Steps undertaken by the NTPF before upload to database

Before uploading the concatenated file there are a number of changes and formatting required to the file. There were also a number of work arounds created and assumptions made around the data to facilitate the pilot project, in particular the identification of potential planned procedures through the use of order priority fields and the calculation of an indicative date. There is no restarting of waiting time clocks in the development of these reports.

- Anonymise file – the removal of all Patient Individual Identifiers (PII's) from the CSV file once received before being concatenated.

- Order Priority – As agreed for the pilot, all blanks within the Order Priority field were converted to Routine

- File Date – A column was added to include the file extraction date based on the file header and name configuration

- Days Since Ordered – A column was added to calculate the Days Since Ordered (NUMDAYS) the formula was File Date – Order Date

- Hospital Group – Column identifying the hospital group was also added before uploading

There are a large number of exclusions from the extract files in the form of the Radiology Waiting List Data Profile as developed by the Planning and Performance, Actute Hospitals Division, HSE , the National NIMIS team and the NTPF.

Extract file – Exclusions = Uploaded Records

Hospital Name	(All)	**Q3 2022**

Count of id	Column Labels							
Row Labels	**0-3 Months**	**3-6 Months**	**6-9 Months**	**9-12 Months**	**12-15 Months**	**15-18 Month**	**18+ Months**	**Grand Total**
CT	25792	11185	6322	4509	2686	1986	8504	60984
MR	21985	11977	7336	5312	4037	2971	13220	66838
US	37115	15890	7408	4755	3297	2139	9223	79827
VUS	3940	2274	1529	1142	822	470	6048	16225
Grand Total	**88832**	**41326**	**22595**	**15718**	**10842**	**7566**	**36995**	**223874**

Summary Data Mater

Modality	0-3 months	3-6 months	6-9 months	9-12 months	12-15 months	15-18 month	18+ months	Grand Total
CT	2,704	1,072	414	260	95	58	100	4,703
MR	1,615	1,129	1011	816	829	760	1,892	8,052
US	2,241	1282	983	919	846	103	111	6,485
	6,560	**3,483**	**2,408**	**1,995**	**1,770**	**921**	**2,103**	**19,240**

Modality	0-3 Months	3-6 Months	6-9 Months	9-12 Months	12-15 Months	15-18 Month	18+ Months	Grand Total
CT	28496	12257	6736	4769	2781	2044	8604	65687
MR	23600	13106	8347	6128	4866	3731	15112	74890
US	39356	17172	8391	5674	4143	2242	9334	86312
VUS	3940	2274	1529	1142	822	470	6048	16225
	95392	**44809**	**25003**	**17713**	**12612**	**8487**	**39098**	**243114**

National Summary Q3 2022		
Waiting < 3 months	95,392	39%
Waiting < 6 months	140,201	58%
Waiting < 9 months	165,204	68%
Wating < 12 months	182,917	75%
Waiting > 12 months	60,197	25%
Waiting > 15 months	47,585	20%
Waiting > 18 Months	39,098	16%

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Number of records vetted

Row Labels	Count of id
N	20973
Y	202901
Grand Total	**223874**

CAVEATS   (July 2022 - September 2022) Subject to on-going review as the project progresses

Data contains urgent, routine and surveillance/planned activity which is currently not broken down in detail,
as such this includes surveillance/planned activity which may not be exceeding planned date.

Data is still undergoing validation at Hospital and Hospital Group level.

Data does not take into account local nuances at site level which may change (Site profile developed to support understanding of same).

The purpose of this aggregate data is to provide a National Level overview of the number of patients waiting for modalities of CT, MR and US.

This report is not intended to be used for the active management of hospital diagnostics waiting list,
local reports and mechanisms should continue to be used for the management of diagnostics waiting lists at hospital level.

Note: Q3 2022 Received detailed DATA from 43 hospitals and Summary Data from 1 Hospital (Mater).

Crumlin Childrens Hospital and Temple Street Hospital are submitted under CHI.

| Hospital Name | (All) | | **Q3 2022** | | | | | | |

Count of id		Time Band Code							
Hospital Group	Modality Code	0-3 Months	3-6 Months	6-9 Months	9-12 Months	12-15 Months	15-18 Months	18+ Months	Grand Total
Children's Hospital Group	CT	185	31	21	11	2	3	4	257
	MR	1111	667	389	281	236	146	966	3796
	US	1562	886	524	341	138	65	370	3886
	VUS	3	3	1	1			3	11
Children's Hospital Group Total		**2861**	**1587**	**935**	**634**	**376**	**214**	**1343**	**7950**
Dublin Midlands Hospital Group	CT	6055	2946	1658	1352	949	761	2974	16695
	MR	3358	1982	1409	1110	977	880	2542	12258
	US	6559	3254	1880	1197	1108	709	3438	18145
	VUS	835	502	443	313	197	145	1547	3982
Dublin Midlands Hospital Group Total		**16807**	**8684**	**5390**	**3972**	**3231**	**2495**	**10501**	**51080**
Ireland East Hospital Group	CT	4895	2066	1195	873	483	377	1771	11660
	MR	2682	1908	1339	829	550	354	851	8513
	US	6896	2914	1126	705	494	367	1788	14290
	VUS	226	44	11	10	7	5	6	309
Ireland East Hospital Group Total		**14699**	**6932**	**3671**	**2417**	**1534**	**1103**	**4416**	**34772**
RCSI Hospitals Group	CT	4655	1666	690	352	105	50	92	7610
	MR	5689	2804	1111	692	332	209	504	11341
	US	9644	3447	951	518	132	88	95	14875
	VUS	1697	1170	695	529	414	285	1858	6648
RCSI Hospitals Group Total		**21685**	**9087**	**3447**	**2091**	**983**	**632**	**2549**	**40474**
Saolta University Health Care Group	CT	4106	1682	1041	656	350	246	720	8801
	MR	3113	1831	1116	775	668	415	1380	9298
	US	5314	2300	1214	802	573	296	738	11237
	VUS	73	33	22	25	13	2	1	169
Saolta University Health Care Group Total		**12606**	**5846**	**3393**	**2258**	**1604**	**959**	**2839**	**29505**
South/South West Hospital Group	CT	4544	1981	1179	821	483	353	866	10227
	MR	3946	1761	1102	919	753	565	4333	13379
	US	5236	1946	925	612	338	221	823	10101
	VUS	240	175	126	58	26	5	643	1273
South/South West Hospital Group Total		**13966**	**5863**	**3332**	**2410**	**1600**	**1144**	**6665**	**34980**
University of Limerick Hospital Group	CT	1352	813	538	444	314	196	2077	5734
	MR	2086	1024	870	706	521	402	2644	8253
	US	1904	1143	788	580	514	393	1971	7293
	VUS	866	347	231	206	165	28	1990	3833
University of Limerick Hospital Group Total		**6208**	**3327**	**2427**	**1936**	**1514**	**1019**	**8682**	**25113**
Grand Total		**88832**	**41326**	**22595**	**15718**	**10842**	**7566**	**36995**	**223874**