



**Maidstone and
Tunbridge Wells**
NHS Trust

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Freedom of Information Act 2000

I am writing in response to your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 in relation to Cancer - Longest Wait.

You asked: All questions are shown as received by the Trust.

1. *The number of people at your trust currently receiving treatment for cancer?*
2. *The number of people at your trust currently waiting to receive treatment for cancer?*
3. *How long has the person who has waited the longest been waiting?*
4. *The number of people waiting to start cancer treatment, as measured from the date of urgent referral, who have waited longer than:*
 - a. *62 days,*
 - b. *3 months,*
 - c. *4 months*
 - d. *6 months,*
 - e. *12 months.*
5. *The single longest wait to start cancer treatment, as measured from the date of the urgent referral, for each of the last three years?*

Trust response:

Q1. We are unable to answer this question as we would need to assess the multiple treatments that the Trust offers and this would include those on current treatment pathways for their first and subsequent treatments.

Q2. 144

Q3. 165 days

Q4.

a - 42

b - 9

c - 3

d - 0

e - 0

Q5.

01/09/2020 - 31/08/2021 246 days

01/09/2021 - 31/08/2022 218 days

01/09/2022 - 31/08/2023 196 days

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