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National Hip Fracture Database

Patient report local statistics

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About the NHFD patient report

The National Hip Fracture Database (NHFD) patient report is intended to help your patients understand the care they are receiving. It includes national statistics from the NHFD annual report, but you may also find it useful to make available to them the same statistics from your hospital.

This is a guide on where to find those local figures.

The 2018 annual report covers patients admitted between 1 January and 31 December 2017.

1 What will be done to help relieve my pain?

The number of patients receiving nerve blocks is depicted in Chart 3 (page 22) of the 2018 annual report.

You can also find the proportion of patients receiving nerve blocks in the online hospital reports:

Reports tab > Select your SHA Area > Select your hospital.

Select the month you would like the report to end in the 'Report Month' box on the left (eg if you would like to see records for January–December 2013 select '2013–12').

Click 'Annual Report', then 'Type of Anaesthesia'.

2 What will be done to help me if I have memory problems or become confused?

Your rate of recording AMTS score can be found in up-to-date form in the BPT run chart on the NHFD website.

3 When will I meet a geriatrician to plan my care and rehabilitation?

Assessed by orthogeriatrician:

- > discussed on page 9 in the 2018 annual report
- > shown in the Bluebook Indicators section of the online hospital report
- > depicted in the BPT run chart and assessment benchmark table on the NHFD website.

4 Will I have surgery on my first or second day in hospital?

- > Time to surgery (day of / day after admission) can be found on page 10 of the 2018 annual report.
- > The numbers of patients with time to theatre of 36 hours or less are shown on the Best Practice chart on the NHFD website, and average time to operation is shown on the Overall Performance chart.
- > Your average time to theatre is also shown in the Bluebook Indicators section of the online hospital report.

5 Will a senior surgeon and anaesthetist be in charge of my operation?

A question that is often raised by the patient at the time of being consented for theatre. This is perhaps a useful topic for local review as part of the hip fracture team's monthly clinical governance programme.

If you participated in the Anaesthesia Sprint Audit of Practice (ASAP), this data can be found in the ASAP report, which is available on the NHFD website.

6 What will be done to help me if I have difficulty with eating or drinking?

Local procedures and initiatives apply.

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7 How soon after surgery will I get out of bed and start physiotherapy?

Pressure sores:

- > described as a case study on page 8 of the 2018 annual report
- > depicted in the Patient Safety chart on the NHFD website
- > listed in the Bluebook Indicators section of the online hospital report.

Mobilised on day of or day after surgery:

Refer to local protocols. You can also export your data and use the 'Mobilised on day of or day following surgery' field to calculate your local figure for this.

8 Will I be able to go home, and if so, how soon?

Home from home rate:

- > shown in the chart and discussed on pages 14, 28 and 29 of the 2018 annual report.

Length of stay:

- > Length of Stay chart and outcomes benchmark table on the NHFD website
- > average trust length of stay is available in the Bluebook Average Times section of the online hospital report.

9 How will I be kept informed of my progress, so that my family and carers can make arrangements for when I leave hospital?

Patient information leaflets and ward information boards may provide advice on this point.

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10 What will be done to try and reduce my risk of falling in the future?

Falls risk assessment:

> shown in the assessment benchmark table on the NHFD website.

11 What will be done to see if I need bone strengthening treatment?

Bone health assessment:

> shown in the assessment benchmark table on the NHFD website.

12 Will you check-up on me after I leave hospital?

120 day follow up:

> shown in the outcomes benchmark table on the NHFD website

> 120 day follow up numbers are available in the Data Completeness section of the online hospital report.



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