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Subject: Podiatry service within your NHS Trust:

## REQUEST

1. How many patients were treated by podiatrists in 2024?
2. Once referral is received, what are the current waiting times for patients to have both their first appointments as well as for follow up appointments? Can you please break down waiting times in excess of 6 and 13 weeks for podiatry appointments?
3. How many patients are currently on the Trust's waiting list to receive podiatry related treatment in total?
4. Does your trust have an internal waiting target for the wait time for a first appointment to be made once the patient has been referred, if so, what is it and is the Trust meeting this target?

## RESPONSE

The trust is currently not commissioned to provide this service