

Gender surgery

About

The gender surgery service provides male-to-female gender reassignment surgery.

Commissioned by NHS England, our service draws expertise from specialist nurses, surgeons and our partners at gender identity clinics, and provides the majority of male to female reassignment surgery in England.

Additional information

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Current statistics on gender reassignment surgery at the Imperial College Healthcare NHS Trust, as of the end of December 2015:

- There are 293 people on our waiting list
- 22 people have been approved for their operation and given a date
- 42 people have been approved for their operation and are awaiting a date
- 68 people are 'on hold' as they are not yet fit for surgery
- 161 people are waiting for an initial consultation with the consultant
- three patients left the waiting list without surgery (this includes patients who have been discharged back for not attending their appointments or who no longer wish to proceed with surgery)
- the average waiting time for patients who received treatment was 74.9 weeks
- 51 patients were transferred to a private provider

During December 2015:

- four people had surgery (two procedures were performed by Phil Thomas and two by Tina Rashid)
- 12 pre-operative assessments were carried out
- we received nine new referrals
- 10 Imperial patients were treated by a private provider