### NHS Acute Trusts Survey of Emergency Departments 2003

### The Royal Wolverhampton Hospitals NHS Trust

For details on how to interpret these charts and tables, please refer to the document on the patient survey results section of the CHI website. The trusts results are not shown where there are fewer than 30 responses to a question.

#### Access and waiting

How long did you wait for your priority to be assessed?

Were you told your priority level?

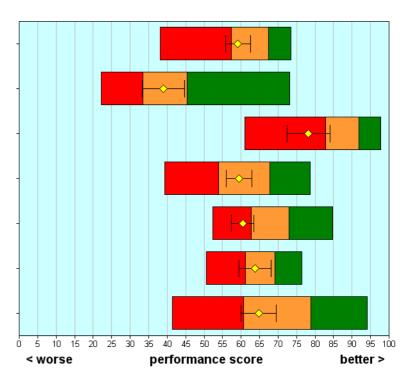
Was the priority system fair?

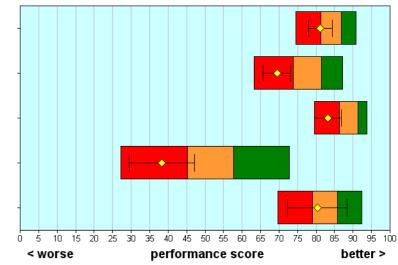
How long did you wait to be examined?

Overall how long were you in the emergency department?

How long did you wait for tests to be carried out?

How long did you wait to get to a room or ward and bed?





Safe, high quality, coordinated care

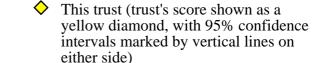
Did you have confidence and trust in the doctors and nurses?

Did doctors and nurses know enough about your condition or treatment?

Did different members of staff give conflicting information?

Were you told about danger signals to watch for after leaving the emergency department?

Were you told who to contact afterwards, if worried about condition/treatment?



Best performing 20% of trusts

Intermediate 60% of trusts

Worst performing 20% of trusts

### Better information, more choice

Did a doctor/nurse explain condition/treatment?

Were you given the right amount of information about your condition/treatment?

Were you involved in decisions about your care and treatment?

Were the results of tests explained?

Were the purposes of medications explained?

Were you informed of medication side effects to watch for?



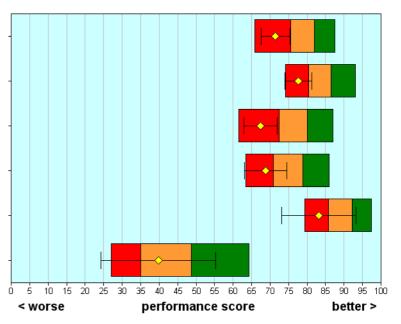
Did you have enough time to discuss your problem with the doctor/nurse?

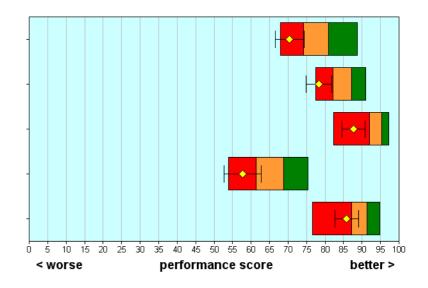
Did doctors/nurses listen to what you had to say?

Were doctors/nurses not telling you things you wanted to know?

Did a doctor or nurse discuss any anxieties you had about your condition/treatment?

Did doctors/nurses talk in front of you as if you weren't there?





#### Best performing 20% of trusts Intermediate 60% of trusts Worst performing 20% of trusts This trust (trust's score shown as a yellow diamond, with 95% confidence intervals marked by vertical lines on either side)

### Clean, comfortable, friendly place to be

Were you told how long you would have to wait to be examined?

Were you given enough privacy when discussing your condition/treatment?

Were you given enough privacy when being examined or treated?

How much of the time were you in pain while in the emergency department?

How long did you wait for pain medicine after requesting it?

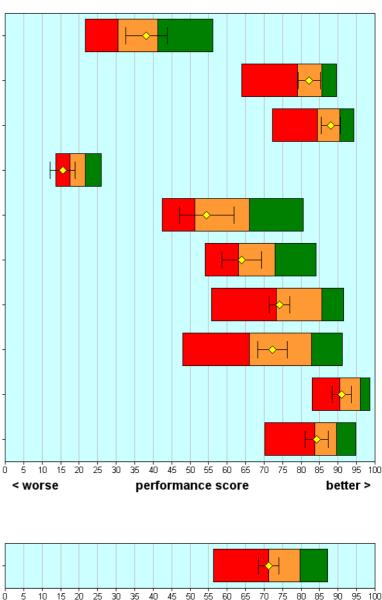
Did hospital staff do everything they could to help control pain?

How clean was the emergency department?

How clean were the toilets in the emergency department?

Did you feel threatened by other patients?

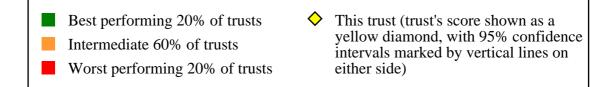
Were you treated with respect and dignity?



performance score

#### **Overall impression**

Overall, how would you rate the care received in the emergency department?



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	ess and waiting	Scores for this NHS Trust	95% Confidence Upper Intervals Lower	Highest score achieved (all Trusts) Threshold score for the best 20% of NHS Trusts	Number of respondents (this Trust)
		50	56 62	67 71	254
B1 B2	How long did you wait for your priority to be assessed?	59 39	56 63 33 45	67 74 45 73	354 316
B2 B3	Were you told your priority level? Was the priority system fair?	59 78	72 84	43 73 92 98	253
в3 В4	How long did you wait to be examined?	78 59	56 63	68 79	255 356
B4 B6	Overall how long were you in the emergency department?	60	50 03 57 63	73 85	333
E2	How long did you wait for tests to be carried out?	64	57 63 59 68	69 76	190
H2	How long did you wait to get to a room or ward and bed?	65	60 69	79 94	189
	e, high quality, coordinated care	00	00 07	17 71	109
C6	Did you have confidence and trust in the doctors and nurses?	81	78 84	87 91	370
C7	Did doctors and nurses know enough about your condition or	69	66 73	81 87	313
	treatment?				
D6	Did different members of staff give conflicting information?	83	80 87	91 94	369
H6	Were you told about danger signals to watch for after leaving the	38	29 47	58 73	93
	emergency department?				
H7	Were you told who to contact afterwards, if worried about	80	72 88	86 92	107
	condition/treatment?				
	ter information, more choice	71	69 75	02 00	252
C2	Did a doctor/nurse explain condition/treatment?	71 79	68 75 74 81	82 88 86 02	353
D3	Were you given the right amount of information about your condition/treatment?	78	/4 81	86 93	362
D7	Were you involved in decisions about your care and treatment?	67	63 72	80 87	316
E3	Were the results of tests explained?	69	63 75	79 86	185
H4	Were the purposes of medications explained?	83	73 93	92 97	39
	Were you informed of medication side effects to watch for?	40	24 55	49 64	34
Building relationships					
C1	Did you have enough time to discuss your problem with the doctor/nurse?	70	66 74	81 89	366
C3	Did doctors/nurses listen to what you had to say?	78	75 82	87 91	368
C4	Were doctors/nurses not telling you things you wanted to know?	88	85 91	95 97	362
C5	Did a doctor or nurse discuss any anxieties you had about your	58	53 63	69 75	269
	condition/treatment?				
C8	Did doctors/nurses talk in front of you as if you weren't there?	86	83 89	91 95	365

		Scores for this NHS Trust	Intervals Lower	95% Confidence Upper	Threshold score for the best 20% of NHS Trusts	Highest score achieved	Number of respondents (this Trust)
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B5	Were you told how long you would have to wait to be examined?	38	33	44	41	56	260
D4	Were you given enough privacy when discussing your condition/treatment?	82	79	85	86	90	372
D5	Were you given enough privacy when being examined or treated?	88	86	91	91	94	371
F2	How much of the time were you in pain while in the emergency department?	16	12	19	22	26	270
F4	How long did you wait for pain medicine after requesting it?	54	47	62	66	81	100
F5	Did hospital staff do everything they could to help control pain?	64	59	69	73	84	243
G1	How clean was the emergency department?	74	71	77	86	91	352
G2	How clean were the toilets in the emergency department?	72	68	76	83	91	210
G3	Did you feel threatened by other patients?	91	88	94	96	99	367
J1	Were you treated with respect and dignity?	84	81	87	90	95	373
Ove	rall impression						
J2	Overall, how would you rate the care received in the emergency department?	71	68	74	80	87	372

#### **Background Information**

The sample	This trust	All trusts
Number of respondents	384	59155
Response rate (percentage)	46	46
Demographic characteristics	This trust	All trusts
Gender (percentage)	(%)	(%)
Male	45	48
Female	55	52
Age group (percentage)	(%)	(%)
Aged 16 - 35	21	28
Aged 36 - 50	18	23
Aged 51 - 65	21	22
Aged 66 or older	40	27
Ethnic group (percentage)	(%)	(%)
White	83	89
Mixed	1	1
Asian or Asian British	5	3
Black or Black British	3	2
Chinese or other ethnic group	0	0
Not known	8	5