance with section 7(2)(c) of the Act.

Should you be dissatisfied with the response you receive or the manner in which your request is handled, as per section 49 of the Act you may, within one year of being given written notice or from the date deemed to be the last day of notice, apply for a formal process review by submitting a written request to:

Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner
503, 1801 Hamilton Street
REGINA SK S4P 4B4

If you have any questions regarding this file, please contact Shari Nichols, at 306-798-5114, or by email at shari.nichols@health.gov.sk.ca

Please cite the assigned Ministry of Health identifier number **HE06-23G** when making an enquiry.

Yours truly,



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Director, Health Information and Privacy
Chief Privacy Officer

cc: Shari Nichols, Policy Analyst