

Hospital at a glance

Liverpool Heart and Chest Hospital is an ‘Outstanding’ rated Trust and one of the largest single site specialist heart and chest hospitals in the UK.

We provide specialist services in cardiothoracic surgery, cardiology and respiratory medicine. We have a clear vision 'to be the best' - leading and delivering outstanding heart and chest care and research.

We serve a population of over 2.8 million, with a geographical catchment area encompassing Liverpool, Merseyside, parts of Lancashire and Cheshire, North Wales, Isle of Man and from further afield for highly specialist treatment for aortic aneurysms.

LHCH has been the top performing Trust in the country for overall patient experience' in the Care Quality Commission's national inpatient survey for nine out of the past 12 years.

We are also acknowledged as the market leader in heart and lung surgery, cardiology, respiratory medicine and diagnostic imaging, in the Merseyside, Cheshire and North Wales regions.

In 2018 our reputation was further enhanced with the successful launch of the UK's first robotic heart and lung surgery programme.

We have an international standing as a leader in interventional research, and we are renowned across the UK for leading the way in the introduction of pioneering new theatre facilities, technological advances and procedures in medicine and surgery.

We have one of the largest critical care units in Europe, alongside state of the art laboratories and operating theatres, in which to treat our patients.

In 2017/18, the Trust performed the following inpatient procedures:

CARDIAC SURGERY (Including)	TOTAL	2,268
CABG		966
VALVE		597
CABG & VALVE		216
ANEURYSM		236
CARDIAC OTHER PROCEDURES		222
CARDIOLOGY (Including)	TOTAL	9,148
PCI		2,164
CATHETER		2,149
EPS		1,238
PACING		1,521
CARDIAC DISORDERS		752
RESPIRATORY	TOTAL	407
THORACIC SURGERY (Including)	TOTAL	1,339
COMPLEX		817
MAJOR		158
GRAND TOTAL INPATIENT PROCEDURES		13,492

In 2017/18, the Trust carried out the following Outpatient appointments:

LHCH	72,049
COMMUNITY	41,044
TOTAL	113,093

LHCH in brief...

- **193 inpatient beds**
100 inpatient beds (medicine)
90 inpatient beds (surgery)
Inc. 40 critical/coronary care beds
- **9 operating theatres**
- **10 community locations**
- **£144.5m turnover**
- **1,613 staff**
- **First specialist trust to be rated ‘Outstanding’**
- **5 catheter laboratories**
- **1 day case unit**

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Inspected and rated

Outstanding ★

