

IUC ADC August 2024 - comments from lead data suppliers

Data for the IUC ADC are provided by lead data providers for each integrated urgent care service in England. It is the responsibility of commissioners of an IUC service to identify lead data providers and ensure that data are supplied each month. While lead data suppliers are responsible for collating and coordinating information for IUC ADC, they are not necessarily contracted to deliver all NHS 111 and out of hours services in the contract area. Integrated Urgent Care is provided by a variety of organisations, including ambulance services, private companies, not for profit organisations and NHS Trusts.

The quality of data is therefore dependent upon all parts of the IUC service providing data to the relevant lead data supplier. Where figures reflect activity by more than one IUC service provider, there may be wide variation in the underlying performance of individual parts of the service.

This document sets out comments for each contract area, as provided by lead data suppliers, about the quality of data returns, reasons for changes since previous months and reasons for differences to provisional data items published last month.

North East and Yorkshire region

111AA1 North East

Lead data supplier: North East Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust (NEAS)

Figures exclude outcome/call performance for sub-contracted providers (GatDoc, VoCare & Elm) and initial telephony/triage data for DCAS in Cumbria.

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| A07 | Calls which originated from an external NHS 111 provider | Unable to separately identify calls that are transferred from another 111 provider in SystemOne. |
| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | With demand reducing and capacity increasing this allows for performance to be maintained if not slightly improve. 999 demand remaining stable also helped as resource remained on 111 without being moved. |
| B06 | Total time to call answer | |
| B09 | Total time of abandoned calls | No system capability to extract this information. |
| C01 | Number of calls where person triaged | Work is ongoing around KPI4, analysis undertaken to highlight where the missed opportunities are. |



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| D01 | Calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor | |
| D01 to D09 | Calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor | Items are under-reported at system level with clinical assessment not captured for primary care, OOH or UTCs. While the clinical count [D01] includes clinical contacts from system providers who have been sub-contracted either by NEAS or commissioners, due to some of the clinical contacts being performed outside of NEAS we do not have access to the specific role of the clinician who performed the contact. Therefore, [D01] includes these instances but the sum of the fields [D02]-[D09] will not equal this total. |
| E26 | Calls given an ETC disposition | NHS 111 Online cases booked in CAD are included in this figure as we are currently unable to separate them. These cases do not receive a re-validation (E27) as they are passed by clinician for a booking. This item the denominator for KPI 8 has increased, pushing the KPI down a few %. |
| E27 | Calls given an ETC disposition that receive remote clinical intervention | As part of Clinical Safety Plan, the ETC DoS profile is suspended during periods of surge. Escalation, local commissioning agreement & CAS ED bookings reduces the volume our clinicians can validate. This item has seen a shift recently, the number of ETC validations have remained the same |
| G05 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into an IUC Treatment Service | Due to remapping of one team type, some services are having issues which prevent bookings. |
| G09 | Number of calls where caller given a booked time slot with a Type 1 or 2 ED | This item was impacted by the EDDI change. Sunderland Royal Hospital have their own local process which still allows NEAS to book appointments into the ED, so this has continued and is why the KPI is not completely 0%. |
| G11 | Bookings into an SDEC service | Currently not utilised – no bookings recorded. |
| G12, G13 | Bookings into dental services not using DoS | We do not have the system capability to provide this information. |
| G22, G23 | Face to face consultations in an IUC Treatment Centre | Not reported - this information is outside of our service. |
| H01 to H22 | NHS 111 Online contacts where person was offered and accepted a call back and needed to speak to a clinician or Clinical Advisor within a specified timeframe | Not provided as subcontracting data not available. Some calls are going via subcontracted providers and some come through to NEAS. We are working with the providers to get their data through but there are gaps in their data currently which we are trying to resolve. |

111AI7 Yorkshire and Humber (NECS)

Lead data supplier: NHS North Of England Commissioning Support Unit (NECS)

This month's submission includes data from the following CAS providers: 8GY92-LCD, NNF - City Healthcare Partnership CIC, Y01173-Sheffield GP Collaborative, RCD Harrogate & District, i-Heart, NL3-CARE PLUS, RFR - Rotherham NHSFT, NXL01 – FCMS, RJL- Northern Lincolnshire and Goole NHS Foundation Trust, NNJ-DHU Bassetlaw OOH, DTP – Nimbuscare.

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | Disparity between weekly aggregate and monthly official numbers: LCD Dental – not matching due to change in telephone provider mid-month and have struggled to get the data they need from old provider – their monthly figure is the most accurate – they have missing data on the weekly due to the changeover. |
| B06 | Total time to call answer | YAS - We believe the main issue on the differences to the weekly and monthly data is due to the script changing mid-month for YAS. Said changes to the script are also the reason for the changes in the month on month fluctuations. |
| B07 | 95th centile call answer time (seconds) | We have discussed the B07 figure with YAS and while it has been dropping for a while they agree this month's is very low. Unfortunately, they are not sure what the issue is yet but it's likely to be the changes that have been done to the script. They are looking into it though it going to take a bit of time to investigate. |
| D23 | Callers who needed to speak to a clinician or Clinical Advisor within a timeframe over 20 minutes, who were warm transferred or received a call back within the specified timeframe | We have updated the scripts for D23 and D24 with YAS to improve the reporting and this month's figures are a more accurate description of the KPI. However, YAS cannot get figures for H21 and H22 due to the online data that is provided to them. |
| E01 | Total number of dispositions | With regard to the 'E01 must not exceed C01' validation flagging; this is simply due to rounding issues. |
| E14 | Number of callers recommended repeat prescription medication | Excludes number of cases requesting a repeat prescription which was then issued by LCD ADC GPOOH (which are included in G15). |

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| | | <p>Having queried KPI6, there were no obvious reasons from YAS why the KPI6 is lower – there were changes in YAS's distribution of advisors triaging, which may have affected the C Figures.</p> <p>Going forward, LCD Dental are hoping to be able to submit figures into E17, so this should have a positive effect on the KPI 6 in the future.</p> |
| E17 | Number of callers recommended self-care at the end of clinical input | Going forward LCD Dental are hoping to populate E17 which should make a difference to the KPI. |
| G05 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into an IUC Treatment Centre | Figures provided reflect a problem with the booking system. Volumes recommended to attend an IUC treatment centre are similar to figures prior to the Adastra outage but due to the issues with direct booking this figure has dropped considerably. |
| G09 | Number of calls where caller given a booked time slot with a Type 1 or 2 ED | The booking system for this was turned off on the 28/06/2024 and therefore there is no way we can really book any patients into and ED slot that's why this has fallen a lot. There isn't any information on when a booking system is going to be implemented so for the foreseeable this will likely be very low or 0. This has also affected KPI12 which looks like it has halved in July and August compared to previous months. |
| G10, G11 | SDEC selections | These figures will remain at low levels or zero until the next Pathways update when more options to refer to SDEC are due to be made available. |
| G15 | Repeat prescription medication issued | Includes number of cases requesting a repeat prescription which was then issued by LCD ADC GPOOH (which are not included in E14). |
| G16, G18 | Calls where a community pharmacy service was an option on DoS for repeat prescription medication / minor illness | YAS cannot currently provide these items as data on the DoS options available for each call are not available through Adastra. |
| H20, H22 | NHS 111 Online contacts where person was offered and accepted a call back and needed to speak to a clinician or Clinical Advisor within a specified timeframe | We are currently unable to get the data field needed to report on these data items. |

North West region

111AJ3 North West including Blackpool

Lead data supplier: Midlands and Lancashire Commissioning Support Unit (Blackpool) (ML CSU)

The North West does not have a single integrated contract covering both NHS111 and CAS; NWS is the NHS 111 provider, but its CAS role is limited to validation work undertaken within the 999 service. CAS provision is by a range of providers (predominantly OOH providers) who either initially provided CAS or through being specifically commissioned by CCGs to provide CAS either as a standalone contract or as part of a wider UEC/urgent primary care contract. Given the complex picture of providers in the North West, there is an iterative transition from the submission of NWS data only in April 2021 to MLCSU submitting data covering all service providers. Data submitted by BARDOC (Bolton, Bury, HMR), Blackburn with Darwen, Central Cheshire, East Cheshire, East Lancashire, FCMS (Fylde Coast, Morecambe Bay, West Lancs), GMPUCA (CAS, OOH, TAS), HRCG Care Group (West Lancs OOH), NWS and Wirral. There are still a number of providers, covering a large geographic area who not submitting monthly returns. Still on-going issues with reconciling numbers and duplication. Discussions on-going between NWS and NHSE IUC Operational Insights Team on how to rectify this.

It has been agreed with NHSE that the Vocare support will remain in place at 10% until Feb 2025.

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| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | <p>August saw another strong month regarding the B02 metric – The abandoned rate for August was 0.6% and call pick up at 95%.</p> <p>Average time to answer for August was 8 seconds which needless to say is very positive.</p> <p>Some of the main contributing factors are as below:</p> |

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| B06 | Total time to call answer | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sickness/absence – We have continued to see sickness absence levels at 10-12% for call handlers. For context sickness/absence levels this time last year were 20-25%. • Vocare support - As mentioned in previous updates we have currently got 15% call volume support from Vocare- This is due to reduce to 10% from August 2024. • Recruitment - We are continuing to recruit heavily and as a result we are starting to see staffing numbers closer to our budgeted position. • Retention – Performance improvements have resulted in a less-pressured workforce which has improved overall staff retention. We are continuing to put a lot of focus on staff Health & Welfare. |
| C01 | Number of calls where person triaged | <p>Double counting of disposition identified. This is related to CAS data been added up to 111 core provider figures. Number of calls where person triaged (NWS only = 126,019).</p> <p>Going forward, we have asked for this to be checked and any activity other than NWS to be excluded.</p> |
| D01 | Calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor | <p>Disparity between weekly and monthly figures is because weekly and monthly submissions do not contain the same provider submissions. For example, East Lancashire and Blackburn with Darwen (ELMS) submissions only appear in the monthly submission.</p> <p>We have also had some providers not submitting weekly due to leave and no cover.</p> |
| D01 | Calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor | <p>58,953 includes NWS (25,694) and CAS (33,259). The majority of submitting CAS providers are unable to split out D01 into the clinician type - therefore these have been recorded under D09 to balance back.</p> |
| D02 to D09 | Calls assessed by staff type | <p>The majority of submitting CAS providers are unable to split out D01 into the clinician type - therefore these have been recorded under D09 to balance back.</p> |

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| D14 | Number of callers who needed to speak to a clinician or Clinical Advisor within 20 minutes (immediately), who were warm transferred or received a call back within 20 minutes | GMPUCA reported numbers - This is an artificial (undercounted) return based on a fixed 20min target. In reality, the CAS operates to locally defined targets agreed with commissioners. Please contact if further detail required. |
| D24, D25 | Time to clinical assessment for callers requiring assessment within a timeframe over 20 minutes | Average time to clinical assessment for callers requiring assessment within a timeframe over 20 minutes and D25 - 95th centile time to clinical assessment for callers requiring assessment within a timeframe over 20 minutes, cannot be completed from the data provided. |
| E01 to E30 | Calls with Clinical Input, IUC Recommendations (Dispositions) and Validation of Dispositions | Total dispositions: 131,870 and is made up from NWS (126,014) and some CAS providers (5,856 - Central Cheshire, East Cheshire, FCMS and Wirral - double counted where both CAS and NWS report). Note some providers are reporting in section E but have not completed E01. e.g. Have reported ambulance dispositions but no total. |
| E17 | Number of callers recommended self-care at the end of clinical input | 1,670 includes NWS (1,309) and CAS (361). |
| E19, E20 | Number of calls initially given a category 3 or 4 ambulance disposition | NWS complete E19 and CAS complete E20 but we are still not receiving submissions from all providers. |
| E25 | Total wait time to category 3 or 4 ambulance validation (seconds) | Only two providers regularly submit data for E25. |
| G01, G03, G05, G07, G08, G09, G10, G11, G13 and G14 | IUC Service Integration | Manual adjustments have been necessary when resubmitting the August numbers: G01 (19,144) - where CAS/OOH providers (Central Cheshire, GMPUCA and Wirral) have supplied numbers in G03, G05, G07, G09, G11, G13 and G14, these have been added in to G01 (which previously reported only 111 activity (NWS (13,524), Central Cheshire (715), GMPUCA CAS (4,017), GMPUCA TAS (677) and Wirral(211)). All other CAS provides are leaving the fields G01-G14 empty. Where CAS/OOH providers (Central Cheshire, GMPUCA and Wirral) have supplied numbers in G03, G05, G07, G09, G11, G13 and G14, |

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| | | these have been added in to G02, G04, G06, G08, G10 and G12 (previously NWS only reporting lines). |
| H01, H02, H04, H13 to H18 | NHS 111 Online Contacts | Figures exclude data from some service providers. |

Midlands region

111AL7 Midlands

Lead data supplier: ML CSU (Stoke)

IUCADC submissions currently cover 111 provider and arrangements will be considered for inclusion of any relevant CAS providers at a future date.

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | This shows an improving trend from previous month attributable to continued service recovery actions following provider implementation of a new telephony system earlier in 2024. |
| B06 | Total time to call answer | |
| D01 | Calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor | <p>The disparity between weekly and monthly figures is due to the 24hr nature of the 111 service. The weekly submissions often show cases allocated based on the interim disposition logged on the Sunday, while the monthly submission allocates cases based on the callback that occurred on the Monday, leading to a variation in the distribution.</p> <p>The monthly position presents a more complete picture of activity across the month. The 111 provider remains in a period of validation around telephony-based data.</p> |
| G09 | Number of calls where caller given a booked time slot with a Type 1 or 2 ED | Drop in performance related to EDDI system being turned off as the majority of EDs have not replaced the EDDI system with an alternative. |

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| G11 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into an SDEC service | This item is either very low or zero each month currently. |
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East of England region

111AC5 Cambridgeshire & Peterborough

Lead data supplier: HUC

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| A01 | Number of calls received | <p>A01 is not capturing all calls, as a percentage are still being diverted to the NHSE National Contingency Service. However, we have noted that call volumes have dropped in August 2024, we tend to work on Calls Offered to Call Centre, which are the only ones we can actually answer (Calls Answered plus Abandoned) and these decreased by 1,132 compared to July 2024. We believe the change is seasonal and that demand will pick-up again, as the colder Autumn and Winter weather arrives. Obviously, this had a knock-on effect in our call handling performance with fewer calls to answer and abandon rates fell. The latter is now consistently meeting KPI 1 on a monthly basis and in August KPI 2 Average Time to Call Answer was only missed by less than one second. Clearly, if call answering performance is good Total Time to Call Answer will fall, but it is obviously linked to the volume of calls answered as well. There is also a great deal of work going on with improving and remodelling the Service, so a significant part of the improvement is a result of this, but the fall in call volume does help.</p> |
| A03 | Number of answered calls | |
| B01 | Number of calls answered within 60 seconds | |
| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | |

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| B06 | Total time to call answer | The overall effect is that Calls Triaged, where they become cases, will also fall, since fewer calls to answer equals less calls triaged. Calls assessed by a clinician shows a smaller fall, so although linked to calls triaged, our clinicians also receive cases from other providers and 111 Online via the DoS, so there is a break in the link to calls received and answered by this IUC Contract. |
| C01 | Number of calls where person triaged | The disparity between weekly and monthly reporting is almost certainly caused by the end of month reconciliation processes, which allows us to re-run the background data before final submission to yourselves. |
| D01 | Calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor | |
| G10, G11 | SDEC service bookings | SDEC referrals are very low. |

111AB2 Hertfordshire

Lead data supplier: HUC

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| A01 | Number of calls received | The number of call received A1 are still being diverted to the NHSE National Resilience Service, but this is due to end next week. We have also noticed a drop in the call volumes over August which may be seasonal and the call will increase next Month. |
| A03 | Number of answered calls | |
| B01 | Number of calls answered within 60 seconds | |
| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | The drop in call volume has a know on affect with the improvement of the call answered within 60 seconds time and abandoned time. |
| B06 | Total time to call answer | |
| C01 | Number of calls where person triaged | |

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| D01 | Calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor | The C01 and D01 difference is due to use rerunning the data and we did find a day where not all the cases had been loaded so we had to fix the data by rerunning that day's reports. |
| G09 | Number of calls where caller given a booked time slot with a Type 1 or 2 ED | The drop for KPI13 is due to the ending of EDDI bookings into EDs which has led to the drop in G09-qualifying cases. |
| G10, G11 | SDEC service bookings | Continues to be work in progress. |

111AG7 Luton & Bedfordshire

Lead data supplier: HUC

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| A01 | Number of calls received | The decrease in A01 Number of calls received can somewhat still be attributed to the support being received from National Resilience. Although decreasing and soon due to come to an end, the existing support is still likely having an effect. Coupling this with the favourable time of the year in terms of weather and seasonality, we have seen a decrease in the level of demand as indicated below. However, with the time of the year now moving towards winter and the imminent end to National Resilience support, we are expecting the level of demand to increase in September. |
| B01 | Number of calls answered within 60 seconds | With the lower demand, a consistent and ever improving staffing schedule and shift patterns, we expected better performance in B01 Number of Calls Answered within 60 seconds and thus, this stands true as indicated below. With less of a demand and |

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| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | <p>improvement in the performance of B01, it is also expected that our B02 Number of Calls Abandoned performance would improve and fewer calls would be abandoned and thus, this also stands true and is a reflection of the performance seen below. B06 Total time to Call Answer would also directly improve with the same reasoning.</p> <p>As mentioned in previous months, less demand at the front end and the subsequent improvement in the front end performance parameters will directly have an effect downstream. Thus, lower demand would result in a decrease in C01 Number of Calls were person Triaged and therefore D01 Calls Assessed by a Clinician or Clinical Advisor would also directly be impacted and is the reason for the decrease seen below.</p> <p>The difference with the weekly and any monthly numbers for items C01 & D01 is because at the end of every month we rerun the months data again and this then updates our data.</p> <p>KPI13 has dropped significantly and is almost zero due to the ending of EDDI bookings into EDs which has led to the drop in G09-qualifying cases.</p> <p>Occasionally patients are referred to an SDEC, but numbers will be small. Functionality is not yet available for SDEC appointments to be booked.</p> |
| B06 | Total time to call answer | |
| C01 | Number of calls where person triaged | |
| D01 | Calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor | |
| G09 | Number of calls where caller given a booked time slot with a Type 1 or 2 ED | |
| G10, G11 | SDEC service bookings | |

111AH4 Mid & South Essex

Lead data supplier: Integrated Care 24 Ltd (IC24)

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| A05 | External clinician calls to Clinical Assessment Service (CAS) | This item currently not available, due development or not applicable. |
| B01 | Number of calls answered within 60 seconds | With regards to performance improvement, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Absence improved in August across the Essex Health Advisor cohort, resulting in more on the phone time. There was an improved forecasting in August. There were increased headcounts from the recruitment team, coming through training. |
| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | |
| B06 | Total time to call answer | |
| B07, B08 | Call answer centiles | Due to the way that our calls are currently aggregated, centile figures may be inaccurate. |
| D01 | Calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor | In regard to the disparity between weekly aggregate and monthly official numbers, we have looked into developing a new procedure to ensure that this disparity will in future be reduced to the barest minimum. |
| D21 | 95th centile time to clinical assessment for callers requiring assessment within 20 minutes (immediately) | Figure might be inaccurate due to the way the calls are aggregated. |
| D23 | Number of callers who needed to speak to a clinician or Clinical Advisor within a timeframe over 20 minutes, who were warm transferred or received a call back within the specified timeframe | Though there is a slow-paced improvement in the proportion of call backs by clinicians within timeframe (20 – 60 minutes), the businesses system has continued to prioritise urgent calls as they present a higher proportion of the total needing a 'speak to by clinicians or a clinical advisor'. |
| E17 | Number of callers recommended self-care at the end of clinical input | This metric is dependent on patient behaviour and clinical judgment. |

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| G03 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into a GP Practice or GP access hub | Although this has stabilised over recent months, there are not enough bookable appointments across GP and GP hub for patients with the relevant disposition code. |
| G07 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into a UTC | Usually, a value of zero or very small numbers each month. |
| G09 | Number of calls where caller given a booked time slot with a Type 1 or 2 ED | Following the decommissioning of EDDI by the NHS at the end of June 2023, systems development are working on Booking and Referral standards. |
| G10, G11 | SDEC service bookings | The booking system is not utilised as often as the DoS option is being presented. There is ongoing discussion around hydrating the SG/SD codes to present more often at clinical CAS endpoints via PaCCs to enable the clinicians to select the EDDI DAB slots. |
| G12, G13 | Calls received by dental services not using DoS | These items are currently not available, due development or not applicable. |
| H17, H18 | NHS 111 Online contacts initially given an ETC disposition | These items are currently not available, due development or not applicable. These are nulls instead of 0. Unable to monitor whether a call back has been offered via an online assessment. |
| H19 to H22 | NHS 111 Online contacts where person was offered and accepted a call back and needed to speak to a clinician or Clinical Advisor within specified timeframe | |

111AC7 Milton Keynes

Lead data supplier: DHU HealthCare CIC (DHU)

DHU does not run the CAS for Milton Keynes so there may be incomplete coverage for the following data items: D01, D13-D14, E02-E04, E06, E09, E12-E16, E18, G03, G05, G07, G09, G14.

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | The decrease in the level of demand is likely caused by annual trends in service demand. This decrease in A01 will have lead to impact an on service level. An increase in actual staffing levels was the main cause for the change in performance. |
| B06 | Total time to call answer | |
| B07 | 95th centile call answer time (seconds) | Current telephony system does not allow accurate recording of this metric, so a proxy is provided instead. |
| B08 | 99th centile call answer time (seconds) | |

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| E05 | Number of callers recommended to attend Same Day Emergency Care (SDEC) | There are no commissioned services that fall in the SDEC category in the Milton Keynes region so this data item may show zero. |
| E27-E31 | Number of calls initially given an ETC disposition that receive remote clinical intervention | DHU operates a partial ED Validation Service in Milton Keynes, with no access to the remaining data. |
| G05 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into an IUC Treatment Service | The low value is caused by cases that are sent to GP OOH services that are out of area. |
| G09 | Number of calls where caller given a booked time slot with a Type 1 or 2 ED | The system used for the bookings has been decommissioned during this time and only a few EDs replaced their booking and referral system. We did not have the appointments available to use in many areas. |
| G11 | SDEC service bookings | There are no commissioned services that fall in the SDEC category in the Milton Keynes region so this data item may show zero. |
| G12, G13 | Calls received by dental services | Not applicable to service. |
| G16 to G19 | Community pharmacy service | |
| G21 | Number of patients receiving a face-to-face consultation in their home residence within the timeframe agreed | Milton Keynes do not provide us details for these data items. |
| H14-H16 | NHS111 Online Face to Face | |

111AG8 Norfolk including Great Yarmouth and Waveney

Lead data supplier: Integrated Care 24 Ltd (IC24)

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| A05 | External clinician calls to Clinical Assessment Service (CAS) | This item currently not available, due development or not applicable. |
| B01 | Number of calls answered within 60 seconds | The month on month changes throughout July and August and found that call answer speed improved significantly towards the of July and the trend continued into August. The % of calls answered within 60 seconds was 70-80% in the first part of July but increased to over 90% at the end of the month and throughout August. This is probably due to seasonal trends relating to the summer holiday period. |
| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | |
| B06 | Total time to call answer | |

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| B07, B08 | Call answer centiles | Due to the way that our calls are currently aggregated, centile figures may be inaccurate. |
| D21 | 95th centile time to clinical assessment for callers requiring assessment within 20 minutes (immediately) | Figure might be inaccurate due to the way the calls are aggregated. |
| D23 | Number of callers who needed to speak to a clinician or Clinical Advisor within a timeframe over 20 minutes, who were warm transferred or received a call back within the specified timeframe | Clinicians are prioritising urgent calls and as well as call back within the shortest possible time as this is the focus of the business. |
| G07 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into a UTC | Usually, a value of zero or very small numbers each month. |
| G09 | Number of calls where caller given a booked time slot with a Type 1 or 2 ED | Following the decommissioning of EDDI by the NHS at the end of June 2023, systems development are working on Booking and Referral standards. |
| G10, G11 | SDEC service bookings | SDEC is not used on the DoS much; SDEC booking is done by phone not booking system. Numbers will remain low until SDEC services pick up and are profiled on the DoS. |
| G12, G13 | Calls received by dental services not using DoS | These items are currently not available, due development or not applicable. |
| H17, H18 | NHS 111 Online contacts initially given an ETC disposition | |
| H19 to H22 | NHS 111 Online contacts where person was offered and accepted a call back and needed to speak to a clinician or Clinical Advisor | These are nulls instead of 0, we are currently not able to monitor whether a call back has been offered via an online assessment. |

111AH7 North East Essex & Suffolk

Lead data supplier: Practise Plus Group (PPG)

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| B06 | Total time to call answer | PPG remain pleased with the improved and sustained performance position. |

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| | | Validation/Clinical metrics are also improved directly reflecting our significant uplift in CA recruitment and rota planning. |
| E17 | Number of callers recommended self-care at the end of clinical input | With consistent failed access to primary care during in hours, the acuity of our clinical queue remains high. This ultimately impacts the appropriateness of self-care recommendations. |
| G03 | Calls where the caller was booked into a GP Practice or GP access hub | Low numbers due to the lack of availability of appointments. |
| G05 | Calls where the caller was booked into an IUC Treatment Centre | Limited opportunity due to lack of local provision. |
| G10, G11 | SDEC selections | The SDEC care service is not currently active. |

111AI3 West Essex

Lead data supplier: HUC.

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| A01 | Number of calls received | As we already know, a percentage of our calls are still being diverted to the NHSE National Contingency Service but we have noted that call volumes have dropped in August 2024, Calls Offered to Call Centre in July were 236 per day whereas it was 213 calls per day in August 2024. The drop in calls can be attributed to seasonality as months from June to August are less busy historically as well but demand will pick-up in coming months. The drop in demand had positive impact on performance with fewer calls to answer and abandon rate has come down and is under 3% threshold at 1.3% in August compared to 5% in July. The average speed to answer has seen a drop from 80 seconds in July to 21 seconds in August which is just one second over the 20 second national KPI for Average speed to answer. The operational team is consistently working towards matching the staffing with demand. |
| B01 | Number of calls answered within 60 seconds | |
| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | |
| B06 | Total time to call answer | |

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| C01 | Number of calls where person triaged | The difference in weekly and monthly figures will be due to end of month reconciliations. |
| D01 | Calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor | |
| G09 | Number of calls where caller given a booked time slot with a Type 1 or 2 ED | The drop in KPI13 is due to the ending of EDDI bookings into EDs which has led to the drop in G09-qualifying cases. |
| G10, G11 | SDEC service bookings | Occasionally patients are referred to an SDEC, but numbers will be small. Functionality is not yet available for SDEC appointments to be booked. |

London region

111AL9 North Central London (LAS)

Lead data supplier: London Ambulance Service NHS Trust (LAS) (as of August 2024)

Contract changes for NCL from November 2023 has resulted in combined ADC data across two providers using our own SQL procedures.

While reports continue to be validated, previous issues with the Adastra SSRS reporting are now resolved.

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| A01 | Number of calls received | Demand was lower across all contract areas in the month of August. We saw limited impact of GP Call to Action and low sickness during this month which has impacted performance positively. |
| A03 | Number of answered calls | |
| B01 | Number of calls answered within 60 seconds | |
| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | |
| B06 | Total time to call answer | |
| C01 | Number of calls where person triaged | |
| D01 | Calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor | |
| D04 | Calls assessed by a mental health nurse | These items are blank because our provider had changed the reporting type. |
| D07 | Calls assessed by a dental nurse | Not applicable. |
| E05 | Number of callers recommended to attend Same Day Emergency Care (SDEC) | Figures validated and are low due to restrictive criteria for referral into the service. |

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| G07 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into a UTC | Bookings into EDs and UTCs in NCL have dropped since EDDI was decommissioned in June. UTCs are co-located with EDs in NCL. |
| G09 | Number of calls where caller given a booked time slot with a Type 1 or 2 ED | Bookings into EDs and UTCs in NCL have dropped since EDDI was decommissioned in June. |
| H16 | Number of NHS 111 Online contacts that resulted in patient requiring a face to face consultation within their home residence, who received a face to face consultation in their home residence within the timeframe agreed | The figure is 0 or low due to the type of referrals from 111 Online which do not result in face-to-face home consultations. |
| H17-H18 | NHS 111 Online contacts initially given an ETC disposition | Data items are blank or very low. We are investigating this due to using new data sources in ADC. |
| H19-H22 | NHS 111 Online contacts where contact offered a call | |

111AH5 North East London

Lead data supplier: London Ambulance Service NHS Trust (LAS)

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| A01 | Number of calls received | Demand was lower across all contract areas in the month of August. We saw limited impact of GP Call to Action and low sickness during this month which has impacted performance positively. |
| A03 | Number of answered calls | |
| B01 | Number of calls answered within 60 seconds | We have been working internally to review our reporting of Abandonment rate; as the figure reported was not accurately reflecting performance we saw in the call centre. Following a number of deep dives into the telephony routing and the reporting feeds, we saw the issue started when we moved to CM10 (end of |
| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | |

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| B06 | Total time to call answer | May 2024). We reviewed all CM10 VDNs which were being counted under each contract and found a handful of VDNs which were being counted incorrectly (internal numbers). We have now reviewed, tested and implemented changes to reporting to ensure we have an accurate representation of performance. This was implemented from 2nd September. We will resubmit our data for previous months once the revisions window is open. |
| C01 | Number of calls where person triaged | |
| D01 | Calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor | |
| D10 | Number of calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor that were warm transferred | We are currently investigating this item and the changes in numbers reported each month. |
| D14 | Callers who needed to speak to a clinician or Clinical Advisor within 20 minutes (immediately), who were warm transferred or received a call back within 20 minutes | We use a local quality metric of 1 hour for cat 3 and 4 validation, including Dx333 Speak to a Clinician from our service immediately - Ambulance Validation. |
| G09 | Number of calls where caller given a booked time slot with a Type 1 or 2 ED | Booking into EDs in NEL has dropped since EDDI was decommissioned in June |
| G11 | Calls where the caller was booked into an SDEC service | No bookable appointments recorded usually or if there are it is usually very small numbers of cases. |
| H20 | Number of NHS 111 Online contacts where person was offered and accepted a call back and needed to speak to a clinician or Clinical Advisor within 20 minutes (immediately), who received a call back within 20 minutes | Most months this item will either be zero or very low. |

111AJ1 North West London

Lead data supplier: London Ambulance Service NHS Trust (LAS)

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| A01 | Number of calls received | Demand was lower across all contract areas in the month of August. We saw limited impact of GP Call to Action and low sickness during this month which has impacted performance positively. |
| A03 | Number of answered calls | |
| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | |

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| B06 | Total time to call answer | |
| D02 | Calls assessed by a general practitioner | We have changed how these items are reported to be consistent with North East London and South East London. (We are now receiving 'Final Assessment Provider Type' from LCW/PPG). |
| D09 | Calls assessed by another type of clinician | |
| D10 | Number of calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor that were warm transferred | We are currently investigating this item and the changes in numbers reported each month. |
| D14 | Callers who needed to speak to a clinician or Clinical Advisor within 20 minutes (immediately), who were warm transferred or received a call back within 20 minutes | We use a local quality metric of 1 hour for cat 3 and 4 validation, including Dx333 Speak to a Clinician from our service immediately - Ambulance Validation. |
| G05, G04 | Calls where the caller was booked into an IUC Treatment Centre | There are appointment bookings into IUC treatment centres but there are no appointment bookings into home residence (home visit). |
| G09 | Number of calls where caller given a booked time slot with a Type 1 or 2 ED | Bookings into ED/UTC's have fallen now the EDDI booking system has been decommissioned so there's no ability to book into EDs now, just referral via DoS. |
| H19, H20, H21, H22 | NHS 111 Online contacts where person was offered and accepted a call back and needed to speak to a clinician or Clinical Advisor, who received a call back within the specified timeframe | These are usually either nulls or very small numbers each month. |

111AD7 South East London

Lead data supplier: London Ambulance Service NHS Trust (LAS)

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| A01 | Number of calls received | Demand was lower across all contract areas in the month of August. We saw limited impact of GP Call to Action and low sickness during this month which has impacted performance positively. |
| A03 | Number of answered calls | |

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| B01 | Number of calls answered within 60 seconds | We have been working internally to review our reporting of Abandonment rate; as the figure reported was not accurately reflecting performance we saw in the call centre. Following a number of deep dives into the telephony routing and the reporting feeds, we saw the issue started when we moved to CM10 (end of May 2024). We reviewed all CM10 VDNs which were being counted under each contract and found a handful of VDNs which were being counted incorrectly (internal numbers). We have now reviewed, tested and implemented changes to reporting to ensure we have an accurate representation of performance. This was implemented from 2nd September. We will resubmit our data once the revisions window is open. |
| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | |
| B06 | Total time to call answer | |
| D10 | Number of calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor that were warm transferred | We are currently investigating this item and the changes in numbers reported each month. |
| D14 | Callers who needed to speak to a clinician or Clinical Advisor within 20 minutes (immediately), who were warm transferred or received a call back within 20 minutes | We work to our own localised mapping for 20min response in the CAS so these codes may sit within our lower priorities which mean we would not be meeting a 20min response on them. |
| G09 | Number of calls where caller given a booked time slot with a Type 1 or 2 ED | Bookings into ED/UTC's have fallen now the EDDI booking system has been decommissioned so there's no ability to book into EDs now, just referral via DoS. |
| G11 | Calls where the caller was booked into an SDEC service | No bookable appointments recorded usually or if there are it is usually very small numbers of cases. |
| H20 | NHS 111 Online contacts | This item is very low most months. |

111AK9 South West London

Lead data supplier: Practice Plus Group (PPG)

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | August has seen a decrease in demand which is expected through the summer holiday months. The consistent |

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| | | improvements over last three months continue to be as a result of our recruitment campaign, more alignment in terms of rota fill, our continued focus on handling times and adherence to schedule. In addition, we are also dedicating time to reducing our clinical advisor call lengths and case handling times in order to improve productivity. Whilst our Clinical recruitment is increasing, we may see some fluctuations in performance as it will take some time to reap the benefits of this upturn whilst the new CAs are trained and embed their learning. |
| B06 | Total time to call answer | With regard to disparity between weekly aggregate numbers and monthly official numbers, LAS data received too late for weekly submission but in time for monthly submission. |
| B07, B08 | 95th & 99 th centile call answer time (seconds) | LAS data excluded from centile metrics as aggregated data is received by PPG. |
| D14 | Callers who needed to speak to a clinician or Clinical Advisor within 20 minutes (immediately), who were warm transferred or received a call back within 20 minutes | There has been an improvement in this KPI which can be attributed to the focus on focus on CAS clinician productivity and 111 clinical recruitments since the beginning of 2024 and where a number of clinicians are currently within training and consolidation period. Current push in clinical recruitment is a long term measure to ensure more resilient and stable cohort of clinical advisors as we move through the summer |
| E20 | Number of calls initially given a category 3 or 4 ambulance disposition that receive remote clinical intervention | Figures are missing 999 validations done by LAS; numbers show the few that were picked up by Practice Plus Group. |
| F02 | Directory of Services: no service available other than ED (ED catch-all) | This is usually very low or zero. |
| G04/G05 | DoS selections – IUC Treatment Service | We continue to drive top of the DOS selection within our 111 team which has tended upwards month on month, however availability on the DOS directly affects this KPI. |
| G09 | Number of calls where caller given a booked time slot with a Type 1 or 2 ED | EDDI system being switched off doesn't allow for many options to book directly into Emergency Departments which directly impact this KPI |

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| G13 | Number of calls received by dental services not using DoS that resulted in a booked appointment | No Smile data was received from Healthy London Partnership. |
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South East region

111AH9 Hampshire & Surrey Heath

Lead data supplier: South Central Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust (SCAS).

We have been unable to provide a number of metrics and as such, these are listed as blank. Please note that the fields we have listed as zero are legitimate zeros. These blanks fall into one of three categories: a) we have been unable to provide the data due to technical limitations, mostly around telephony. B) metrics which we need more time to investigate a solution to, a number of these are ones added later in the lifespan of the Specification. These come under two groups of data – community pharmacy/prescription booking and DOS options (not DOS selected).

We have unfortunately been unable to clarify with a number of External IUC providers what metrics they would report against based on their services. Unfortunately, we have also been unable to finalise setup of our SFTP site to allow those who have completed the process to submit data to us. We were unable to receive PID data securely to allow us to link Provider data back to ours to avoid double counting and would only be able to receive aggregated data for a partial submission for A06, we made the difficult decision not to request data from the 5 providers we were able to complete the process around services and metrics for.

There was a system issue between Friday 9th August and Tuesday 13th August and we are missing telephony data for a few hours on each day - please see a list below of the missing dates and hours. For the weekly submissions, the previous week's data was used to calculate and apply an uplift for the missing hours to fill the gaps for the following metrics: A01 – B08.

The issue has been resolved, however the data cannot be backfilled. Therefore, for the monthly submission, we have used the uplifted figures for Friday 9th – Tuesday 13th August, to represent the missing volumes for metrics A01 – A03, B01 – B06 and B09. Unfortunately, we are unable to calculate uplifted figures for B07 and B08, therefore the figures in the submission are based on the available data between 1st August – 8th August and 14th – 31st August only (9th – 13th August is excluded).

Please see below the dates and hours effected by the outage, along with the data we have available for A01 and the uplift applied:

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 - Data available: 4040 calls
 - Uplift calculated: 228 calls

- Monday 12th August between 9am and 4pm
- Data available: 1975 calls
- Uplift calculated: 1796 calls
- Tuesday 13th August between 6am and 7pm
- Data available: 1116 calls
- Uplift calculated: 2338 calls

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| A05 | External clinician calls to Clinical Assessment Service (CAS) | Blank as uncertainty whether there is a direct line in this way. |
| A07 | Calls which originated from an external NHS 111 provider | Volumes split equally between the two SCAS Contract Areas. |
| B01 | Number of calls answered within 60 seconds | <p>August's performance is the best performance we've had since April 2022. Demand declined by 4.5% since July 2024 and the ratio of calls offered per logged in hour dropped from 4.1 in July 2024 to 3.8 in August 2024. This had a knock-on effect on performance, allowing us to answer 96.3% of offered calls within 120 seconds and abandon 0.6% of calls offered after 30 seconds.</p> <p>The overall performance for August would not have been impacted significantly if we were able to recover the missing data over the 5-day outage. Based on projected volumes and daily performance for the days effected, performance would have remained the same or slightly better.</p> |
| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | |
| B06 | Total time to call answer | |
| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | |
| B07, B08 | 95 th /99 th centile call answer time (seconds) | Telephony data is not provided at a transactional level, so we are unable to split telephony figures by contract area. Figures are calculated by applying a % based on numbers triaged. |
| B09 | Total time of abandoned calls (seconds) | |

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| C05 | Calls where person triaged by any other Clinician | No known "Other" clinicians operate. |
| D01 | Calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor | Some 111 calls when transferred to teams (previous to June, this was mostly Mental Health and Dental) become listed as external creating a new call with no triage listing for the Clinicians involvement. For January 21 this worked out as around 0.5% of Calls Answered. This has increased significantly from June 2021 due to operational changes in how two CAS organisations have calls passed to them in which the call is passed via the DOS. |
| E01 | Total number of dispositions | E01 does not match the sum of its parts as some of the Dx codes do not map to items E02-E18 inclusive. However, this disparity equates to less than 0.1% of E01 cases per month. |
| G02 to G09, G14 | Callers booked into a service following a DoS selection | Disparity with provisional figures is due to not being able to manually update weekly DoS figures with up to date service types – this is only feasible monthly. |
| G07 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into a UTC | With regards to Thames Valley's much higher rates compared to Hampshire & Surrey Heath, TV has limited UTC resource – appointments volumes are known and not over-recommended/subscribed resulting in better performance. HSH issue if in comparison is not one of appointments but DOS Selections creating larger divisible figure that cannot be met with available UTC resource. |
| G11 | Calls where the caller was booked into an SDEC service | No DoS booked appointments listed for SDEC in timeframe. |
| G15 | Number of calls where repeat prescription medication was issued within your service | Under investigation |
| G18 to G19 | Community pharmacy service | We do not have data for these items as we have not yet had the SSRS feed reinstated after the Adastral outage. |
| G20 to G23 | Number of patients requiring a face to face consultation in their home residence | SCAS does not hold this data as we have experienced problems gathering data from providers. |
| H13 to H16 | NHS 111 Online contacts that resulted in patient requiring a face to face consultation in an IUC Treatment Centre | |

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| H19 to H22 | NHS 111 Online contacts where person was offered and accepted a call back | We are having issues matching inbound Dx from 111 online data necessary to identify callback times – We continue to work on this. |
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111AA6 Isle of Wight

Lead data supplier: Isle of Wight NHS Trust

Outcomes of calls forwarded to remote Clinical Assessment Services (DAS, PHL and MHA) are currently not included in the ADC submission.

Some telephony figures are missing/lost for 12th and 13th August (and potentially 9th to 11th) due to data extraction process issues within SCAS (IOW are a node running off the SCAS telephony platform - and therefore our telephony data is held in their data warehouse).

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| A01 | Number of calls received | While Annual Summer Leave is fairly distributed through a rotating hierarchy – the earlier months were favoured by the majority of staff this year. There is a potential that the notable decline in tourists to the Island this Summer. I think reasonable to suggest these were contributory factors There has been an identified issue with the Avaya upgrade to CM10 where the data centre managed by SCAS has overwritten some data, this issue was also experienced in SCAS and they have been unable to retrieve the data over 9 th to the 13 th August which will have further reduced August call numbers. IOW are not able to include ‘calls transferred from the 999 Ambulance Service into NHS 111’ in A01. IOW 111 and 999 call answering services are co-located and served by the same call handlers/clinicians - so calls are not physically received and answered for reporting as per the ADC specification. |
| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | |
| B06 | Total time to call answer | |
| C01 | Number of calls where person triaged | The number of ‘trriages’ exceed the number of ‘answered’ calls (A03+A07) primarily because we are not able to automatically include ‘calls from 999’ (which was previously |

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| | | reported as A04) in A01 due to co-location of 111/999 services. |
| D01 | Calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor | The two Clinical Advisors are now working independently. A variation on the contractual shift pattern for all Clinicians has been successful in our efforts to satisfy demand. |
| E17 | Callers recommended self-care at the end of clinical input | Calls forwarded to our remote Clinical Assessment Services (CAS) not included. |
| E26, E27 | Calls initially given an ETC disposition that receive remote clinical intervention | We are only validating a small number of SG / SD's as our UTC is profiled to take a vast proportion (approx. 60%) of ETC dispositions, therefore negating the need for a '111 First (or 'ETC') 'validation'. If we were to record only the calls that would have been referred to an ETC, we would be reporting a far higher performance figure, but this metric includes all dispositions regardless of if the call is referred to a more appropriate service before ETC. |
| G01 to G10 | Callers given appointments and booking types | There are several services where appointments cannot be booked. For example, almost 2/3 of our ETC dispositions are referred to services other than ETC (e.g. IUC) where we do not currently book appointments. In addition, high volumes of out of area calls reduces the opportunity to book appointments. |
| G05 | Calls where the caller was booked into an IUC Treatment Centre | Our 111 service is currently unable to book directly into our own IUC and very few IUC services elsewhere. All reported bookings are for IUC TC's elsewhere. Checking back over the last 6 months or more it appears that less than 1% is not unusual for this KPI. |
| G10, G11 | SDEC service bookings | SDEC for telephony referrals not yet embedded. |
| G20 to G23 | Face to face consultations | This section of reporting is still being developed. |
| H19 to H22 | NHS 111 Online contacts | SSRS reporting not updated to include these new metrics at this time. |

111AI9 Kent, Medway & Sussex

Lead data supplier: South East Coast Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust (SECamb)

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| D21 | 95th centile time to clinical assessment for callers requiring assessment within 20 minutes (immediately) | Not yet able to report these metrics. |
| D25 | 95th centile time to clinical assessment for callers requiring assessment within a timeframe over 20 minutes | |
| E17 | Number of callers recommended self-care at the end of clinical input | Self-care outcomes after clinical output are driven predominantly by Pathways. |
| E21, E22 | Calls initially given a category 3 or 4 ambulance disposition that receive remote clinical intervention within a specified timeframe | Metrics currently unavailable. |
| E25 | Total wait time to category 3 or 4 ambulance validation | |
| E30 | Total wait time to ETC validation (seconds) | |
| E26 | Number of calls initially given an ETC disposition | CAS resource is balanced, when possible, to provide appropriate response to high-acuity cases, in addition to effective ambulance validation. |
| F02 | DoS: no service available other than ED (ED catch-all) | Unable to identify this value in the Cleric platform. |
| G11 | SDEC referrals and bookings | These data items are unavailable. |
| G20, G21, G22, G23 | Face to face consultations | Agreed with our Lead Commissioner that these are out of scope, as not relevant to our operating model. |
| H19, H20, H21, H22 | NHS 111 Online contacts | These are NULL. SECamb does not have granularity of Online activity. |

111AI2 Surrey Heartlands

Lead data supplier: Practice Plus Group (PPG)

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| A01 | Number of calls received | PPG remain pleased with the improved and sustained performance position. |
| A03 | Number of answered calls | |

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| B06 | Total time to call answer | Validation/Clinical metrics are also improved directly reflecting our significant uplift in CA recruitment and rota planning. |
| E17 | Number of callers recommended self-care at the end of clinical input | With consistent failed access to primary care during in hours, the acuity of our clinical queue remains high. This ultimately impacts the appropriateness of self-care recommendations. |
| G10, G11 | SDEC selections | The SDEC care service is not currently active. |

111AG9 Thames Valley

Lead data supplier: South Central Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust (SCAS).

We have unfortunately been unable to clarify with a number of External IUC providers what metrics they would report against based on their services. Unfortunately, we have also been unable to finalise setup of our SFTP site to allow those who have completed the process to submit data to us.

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| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| A05 | External clinician calls to Clinical Assessment Service (CAS) | Blank as uncertainty whether there is a direct line in this way. |
| A06 | Unscheduled IUC attendances | We were unable to receive PID data securely to allow us to link Provider data back to ours to avoid double counting and would only be able to receive aggregated data for a partial submission for A06, we made the difficult decision not to request data from the five providers we were able to complete the process around services and metrics for. |
| A07 | Calls which originated from an external NHS 111 provider | Both the two SCAS areas cover both areas so we have to do an even split for other organisations as they are technically out of area and we operate a virtual call centre so there is no way to split it, other than 50/50. |
| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | August's performance is the best performance we've had since April 2022. Demand declined by 4.5% since July 2024 and the ratio of calls offered per logged in hour dropped from 4.1 in July 2024 to 3.8 in August 2024. This had a knock-on effect on performance, allowing us to answer 96.3% of offered calls within 120 seconds and abandon 0.6% of calls offered after 30 seconds. |
| B06 | Total time to call answer | The overall performance for August would not have been impacted significantly if we were able to recover the missing data over the 5-day outage. Based on projected volumes and daily performance for the days effected, performance would have remained the same or slightly better. |

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| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | The disparity between this item and the sum of its parts is due to the uplift calculated for the outage between 9 th and 13 th August, so the overall sum may not be an exact match to the sum of the individual elements. |
| B07, B08 | 95 th /99 th centile call answer time (seconds) | Telephony data are not provided at a transactional level, so we are unable to split telephony figures by contract area. Figures are calculated by applying a % based on numbers triaged. |
| B09 | Total time of abandoned calls (seconds) | |
| C05 | Calls where person triaged by any other Clinician | Zero. No known "Other" clinicians operate. |
| D01 | Calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor | Some 111 calls are transferred via DoS referral which generates a separate case number when the Clinicians do their assessment. Work done to match up original Health Advisor case number to second one generated by the Clinician. For some cases this was not possible. Work in progress to achieve a long-term solution. Process can only be done for Monthly submissions. G02 to G11 items also impacted. |
| D03 | Calls assessed by an advanced nurse practitioner | We do not operate this staff type any more. |
| D13, D14 | Number of callers who needed to speak to a clinician or Clinical Advisor within 20 minutes (immediately), who were warm transferred or received a call back within 20 minutes | Step change in November is because figures include dispositions added to the Dx code mapping file since October 2022 (i.e. Dx 3316 to Dx 3320). |
| G02 to G09, G14 | Callers booked into a service following a DoS selection | Disparity with provisional figures is due to not being able to manually update weekly DoS figures with up to date service types – this is only feasible monthly. |
| G03 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into a GP Practice or GP access hub | Low KPI outcome is driven by two factors, CAS provision issues to the lesser part (clinicians tend to be better in appointment booking) but mainly appointment availability issues. |
| G07 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into a UTC | With regards to Thames Valley's much higher rates compared to Hampshire & Surrey Heath, TV has limited UTC resource – appointments volumes are known and not over-recommended/subscribed resulting in better performance. HSH issue if in comparison is not one of appointments but DOS Selections creating larger divisible figure that cannot be met with available UTC resource. |

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| G11 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into an SDEC service | No DoS booked appointments or very low numbers listed for SDEC any month. |
| G12, G13 | Number of calls received by dental services not using DoS that resulted in a booked appointment | Most of the booking done by dental is now done via the DoS. |
| G15 | Number of calls where repeat prescription medication was issued within your service | Under investigation |
| G18 to G19 | Community pharmacy service | We do not have data for these items as we have not yet had our SSRS feed reinstated after the Adastra outage. |
| G20 to G23 | Number of patients requiring a face to face consultation in their home residence | SCAS does not hold this data – as we have experienced problems gathering data from Providers. |
| H13 to H16 | Number of NHS 111 Online contacts that resulted in patient requiring a face to face consultation in an IUC Treatment Centre | |
| H19 to H22 | Number of NHS 111 Online contacts where person was offered and accepted a call back | We are having issues matching inbound Dx from 111 online data necessary to identify callback times – work continues. |

South West region

111AL6 BaNES, Swindon & Wiltshire (Medvivo-PPG)

Lead data supplier: Medvivo group (Medvivo)

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| A07 | Calls which originated from an external NHS 111 provider | Our 111 partners (PPG) have advised they do not externally receive cases directly into the 111 service. |
| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | As stated, performance is very similar to last month. There was a small drop in activity which resulted in a small uplift in performance. CA and HA staffing remained consistently positive over the course of the month which will have contributed towards good performance levels. We did not see any large spikes in activity either at weekends and without any bank holidays in the month, performance remained pretty constant. |
| B06 | Total time to call answer | |

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| G07 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into a UTC | <p>As EDDI has been decommissioned and none of our providers have confirmed that there is a solution in place and they are all moving to one joint Electronic Patient Record (EPR) system over the next year.</p> <p>We were hoping one provider had an interim solution but that does not appear to be the case. That doesn't mean referrals are not being sent to them but the KPI is specific to booking.</p> |
| G10, G11 | Calls where the caller was booked into an SDEC service | BSW IUC do not yet book appointments into the SDEC service. |
| H01 to H22 | NHS Online | Our partner PPG are not currently supporting digital/online sourced contacts. |

111A15 Bristol, North Somerset & South Gloucestershire

Lead data supplier: BRISDOC Healthcare Services Ltd (BRISDOC)

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | <p>Overall demand in August was 5% lower than July, with 27.8K calls received.</p> <p>We received averages of 654 NHS111 calls per weekday and 1176 NHS111 calls per weekend/bh day.</p> |
| B06 | Total time to call answer | <p>Call answering performance was consistent with July; abandonments down by 0.2% to 2.7%. The average speed to answer was 65 seconds.</p> <p>Calls assessed by a clinician within timeframe was 38.9% for immediate timeframe and 55.7% for >20 minute timeframe.</p> |

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| D01 | Calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor | <p>The calculation for weekly dataset is not picking up all cases originating from out-of-region. I have added a new version of the calculation, which will remedy this going forward.</p> <p>You will see reduced discrepancy in September data and minimal in October.</p> |
| B01 to B11 | Call handling | CAS data not included as unavailable. |
| E20 | Number of calls initially given a category 3 or 4 ambulance disposition that receive remote clinical intervention | Ambulance assessment was on target with 90.9% (over 90% for the first time). |
| E27 | Number of calls initially given an ETC disposition that receive remote clinical intervention | ED remote assessment was on target at 95.9%. |
| F02 | Directory of Services: no service available other than ED (ED catch-all) | ED catch-all triggers only in exceptional circumstances. |
| G01 to G14 | Caller given an appointment | Figures exclude CAS activity as they are unavailable. |
| G05 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into an IUC Treatment Centre | The majority of bookings are via CAS, which are not captured. |
| G07 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into a UTC | DoS profile for UTC in BNSSG results in increased UTC selections, but not bookings. |
| G09 | Number of calls where caller given a booked time slot with a Type 1 or 2 ED | Direct bookings to ED 1&2 are disabled. Values seen are for UTCs and out-of-region ED services only. |
| G10, G11 | DoS selections – SDEC service | SDEC dispositions and services are not currently in use. |
| G16 to G19 | Community pharmacy service | Figures exclude CAS activity as they are unavailable. |
| H01 to H09 | NHS 111 Online contacts | |
| G21 | Number of patients receiving a face to face consultation in their home residence within the timeframe agreed | Home visits within timeframe were on target at 95.9%, with treatment centre visits on target at 98.9%. |
| G23 | Number of patients receiving a face to face consultation in an IUC Treatment Service within the timeframe agreed | |
| H19, H20, H21, H22 | Number of NHS 111 Online contacts where person was offered and accepted a call back | These items are usually either zero or very small. |

111AL3 Cornwall (HUC)

Lead data supplier: HUC

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| B01 | Number of calls answered within 60 seconds | Improved staffing, further consolidation of more recently recruited staff and better alignment of staffing patterns with demand profiles have allowed the service to better handle the volume of incoming calls, even as demand has gone up. |
| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | |
| B06 | Total time to call answer | |
| C01 | Number of calls where person triaged | We continue to complete data cleanup exercises before submitting monthly data, making sure the tagging of cases for C01 and D01 are accurate for that submission. |
| D01 | Calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor | |
| G03 | Calls where the caller was booked into a GP Practice or GP access hub | Recently active HAs are yet to receive smart cards needed for bookings, reducing the proportion that get direct booked. |
| G07 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into a UTC | All cases captured in G07 are from out of area. |
| G09 | Number of calls where caller given a booked time slot with a Type 1 or 2 ED | The ending of EDDI bookings for EDs has reduced the number of G09-tagged cases and so KPI 13. |
| G10, G11 | SDEC referrals and bookings | Since January 2023, SDEC has only ever appeared on the DoS a handful of times per day. |

111AL2 Devon (PPG)

Lead data supplier: Practice Plus Group (PPG)

Vocare data omitted from centile and average metrics as data is received by PPG in aggregated format.

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| E17 | Callers recommended self-care at the end of clinical input | Performance affected by acuity of patients within clinical queue higher than expected and lack of access to primary care. |
| G01, G07 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into a UTC | The direct booking system to UTCs in Devon is available to Tiverton and Newton Abbot UTCs. Cumberland UTC also. |
| G05 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into an IUC Treatment Service | This KPI outcome has dipped lower than normal as we limit our capacity for 111 to direct book into OOH. This is due to the need for capacity for urgent appointments. |

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| G09 | Number of calls where caller given a booked time slot with a Type 1 or 2 ED | Devon EDs have been changing their booking systems which directly affects this. Internal reports show 80% of available appointments booked, 16% not able to book (blocked) and 4% unutilised. |
| G11 | Calls where the caller was booked into an SDEC service | This SDEC service is not currently running in Devon. |

111AI4 Dorset

Lead data supplier: Dorset Health Care (DHC)

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | Increase in leave combined with and increase in sickness in August led to a small increase and answer time and subsequently more calls abandoned. Although the percentage increase month on month was high, this was due to a low baseline for July. Average speed to answer increased 5.7 seconds and calls abandoned increased by 0.4% so looking at the monthly daily average isn't the most helpful measure in this instance. |
| B06 | Total time to call answer | |
| C01 | Number of calls where person triaged | |
| D01 | Calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor | |
| C02 | Calls where person triaged by a Service Advisor | The discrepancy between the weekly and monthly figures for C01 and D01 are where we had to estimate figures on a Monday submission due to only receiving data from our supplier up to 5pm the previous day. |
| D04 | Calls assessed by a mental health nurse | |
| D07 | Calls assessed by a dental nurse | |
| G10, G11 | Calls where the caller was booked into an SDEC service | These items are usually either very small or zero each month. |
| G12, G13 | Received by dental services not using DoS | These items are zero and do not apply to our service. |
| H11, H12 | NHS 111 Online contacts with SDEC appointment | This is confirmed as a true zero. |

111AH2 Gloucestershire

Lead data supplier: Practise Plus Group (PPG)

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| B06 | Total time to call answer | Although call volume dropped off slightly during August, this was to be expected for the time of year. However, volume offered against contracted volume saw an additional 24.53%. The bulk of this volume coming in over the weekends whereby an additional 1,295 calls were seen in comparison to July. This additional volume coupled with annual leave due to the timing of year impacted our performance and in particular B02. |
| G07 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into a UTC | Gloucestershire doesn't actually have any UTCs. Any referrals we do see on previous months would be for other ICBs, for example Swindon UTC can take referrals from the Cotswold Local Authority but there have been no calls of that nature in August. |
| E17 | Callers recommended self-care at the end of clinical input | With consistent failed access to primary care during in hours, the acuity of our clinical queue remains high, resulting in lower self-care dispositions. ADC for E17 looks at data with certain dispositions (DX09/16/25/39/391/45/46/82/96). When taking into account cases closed with advice utilising other dispositions the % is much higher. |
| G05 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into an IUC Treatment Service | We have closed some of the direct booking appointments for 111 into some of Gloucestershire's IUC Treatment Centres due to the skillsets of our staffed ANP's. These appointments are now controlled by a coordinator within the TC to ensure patients are seen by the correct skillset. |
| G09 | Number of calls where caller given a booked time slot with a Type 1 or 2 ED | EDDI functionality was removed at the end of June, therefore 111 are now no longer able to direct book into emergency departments. |
| G11, G10 | SDEC selections | The SDEC care service is not currently active. |

111AL5 Somerset (HUC)

Lead data supplier: HUC

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| B01 | Calls answered within 60 seconds | Improved staffing, further consolidation of more recently recruited staff and better alignment of staffing patterns with demand profiles have allowed the service to better handle the volume of incoming calls. |
| B02 | Number of calls abandoned | |
| B06 | Total time to call answer | |
| C01 | Number of calls where person triaged | The disparity between monthly and weekly is due to data clean-up exercises have led to the variation in weekly-aggregate and monthly numbers for these items, removing duplications. |
| D01 | Calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor | |
| G07 | Calls where the caller was booked into a UTC | Continuing trend of low appointments booked vs DoS UTC referrals for this region. |
| G09 | Number of calls where caller given a booked time slot with a Type 1 or 2 ED | The ending of EDDI bookings into EDs has led to the drop in G09-qualifying cases (3 for July 2024) and so the drop in KPI 13 to near-zero. |
| G10, G11 | SDEC service bookings | We currently do not have or book into a SDEC service. |

111 National Support

111NR1 National Resilience

Lead data supplier: Vocare

The National Resilience Service was naturally tracking with Staffs 111 up to 9 Apr (as we were networked and demobilising from Midlands (Staffs) NHS 111 delivery). It is worth observing that we are closely working with the National team as we only have the NR 111 component to report on so we are trying to unpick why the National Resilience service tracks to national aggregate performance data but does not entirely behave the same way.

| Data item | Description | Comments |
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| A01 | Number of calls received | This service is delivering what NHSE have commissioned us to deliver and our call volumes are set weekly and forecasted out every six weeks by |
| A03 | Number of answered calls | |

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| B01 | Calls answered within 60 seconds | NHSE UEC team to ensure we only meet the demand that the supported providers cannot achieve. |
| B06 | Total time to call answer | |
| C01 | Number of calls where person triaged | |
| D01 | Calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor | The forecast shows a reduction in expected calls through to mid Feb 25 when the service is expecting to end as planned as the Providers by then have rectified their FTE to deliver their own services without National assistance from us. |
| D01 | Calls assessed by a clinician or Clinical Advisor | Our clinical KPIs especially 4-6 will be HA triaged and then for ED/ETC etc go into the prime provider's queue for validation, this should be the top DoS choice. We validate ambulance but are not contracted to validate ED's that rests with the primary provider we are supporting. |
| E17 | Number of callers recommended self-care at the end of clinical input | |
| E26 | Number of calls initially given an ETC disposition | |
| F03 | Calls where the caller is allocated the first service type offered by DoS | |
| G05 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into an IUC Treatment Service | |
| G06 & G07 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into a UTC | This contract area doesn't not have UTC or SDEC services to send patients to. |
| G10 & G11 | Number of calls where the caller was booked into an SDEC service | |
| G09 | Number of calls where caller given a booked time slot with a Type 1 or 2 ED | We do not validate ED Dx, that is the commissioned role of the prime provider, so we will seek the top DoS choice which should be an ED CAS and hope they get validated. |
| H19, H20, H21, H22 | NHS 111 Online contacts where person was offered and accepted a call back and needed to speak to a clinician or Clinical Advisor | The National resilience contract was never intended to manage digital cases, these still move through to the prime provider for that region. Specifically, the contract states only ever speaks to telephony. |