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Subject: Respiratory Sleep Service

Q1 Current waiting times for the Respiratory Sleep Service
• how many waiters do you have in your DM01 PTL

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Current Waiting Time	Total Waiters
Average Week wait = 7 weeks	Sleep PTL = 293

Q2 Total waiters for the following procedures in the Respiratory-Sleep physiology service:
• Overnight pulse oximetry
• Limited sleep study/Polygraphy
• CPAP set-up/trial routine
• CPAP set-up/trial urgent

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	Current Waiting Time	Total Waiters
Overnight pulse oximetry	Zero	Zero
Limited sleep study/Polygraphy	Average Week wait = 7 weeks	Sleep PTL = 293
CPAP set-up/trial routine	Zero - We are not commissioned to provide CPAP therefore there is no data for set up of new patients. We look after 120 historic patients who are seen once a year but could be seen immediately if anything was ever deemed to be urgent.	
CPAP set-up/trial urgent		

Q3 Do you have delays in service due to lack of Respiratory Diagnostic Equipment in any of the following
Sleep Diagnostic
CPAP Machines

No – we don't have any delays in service due to lack of Respiratory Diagnostic Equipment in Sleep Diagnostic or CPAP.