

CDDFT Diverts-

Due to the organisation structure with 2 acute Maternity sites, diverts between the sites within our own services are recorded as a divert. Most occasions of divert would be within the 2 acute sites within CDDFT.

UHND	Divert Occasions	Number linked to staffing	Number of patents diverted
2019	23	10	18
2020	10	3	9
2021	38	35	25
2022	33	33	36
2023	33	22	39

DMH	Divert Occasions	Number linked to staffing	Number of patents diverted
2019	4	3	No data
2020	14	7	No data
2021	41	29	23
2022	40	34	32
2023	30	27	24

Staffing red flags- CDDFT

For safe staffing we follow the NICE guidance for Safe Staffing for Maternity Settings. It gives clear guidance on indicators that would possibly show staffing was not adequate to meet the midwifery care needs of women and babies in the service. NICE refers to red flag events as a warning sign that something may be wrong with midwifery staffing with the need for the midwife in charge should determine whether midwifery staffing is the cause, and the action that is needed. Not all red flags would be indicative of staffing but could also be attributed to peaks in activity.

Red flag indicators recorded are:

- Delay in commencing/ continuing IOL process
- Delay to elective work (we use this to report delays to CS mainly)
- Delay of 30 minutes or more between presentation and triage
- Missed/delayed care for greater than 60 minutes
- Unable to give 1:1 care to a woman during established labour
- Co-ordinator not supernumerary

	Jan 23	Feb 23	Mar 23	Apr 23	May 23	Jun 23	Jul 23	Aug 23	Sept 23	Oct 23	Nov 23	Dec 23
UHND												
Delay in commencing/ continuing IOL process	23	18	48	47	70	39	69	93	77	91	109	80
Delay to elective work	0	0	2	6	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0
Delay of 30 minutes or more between presentation and triage	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Missed/delayed care for greater than 60 minutes	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unable to give 1:1 care to a woman during established labour	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	12	1	3	1	2
Co-ordinator not supernumerary	6	4	12	5	13	11	24	40	42	40	31	38
DMH												
Delay in commencing/ continuing IOL process	48	7	43	31	31	34	79	41	82	56	48	47
Delay to elective work	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	0
Delay of 30 minutes or more between presentation and triage	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Missed/delayed care for greater than 60 minutes	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Unable to give 1:1 care to a woman during established labour	14	3	1	12	15	12	0	3	8	6	1	0
Co-ordinator not supernumerary	34	6	20	42	36	38	71	54	74	98	37	18