



NHFD Dashboard Report 2016

Watford General Hospital (WAT)

Figures are hospital average percentages from 2014 and 2015. Data taken from the National Hip Fracture Database.

National Hip Fracture Database lead clinician:

Latha Thangaraj

Ward Management

	2014	2015	Rating	Progress
Admitted to orthopaedic ward within 4 hours	46.3	46.9	○	-
Mental test score recorded on admission	99.8	99.7	✓	-
Perioperative medical assessment	96.3	99.2	✓	↑
Mobilised out of bed on the day after surgery	74.5	88.8	○	↑
Received falls assessment	100.0	100.0		-
Received bone health assessment	100.0	100.0		-
Best practice tariff achievement	78.9	81.6	✓	↑

Surgery

	2014	2015	Rating	Progress
Surgery on day of, or day after, admission	81.5	82.1	✓	-
Proportion of general anaesthetic with nerve blocks	58.0	57.3	○	-
Proportion of spinal anaesthetic with nerve blocks	24.8	24.6	○	-
Proportion of arthroplasties which are cemented	81.5	87.8	○	↑
Eligible displaced intracapsular fractures treated with THR	14.0	3.8	✗	↓
Intertrochanteric fractures treated with SHS	58.9	33.6	✗	↓
Subtrochanteric fractures treated with an IM nail	91.7	95.0	✓	↑

Outcomes

	2014	2015	Rating	Progress
Case ascertainment	91.7	94.7	✓	↑
Overall hospital length of stay (days)	13.8	15.0	✓	-
Return to original residence within 30 days	37.0	36.6	✗	-
Documented not to have developed a pressure ulcer	98.7	97.8	○	-
Documented final discharge destination	55.4	71.1	✗	↑
Crude 30-day mortality rate	8.1	3.2		↑
Adjusted 30-day mortality rate	9.2	3.9		↑

Key

- ✓ Top quartile ○ 2nd and 3rd quartile ✗ Lowest quartile/ poor performance
 ↑ Performance improving - Performance broadly unchanged ↓ Performance declining

Run Charts

(Up to date, and interactive versions of all run charts for your hospital can be viewed at www.nhfd.co.uk)

Overall Performance - WAT. Watford General Hospital

