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Dear Mr Waller

I write in reference to your freedom of information request and subsequent clarification e-mail dated 22 April 2022 regarding delayed operations during the Covid-19 pandemic. The question you raised along with its answer can be found below:

Could you please tell me how many planned operations were delayed between March 2020 and April 2022, and provide me with a breakdown of the types of operations? Would it also be possible to find out how many of the delayed operations have since gone ahead? **As per our clarification e-mail to you of 22 April 2022, we can confirm that United Lincolnshire Hospitals NHS Trust does not currently record delayed operations, but as agreed in your response back to us dated 22 April 2022 we are able to provide you with the number of cancelled operations and their types. As such, please find the requested information below:**

Types of Operation	Patients with at Least One Cancellation	Gone on to be Admitted	Gone on to be Admitted Percentage
Breast Surgery	261	206	78.9%
Cardiology	496	294	59.3%
Clinical Haematology	1541	699	45.4%
Clinical Oncology	3115	1493	47.9%
Colorectal Surgery	469	308	65.7%
Dermatology	573	407	71.0%
Endocrinology	38	23	60.5%
ENT	439	302	68.8%
Gastroenterology	1670	1194	71.5%
General Medicine	200	151	75.5%
Gynaecology	626	471	75.2%
Interventional Radiology	349	183	52.4%
Maxillo-Facial Surgery	592	436	73.6%
Medical Oncology	444	192	43.2%
Ophthalmology	1454	1023	70.4%
Oral and Maxillo-Facial Surgery	88	65	73.9%

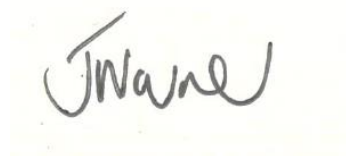
Respiratory Medicine	53	26	49.1%
Rheumatology	73	44	60.3%
Trauma and Orthopaedics	1653	1058	64.0%
Urology	2085	1545	74.1%
Vascular Surgery	241	172	71.4%
Specialties with Under 10 Patients	58	16	27.6%
GRAND TOTAL	19621	12478	63.6%

I trust that this information answers your request; however, if you are unhappy with the service you have received and wish to make a complaint or request a review of our response, you should write to the Chief Executive at the address given above.

If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, their office cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the complaints procedure provided by United Lincolnshire Hospitals NHS Trust.

The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: The Information Commissioners Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely



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