

**Explanatory Notes**

All cases admitted to hospital between 01 December 2025 and 28 February 2026 have been included. Only cases where the necessary data are available have been included in the denominator for each individual analysis.

The results for process measures for which fewer than 10 cases have available data will not be reported. Instead value will be marked as 'Insufficient data'.

For this report runcharts are compared to national quartiles.

For better insight to how these standards have been structured, please refer to the **NELA standards document**.

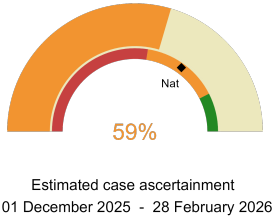


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**2025-26 Reporting Period 11: 01 December 2025 - 28 February 2026**

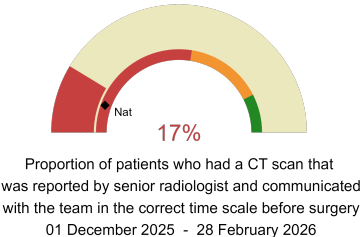
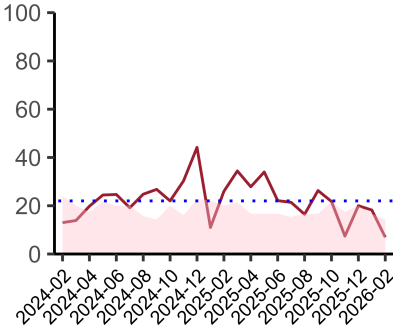
These plots represent patients having an emergency laparotomy during Year 2025-26 Reporting Period 11 of NELA data collection.

**NELA process and outcome measures**



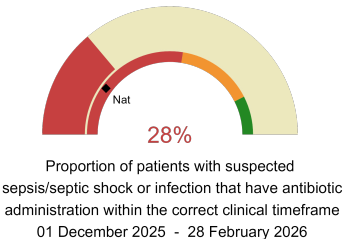
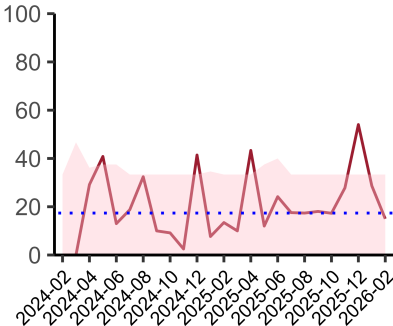
**Estimated Case Ascertainment  
(Based on HES Data)**

Expected number of cases 195  
Total cases entered 164  
Cases locked 152  
Cases unlocked 12



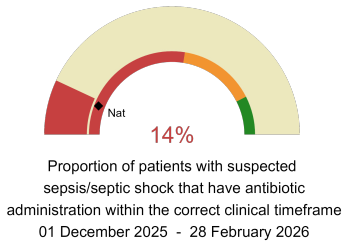
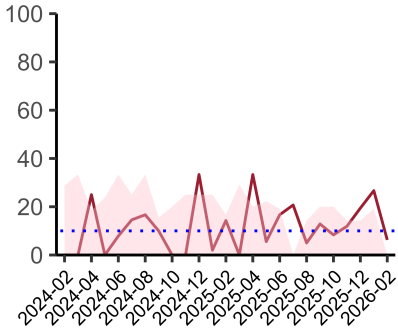
**CT reported by a senior radiologist  
(ST3+) and communicated with the  
team in the correct time scale  
before surgery.**

National mean 11%  
Number of patients included 127  
Data completeness 100%



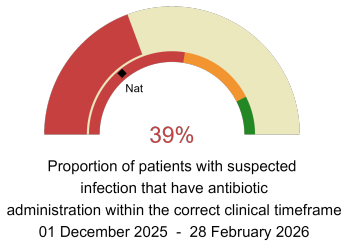
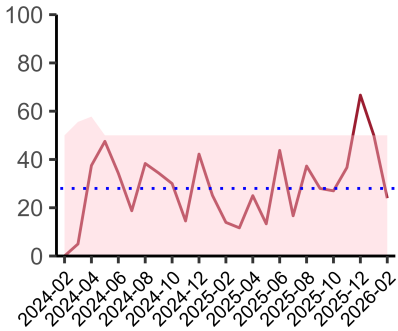
**Combined Infection  
management standard -  
antibiotic administration  
within the correct clinical  
timeframe**

National mean 20%  
Number of patients included 72  
Data completeness 93%



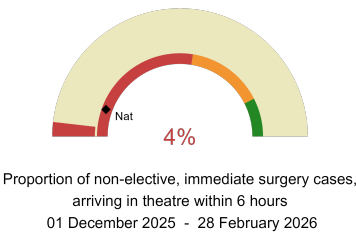
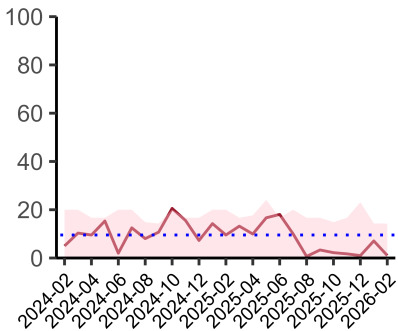
**Sepsis/septic shock - antibiotic administration within the correct clinical timeframe**

National mean 12%  
Number of patients included 37  
Data completeness 90%



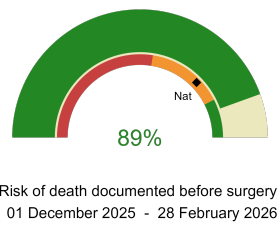
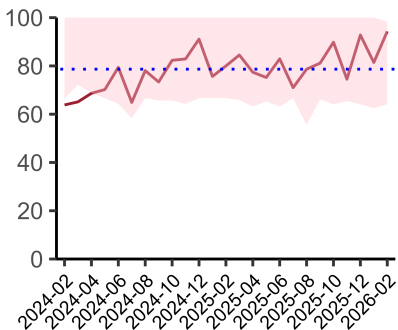
**Infection - antibiotic administration within the correct clinical timeframe**

National mean 28%  
Number of patients included 35  
Data completeness 48%



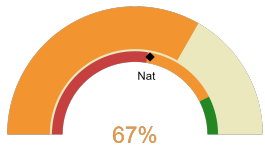
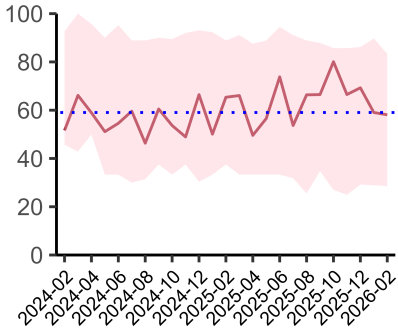
**Timeliness - proportion of patients arriving in theatre according to correct clinical timeframe.**

National mean 11%  
Number of patients included 99  
Data completeness 100%



**Risk documented before surgery**

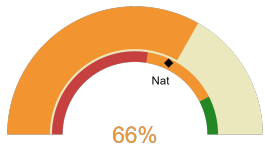
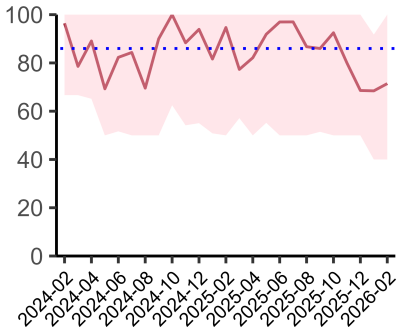
National mean 75%  
Number of patients included 164  
Data completeness 100%



Risk of death documented after surgery  
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**Risk documented after surgery**

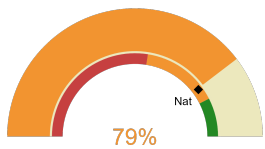
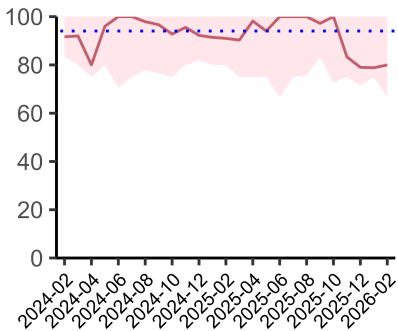
National mean 56%  
Number of patients included 164  
Data completeness 100%



Admitted to critical care following surgery when the risk of death ≥ 5% (Excludes patients who died in theatre or with a decision to palliate)  
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**Admitted to Critical Care (risk of death ≥ 5%)**

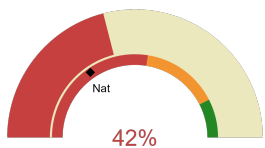
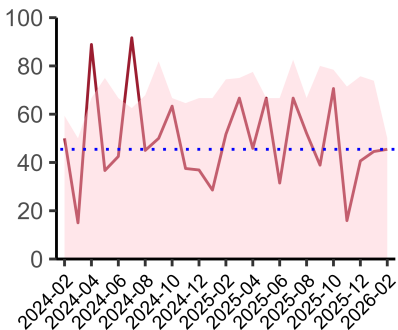
National mean 64%  
Number of patients included 96  
Data completeness 100%



Consultant surgeon and anaesthetist present in theatre when risk of death ≥ 5%  
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**Consultant Anaesthetist & Consultant Surgeon in theatre (risk of death ≥ 5%)**

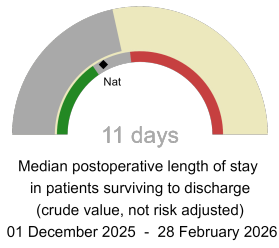
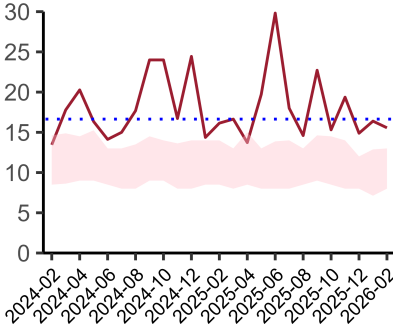
National mean 80%  
Number of patients included 94  
Data completeness 73%



Perioperative assessment by a care of the older person specialist  
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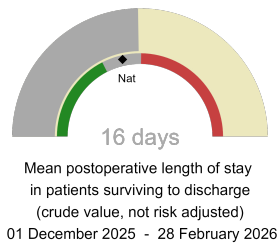
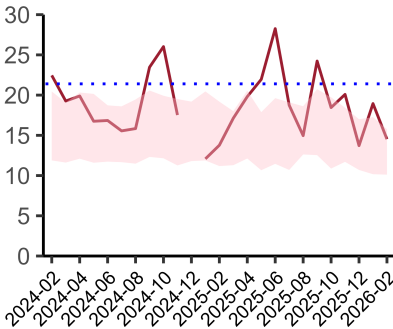
**Perioperative Assessment by a member of the geriatrician-led multidisciplinary team for patient aged 65 or over and frail (CFS ≥ 5) or 80+**

National mean 31%  
Number of patients included 41  
Data completeness 100%



**Median postoperative Length of Stay**

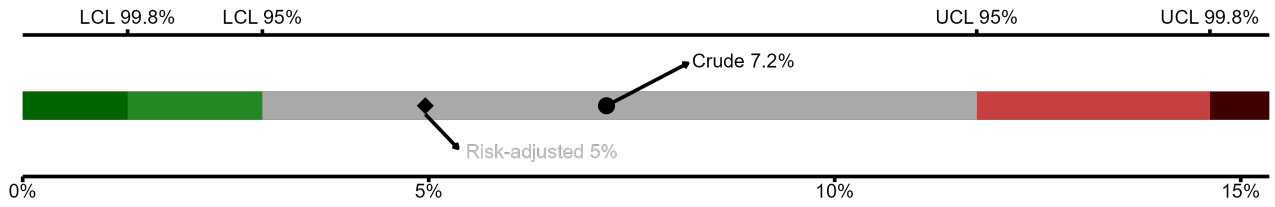
National median 9 days  
Number of patients included 140  
Data completeness 100%



**Mean postoperative Length of Stay**

National mean 14 days  
Number of patients included 140  
Data completeness 100%

**Risk-Adjusted Mortality**



Number of patients included 153 | 30-day risk-adjusted mortality rate 5% | National 30-day mortality rate 7.1%

**Integrated Care Board**

NHS North East London Integrated Care Board ICB comprises Homerton Hospital, Queen's Hospital - Romford, King George Hospital, The Royal London Hospital, Whipps Cross University Hospital, Newham University Hospital.