

Data Quality Notes:

Note: As per the memorandum sent to Ontario Health and hospitals on March 15, 2020, hospitals were requested to ramp down elective surgeries and other non-emergent clinical activities to preserve capacity during pandemic. Results from March 2020 onwards should be interpreted with caution.

Note: Starting with the reporting of October 2021 data, this report now includes site level data and regional level data along with facility and LHIN level data.

Note: Starting with the reporting of December 2023 data, the methodology used to calculate DI Wait List volumes has been updated to support better accuracy of this metric.

Facility Specific Data Quality Notes

1 Alexandra Marine and General Hospital

Performed volumes for Diagnostic Imaging (CT) - (May 2022)

Performed CT volumes were reduced in May 2022 due to downtime.

2 Campbellford Memorial Hospital

Volumes for Diagnostic Imaging (CT) - (February 2024 to April 2024)

Performed CT volumes were reduced due to planned downtime.

3 GNMI MRI and CT (formerly Oxford Advanced Imaging Inc. Ajax and Mississauga)

Wait Times and performed volumes for Diagnostic Imaging (MRI and CT) - (September 2021)

Performed MRI and CT volumes were lower in September 2021 due to planned downtime.

Wait Times and performed volumes for Diagnostic Imaging (MRI) - (December 2021)

Performed MRI volumes increased in December 2021 due to the addition of new MRI Scanners.

Merger and name change of Oxford Advanced Imaging Inc. - Ajax (Facility #210) and Mississauga (Facility #209) to GNMI MRI and CT (Facility #210) Effective July, 2020, the two Oxford Advanced Imaging sites have merged to be a single facility: GNMI MRI and CT (#210), in the Central East LHIN.

4 Hamilton Health Sciences Corp

Wait times and performed volumes for Diagnostic Imaging (CT) - (October 2022)

Effective October 2022, reporting of CT volumes and wait times started at the Hamilton Health - West Lincoln site.

5 Kingston Health Sciences Centre

Wait Times and performed volumes for Diagnostic Imaging (MRI and CT) - (January 2025 to current)

Due to technical issues, Kingston Health Sciences Centre was not able to provide accurate information on all scans performed in time for reporting. This created a critical data quality reporting issue for the DI wait times for Kingston Health Sciences Centre, rendering the facility's wait times data unfit for public reporting. Users are advised to use caution when interpreting wait times data for the South East, East Region and Province.

Hotel Dieu site

Volumes for Diagnostic Imaging (CT) - (November 2023 to March 2024)

Performed CT volumes were reduced due to planned downtime.

6 KMH MRI and Healthcare Centres

Performed volumes for Diagnostic Imaging (MRI) - (December 2021 to current)

Due to technical issues, KMH MRI was not able to provide information on all MRI scans performed since December 2021 in time for reporting. This created a critical data quality reporting issue for the DI wait times for KMH MRI, rendering the facility's wait times data unfit for public reporting. Users are advised to use caution when interpreting MRI wait times data for the Central LHIN, Central Region and Province.

Merging of KMH MRI and Healthcare Centres - Kitchener (Facility #204) and Thornhill (Facility #203)

Effective November, 2019, the two KMH MRI and Healthcare Centres have merged to be a single facility (#203), in the Central LHIN.

7 Lakeridge Health

Wait times for Diagnostic Imaging (MRI and CT) - (April 2019)

Effective April, 2019, Rouge Valley Health System - Ajax Site has merged with Lakeridge Health.

8 Mackenzie Health

Wait times and performed volumes for Diagnostic Imaging (MRI and CT) - (February 2021)

Effective February 2021, Mackenzie Health started providing diagnostic imaging services at their new site: Mackenzie Health - Cortellucci Vaughan Hospital

9 Niagara Health

Wait Times and performed volumes for Diagnostic Imaging (MRI and CT) - (November 2024 to current)

Due to technical issues, Niagara Health was not able to provide accurate information on all scans performed in time for reporting. This created a critical data quality reporting issue for the DI wait times for Niagara Health, rendering the facility's wait times data unfit for public reporting. Users are advised to use caution when interpreting wait times data for Hamilton Niagara Haldimand Brant, West Region and Province.

10 Queensway Carlton Hospital

MRI and CT performed volumes (March 2022)

Fewer CT records used the "Specified Date Procedure" flag, these records are excluded from wait times reporting. Users are advised to use caution when interpreting MRI and CT Wait Times and Volumes for Queensway Carlton Hospital, Champlain LHIN, East Region and Province.

11 Sault Area Hospital - Sault Ste. Marie

Performed volumes for Diagnostic Imaging (MRI) - (May 2022 to August 2022)

Performed MRI volumes were reduced in May 2022 due to reduced operating hours.

12 Scarborough Health Network (formerly The Scarborough Hospital)

Effective July, 2020, Rouge Valley Health System - Centenary Site has merged with the Scarborough Health Network. The Scarborough Hospital (Facility #960) has also been renamed to the Scarborough Health Network, and is reported under a new facility number (#979).

13 South Bruce Grey Health Centre

Performed volumes for Diagnostic Imaging (CT) - (April 2023)

Performed CT volumes were reduced in April 2023 due to planned downtime.

14 Trillium Health Partners

Volumes for Diagnostic Imaging (MRI and CT) - (February 2024 to current)

Trillium Health Partners have changed their strategy for prioritizing CT scans with a shift to more Priority 2 scans (which are included in wait time reporting), and a smaller volume of Priority 1 scans (which are excluded from wait time reporting). Overall performed MRI and CT volumes have remained fairly constant.

15 Unity Health Toronto

Wait Times for Diagnostic Imaging (MRI and CT) - (December 2024 to current)

Due to technical issues related to the merger of St. Michael's Hospital and St. Joseph's Health Centre Toronto, there are critical data quality reporting issues for the MRI and CT wait times for Unity Health Toronto, rendering the facility's MRI and CT wait times data unfit for public reporting. Users are advised to use caution when interpreting CT wait time data from the Toronto LHIN, Toronto Region and Province.

16 University Health Network

Volumes for Diagnostic Imaging (CT) - (August 2022 to current)

Due to technical issues, some CT records are missing information. This created a critical data quality reporting issue for the CT wait times for University Health Network, rendering the facility's CT wait times data unfit for public reporting. Users are advised to use caution when interpreting CT wait time data from the Toronto LHIN, Toronto Region and Province.

17 William Osler Health System

Wait times for Diagnostic Imaging (CT) - (February 2017 to current)

Reporting of CT volumes and Wait Times does not include CT scans performed at the Peel site.

18 Winchester District Memorial Hospital

Volumes for Diagnostic Imaging (CT) - (April 2022 to August 2022)

Winchester District Memorial Hospital is showing considerably lower volumes of CT Cancer Staging and/or Diagnosis scan volumes. The facility is also showing much higher use of "Specified Date Procedure" scans, these are excluded from reporting. Users are advised to use caution when interpreting volume data from the Champlain LHIN, East Region and Province.

19 Brightshores Health System (formerly Grey Bruce Health Services)

Effective April 2025, Grey Bruce Health Services has been renamed to Brightshores Health System.

20 Oak Valley Health (formerly Markham Stouffville Hospital Corporation)

Effective April 2025, Markham Stouffville Hospital Corporation has been renamed to Oak Valley Health.

21 Quinte Health (formerly Quinte Healthcare Corporation)

Effective April 2025, Quinte Health Corporation has been renamed to Quinte Health.

19 Merging of St. Michael's Hospital (Facility #852) and St. Joseph's Health Centre Toronto (Facility # 898) to a new Facility: Unity Health Toronto (Facility # 980)

Effective December 2024, data reported from the St. Michaels and St. Joseph Toronto sites will now be reported under the new facility name Unity Health.

20 Merger and name change of Oxford Advanced Imaging Inc. - Ajax (Facility #210) and Mississauga (Facility #209) to GNMI MRI and CT (Facility #210)

Effective July, 2020, the two Oxford Advanced Imaging sites have merged to be a single facility: GNMI MRI and CT (#210), in the Central East LHIN.

- 21 Merger of Rouge Valley Health System - Centenary Site (from Facility # 954) with Scarborough Health Network (Facility # 979, formerly The Scarborough Hospital #960)**
Effective July, 2020, Rouge Valley Health System - Centenary Site has merged with the Scarborough Health Network. The Scarborough Hospital has also been renamed to the Scarborough Health Network (effective July 2020).
- 22 Merging of KMH MRI and Healthcare Centres - Kitchener (Facility #204) and Thornhill (Facility #203)**
Effective November, 2019, the two KMH MRI and Healthcare Centres have merged to be a single facility (#203), in the Central LHIN.
- 23 Merging of Rouge Valley Health System - Ajax Site (from Facility # 954) with Lakeridge Health (Facility # 952)**
Effective April, 2019, Rouge Valley Health System - Ajax Site has merged with Lakeridge Health.
- 24 Merging of St. Joseph's Health Association of Chatham (Facility #629) Public General Hospital of Chatham (Facility # 628), Public General Hospital of Chatham (Facility # 628) and Sydenham District Hospital (Facility # 870) to a new Facility: Chatham-Kent Health Alliance (Facility # 981)**
Effective April, 2019, Current and historical wait times data reported under St. Joseph's Health Association of Chatham will now be reported under the new facility name Chatham-Kent Health Alliance.
- 25 Reporting of Leamington District Memorial Hospital wait times data**
(Starting from August 1, 2017)
Effective August 1, 2017, Current and historical wait times data reported under Leamington District Memorial Hospital will now be reported under the new facility name Erie Shores Healthcare.
- 26 Reporting of Mount Sinai Hospital wait times data**
(Starting from July 1, 2015)
Effective July 1, 2015, Current and historical wait times data reported under Mount Sinai Hospital will now be reported under the new facility name Sinai Health System.
- 27 Merging of Credit Valley Hospital (Facility # 731) and Trillium Health Centre (Facility # 949) to a new Facility Trillium Health Partners (Facility # 975)**
Effective April 8, 2015, Credit Valley Hospital and Trillium Health Centre merged to form a new Facility called Trillium Health Partners. For the month April 2015, data from the two old facilities (Credit and Trillium) were combined with the new Trillium Facility.
- 28 Realignment of Hôtel-Dieu Grace Hospital and Windsor Regional Hospital**
Wait times for Diagnostic Imaging (MRI and CT) - (Starting from October 1, 2013)
Effective October 1, 2013, Windsor Regional Hospital assumed responsibility for the governance and management of the Ouellette campus (formerly Hôtel-Dieu Grace Hospital) and its existing Metropolitan campus. Hôtel-Dieu Grace assumed responsibility for the governance and management of the Western campus (formerly a Windsor Regional Hospital campus). As a result, Hôtel-Dieu Grace Hospital will no longer report Diagnostic wait times information. Windsor Regional Hospital will continue reporting Diagnostic wait times information with an expected increase in volumes.
- Prior to October 1, 2013:
Hotel Dieu Grace Hospital (Facility # 927) consisted of Hotel Dieu- St. Josephs (site # 4142) and,
Windsor Regional Hospital consisted of Windsor Regional Hospital - Western (site # 3845) and Windsor- Metropolitan (site # 4414).
- From October 1, 2013:
Hotel Dieu Grace Hospital will consist of Hotel Dieu Grace Healthcare (site # 4779), which was formerly named Windsor Regional Hospital- Western site and,
Windsor Regional Hospital will consist of Windsor- Metropolitan (site # 4414) and Windsor- Ouellette Campus (site # 4774), which was formerly named Hotel Dieu- St-Joseph's.