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Final Response

ATIPPA File #: EH-019-2022-045 and EH-120-2022-045

December 23, 2022



Dear Kristen Schulz:

Re: Your request under Part II of the **Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act, 2015**

On December 7, 2022 Eastern Health received your request for access to the following records/information:

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.

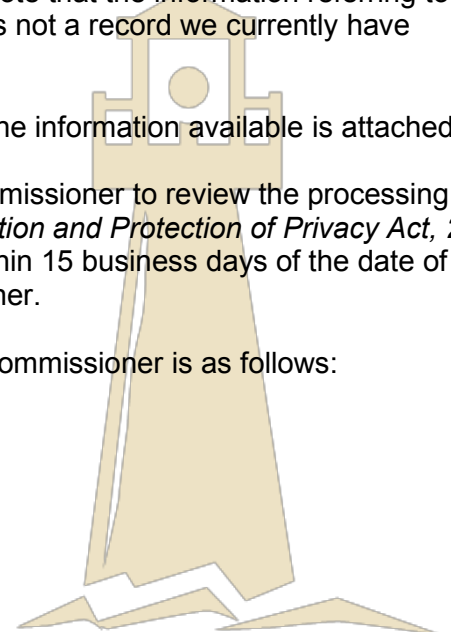
I am pleased to inform you that a decision has been made by Eastern Health to provide access to the information that is available and responsive to your request. Please note that the information referring to waiting lists or waiting to be placed on a waiting list for all specialists is not a record we currently have available.

In accordance with your request for the data, a document containing the information available is attached.

Please be advised that you may ask the Information and Privacy Commissioner to review the processing of your access request, as set out in section 42 of the *Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act, 2015* (the Act). A request to the Commissioner must be made in writing within 15 business days of the date of this letter or within a longer period that may be allowed by the Commissioner.

The address and contact information of the Information and Privacy Commissioner is as follows:

Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner
2 Canada Drive
P. O. Box 13004, Stn. A
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You may also appeal directly to the Supreme Court within 15 business days after you receive the decision of the public body, pursuant to section 52 of the Act.

If you have any further questions, please contact me by email at ATIPPA.EH@easternhealth.ca.

Sincerely,

Lisa Badcock

Lisa Badcock
Manager of Privacy
Interim ATIPPA Coordinator
Eastern Health

Cardiac Surgery Waitlist Data Dec 22/22

Cardiac Surgery (Outpatients)	Count
CABG	64
CABG + Other	15
Valve	42
Other	5
Total Outpatients	126

Cardiac Surgery (Inpatients)	Count
CABG	12
CABG + Valve	1
Total Inpatients	13

Patient Type (Cardiac Surgery)	Count
Outpatient Waitlist	126
Inpatient Waitlist	13
Total Cardiac Surgery Waitlist	139

Cardiac Cath Lab Procedure (Outpatients)	Count
Coronary Angiogram	571
Electrophysiology Studies	184
ICD/PPM	62
Cardioversion	28
PCI	28
Cardiac Biopsy	3
Aortic Transcatheter Valve Replacement	8
PFO Closure	3
ASD Closure	1

Total Outpatient Procedures 888

Cardiac Cath Lab Procedure (Inpatients)	Count
Coronary Angiogram	41
ICD/PPM	5
PCI	1

Total Inpatient Procedures 47

Patient Type (Cardiac Cath Lab)	Count
Outpatient Waitlist	*888
Inpatient Waitlist	47

Total Cardiac Cath Lab Procedure Waitlist 935

*Patients reflected on the waitlist may have more than one procedure scheduled (i.e., TE

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Ith - Cardiac & Critical Care Program - 19/12/2022

	Actively Waiting by Priority							Total Active Status Waiting	Total Inactive Status Waiting	Total
	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	Other			
DENTAL /ORAL SURGERY		1	31	27	46	116		221	3	224
GENERAL SURGERY		21	178	512	373	211	1	1296	43	1339
GYNE ONCOLOGY		4	6	4	1			15	0	15
HEAD AND NECK SURGERY		23	68	376	88	44		599	234	833
NEUROSURGERY	2	11	88	46	4			151	1	152
OPHTHALOMOLOGY		2	5	49	2274	10	2	2342	19	2361
ORTHOPEDIC SURGERY	4	14	83	836	1577	12	1	2527	135	2662
PLASTIC SURGERY	6	16	43	162	163	51		441	29	470
THORACIC SURGERY		2	1	6				9	1	10
UROLOGY SURGERY	2	60	140	116	112	64		494	14	508
VASCULAR SURGERY	8	7	30	8	12			65	0	65
Total Waiting for Surgery (City only) as of Dec 1 2022	22	161	673	2142	4650	508	4	8160	479	8639

Request/Objectives	To determine the number of patients currently on a waiting list or waiting to be placed on a waiting list for a diagnostic scan
Time Frame	As of December 02, 2022
Data Source	Meditech, booking systems
Inclusion	All patients who are currently on the booked for select exams or waiting to be booked for a diagnostic scan within the Eastern Health Region
Exclusion	Diagnostic scans outside of the Eastern Health

St-John's Hospitals			
	Patient Booked	Patients waiting to be booked	Total
CT	1709	3458	5167
Fluoro	299	25	324
Mammography	673	358	1031
Ultrasound	3615	5061	8676
MRI	1105	4317	5422
Total - St-Johns Hospitals	7401	13219	20620
Health Science Centre Nuclear Molecular Medicine			
	Patient Booked	Patients waiting to be booked	Total
Nuclear Medicine	803	6	809
Nuclear Medicine Cardiology	101	0	101
Bone Density	3014	0	3014
PET	176	25	201
Total - HSC Nuclear Molecular Med	4094	31	4125
Burin			
	Patient Booked	Patients waiting to be booked	Total
CT	84	39	123
Fluoro	10	0	10
Ultrasound including Echo	399	229	628
Mammography	216	0	216
Bone Mineral density	64	0	64
X-ray	56	0	56
Total - Burin	829	268	1097
Carbonear			
	Patient Booked	Patients waiting to be booked	Total
CT	630	139	769
Fluoro	0	59	59
Ultrasound including Echo	2284	281	2565
XRAY	66	20	86
Mammography	3741	203	3944
Bone Mineral density	78	202	280
Total - Carbonear	6799	904	7703

Clareville			
	Patient Booked	Patients waiting to be booked	Total
CT	181	322	503
Fluoro	14	0	14
Ultrasound including Echo	493	1952	2445
XRAY	96	0	96
Mammography	290	385	675
Bone Mineral density	69	10	79
Total - Clareville	1143	2669	3812
EH ALL SITES TOTAL	20266	17091	37357
Eastern Health Medical Imaging Volume			
	Patient Booked	Patients waiting to be booked	Total
ALL CT	2604	3958	6562
ALL Mammography	4920	946	5866
ALL Ultrasound	6791	7523	14314
ALL MRI	1105	4317	5422
ALL PET	176	25	201
ALL Fluoro	323	84	407
ALL Xray	218	20	238
ALL Bone Mineral Density	3225	212	3437
ALL Nuclear Medicine	803	6	809
ALL Nuclear Medicine Cardiology	101	0	101
EH ALL MODALITY TOTAL	20266	17091	37357