NHS Acute Trusts Survey of Emergency Departments 2003

Wirral Hospital 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

This trust (trust's score shown as a yellow diamond, with 95% confidence intervals marked by vertical lines on either side)

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?

Building relationships

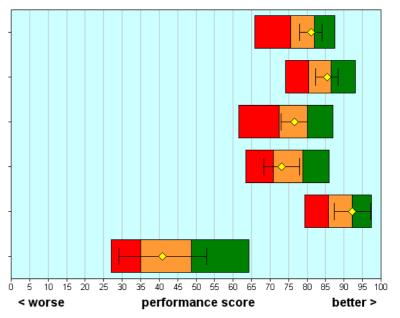
Did you have enough time to discuss your problem with the doctor/nurse?

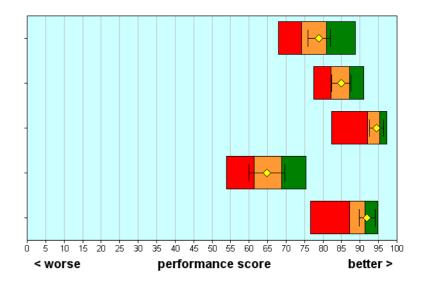
Did doctors/nurses listen to what you had to say?

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?





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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?

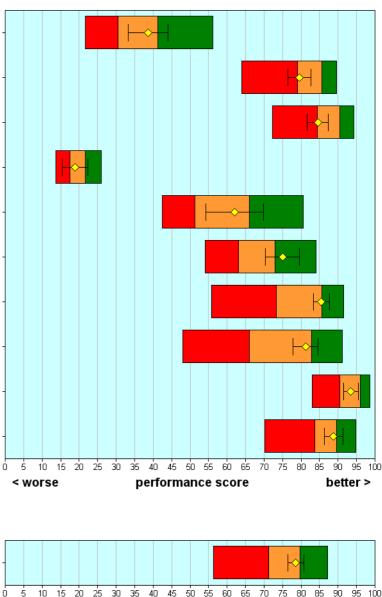
Did hospital staff do everything they could to help control pain?

How clean was the emergency department?

How clean were the toilets in the emergency department?

Did you feel threatened by other patients?

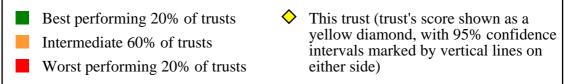
Were you treated with respect and dignity?



performance score

Overall impression

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



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		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)
	ess and waiting		(2, (0,	(7 74	270
B1	How long did you wait for your priority to be assessed?	66	63 68 26 46	67 74	370
B2	Were you told your priority level?	41	36 46	45 73	335
В3 В4	Was the priority system fair?	89 66	85 93 64 69	92 98 68 79	260 375
Б4 Вб	How long did you wait to be examined? Overall how long were you in the emergency department?	00 71	69 73	73 85	363
Б0 Е2		71	69 73 68 74	69 76	231
E2 H2	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?	71	67 76	09 70 79 94	106
	e, high quality, coordinated care	12	07 70	13 94	100
C6	Did you have confidence and trust in the doctors and nurses?	85	82 88	87 91	385
C0 C7	Did doctors and nurses know enough about your condition or	83 80	82 88 77 83	87 91 81 87	385 349
C/	treatment?	00	11 05	01 07	547
D6	Did different members of staff give conflicting information?	90	87 92	91 94	377
H6	Were you told about danger signals to watch for after leaving the	47	39 54	58 73	139
	emergency department?				
H7	Were you told who to contact afterwards, if worried about	86	81 91	86 92	178
	condition/treatment?				
	ter information, more choice				
C2	Did a doctor/nurse explain condition/treatment?	81	78 84	82 88	363
D3	Were you given the right amount of information about your	85	82 88	86 93	372
D7	condition/treatment?	77	72 00	00 07	240
D7 E2	Were you involved in decisions about your care and treatment?	77 72	73 80 68 78	80 87 70 86	348
E3	Were the results of tests explained?	73 92	68 78 87 97	79 86 92 97	224 80
H4	Were the purposes of medications explained? Were you informed of medication side effects to watch for?	92 41	29 53	92 97 49 64	80 58
	ding relationships	41	29 33	49 04	58
C1	Did you have enough time to discuss your problem with the	79	76 82	81 89	381
CI	doctor/nurse?	1)	10 02	01 07	501
C3	Did doctors/nurses listen to what you had to say?	85	82 88	87 91	390
C4	Were doctors/nurses not telling you things you wanted to know?	94	93 96	95 97	380
C5	Did a doctor or nurse discuss any anxieties you had about your	65	60 70	69 75	225
	condition/treatment?				
C8	Did doctors/nurses talk in front of you as if you weren't there?	92	90 94	91 95	381

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Cle	an, comfortable, friendly place to be				
B5	Were you told how long you would have to wait to be examined?	39	33 44	41 56	294
D4	Were you given enough privacy when discussing your condition/treatment?	79	76 83	86 90	384
D5	Were you given enough privacy when being examined or treated?	84	82 87	91 94	379
F2	How much of the time were you in pain while in the emergency department?	19	15 22	22 26	267
F4	How long did you wait for pain medicine after requesting it?	62	54 70	66 81	69
F5	Did hospital staff do everything they could to help control pain?	75	70 80	73 84	227
G1	How clean was the emergency department?	85	83 88	86 91	371
G2	How clean were the toilets in the emergency department?	81	78 85	83 91	194
G3	Did you feel threatened by other patients?	93	91 95	96 99	381
J1	Were you treated with respect and dignity?	89	86 91	90 95	385
Ove	erall impression				
J2	Overall, how would you rate the care received in the emergency department?	79	76 81	80 87	383

Background Information

The sample	This trust	All trusts
Number of respondents	392	59155
Response rate (percentage)	46	46
Demographic characteristics	This trust	All trusts
Gender (percentage)	(%)	(%)
Male	47	48
Female	53	52
Age group (percentage)	(%)	(%)
Aged 16 - 35	25	28
Aged 36 - 50	20	23
Aged 51 - 65	22	22
Aged 66 or older	33	27
Ethnic group (percentage)	(%)	(%)
White	93	89
Mixed	1	1
Asian or Asian British	1	3
Black or Black British	1	2
Chinese or other ethnic group	0	0
Not known	5	5