

4.1.3 SECONDARY AND TERTIARY HEALTH SERVICES

Introduction

Tertiary Services are specialised health services that are provided in a few Trust sites on a regional basis. Secondary Services are more general health services that are provided at the majority of District General Hospitals.

Tertiary Services

Tertiary services are commissioned on behalf of Neath Port Talbot Local Health Board (NPT LHB) by Health Commission Wales. The services included are:

- Blood and bone marrow transplantation
- Equipment for people with a complex physical disability
- Haemophilia and other bleeding disorders
- Spinal services
- Burns services
- Cystic Fibrosis care
- Cleft lip and palate services
- Allergy services
- Medical genetics
- Clinical immunology
- Ear surgery
- Morbid obesity
- Pathology services
- Cancer services
- Complex rehabilitation services
- Neurosciences
- Renal services
- Home parental nutrition
- Cardiology and Cardiac services
- Infectious diseases
- Hepatology, hepatobiliary and pancreatic services
- Mental Health
- Plastic Surgery
- Thoracic Surgery
- Womens Health
- Rheumatology
- Dermatology
- Hyperbaric treatment
- Pain Management
- Other specialist services for adults
- Specialised services for children

- Highly specialised services

Most NPT LHB residents will receive their tertiary treatment from Swansea NHS Trust at Morryston or Singleton Hospital or Cardiff and Vale NHS Trust at the University Hospital of Wales, Velindre or Llandough Hospitals.

SECONDARY SERVICES

Secondary Services are commissioned by Neath Port Talbot LHB primarily from two main providers, Bro Morgannwg NHS Trust and Swansea NHS Trust, although small numbers of patients may pass through other Trusts within and outside Wales. These two trusts have the following main hospital sites as listed in the table below:

Bro Morgannwg NHS Trust	Swansea NHS Trust
Princess of Wales Hospital, Bridgend	Morryston Hospital, Morryston
Neath Port Talbot Hospital, Baglan	Singleton Hospital, Swansea
Groeswen Hospital, Groeswen	Cefn Coed Hospital, Swansea
Cimla Hospital, Cimla	Gorseinon Hospital, Gorseinon
Maesgwyn Hospital, Maesgwyn	Clydach Hospital, Clydach
Maesteg Hospital, Maesteg	Fairwood Hospital
Glanrhyd Hospital, Penyfai	Hill House Hospital, Swansea
Hensol Hospital, Hensol	Orchard St Clinic, Swansea
Llwyneryr Hospital, Morryston	
Tonna Hospital, Tonna	

The majority of NPT residents treated by Bro Morgannwg Trust will use the new Neath Port Talbot Hospital Site at Baglan. This site provides a wide range of inpatient and outpatient services, Mental Health services and a Local Accident Centre service for use by local residents. There is also an increasing provision of surgical services being developed. Neath Port Talbot Hospital however does not provide the full range of services available at a large district general hospital and because of this some patients may need to be treated at either Swansea NHS Trust or the Princess of Wales Hospital in Bridgend.

Swansea NHS Trust consists of two large main sites, Morryston and Singleton Hospitals. Patients may be treated at either depending upon their health needs. A major accident centre is sited at Morryston Hospital.

A summary of the numbers of patients waiting for inpatient, day case and outpatient treatments as at 31/08/03 is set out below.

**Neath Port Talbot LHB Residents Waiting for Inpatient Treatment as at
31/08/03**

Specialty	Swansea	Bro Morgannwg	Cardiff & Vale	Cardmarthen shire	Gwent Healthcare	North Glamorgan	Pontypridd & Rhondda	Powys	Grand Total
Burns Surgery	2								2
Cardiac Surgery	44								44
Cardiology	33		4						37
ENT	562	22	2	2					588
Gastroenterology	1								1
General Surgery	275	89	8	14		1			387
Gynaecology	66	107	1			1			175
Nephrology	5								5
Neurology	14		2						16
Neurosurgery	55		5						60
Ophthalmology	58	2	1	3					64
Oral Surgery	42	9	2						53
Paediatric Cardiology			3						3
Paediatric Surgery			10						10
Pain Management								6	6
Plastic Surgery (Non Burns)	80								80
Rehabilitation	1								1
Restorative Dentistry	2								2
Thoracic Surgery	2		2						4
Trauma & Orthopaedic	244	589	26	11	2		4		876
Urology	45	50	1	2					98
Grand Total	1,531	868	67	32	2	2	4	6	2,512

**Neath Port Talbot LHB Residents Waiting for Day Case Treatment as at
31/08/03**

	Swansea	Bro Morgannwg	Cardiff & Vale	Carmarthenshire	Gwent Healthcare	North Glamorgan	Grand Total
Anaesthetics			7				7
Cardiology	40		1				41
ENT	9	12	5				26
General Medicine					1		1
General Surgery	55	291	1	1			348
Gynaecology	35	94		1			130
Haematology (clinical)			1				1
Neurosurgery	6						6
Ophthalmology	426	5		28		1	460
Oral Surgery	31	2	1				34
Paediatric Surgery			4				4
Paediatrics			1				1
Plastic Surgery (Non Burns)	79						79
Restorative Dentistry	3						3
Trauma & Orthopaedic	68	150	4	5	1		228
Urology	27	139		1			167
Grand Total	779	693	25	36	2	1	1,536

**Neath Port Talbot Residents Waiting for Outpatient Treatment as at
30/06/03**

Specialty	Swansea	Bro Morgannwg	Cardiff & Vale	Carmarthenshire	Ceredigion	Healthcare	North Glamorgan	Pontypridd & Rhondda	Powys	Velindre	Grand Total
Anaesthetics			10	3		3					16
Audiological Medicine			6								6
Cardiac Surgery	13										13
Cardiology	99	39	4						8		150
Child & Adolescent Psychiatry	251								2		253
Clinical Pharmacology			1								1
Dermatology	249	821	4	11							1,085
Endocrinology	12										12
ENT	287	925	3	14		1		1	32		1,263
Gastroenterology	11	145									156
General Medicine	86	579	12	49		1	1		2		730
General Surgery	242	333	3	37					1		616
Geriatric Medicine	8	46	1						1		56
Gynaecology	129	349	3	17					3		501
Haematology (clinical)	5	15									20
Mental Illness		110									110
Nephrology	1	12									13
Neurology	183	337	13	2		2					537
Neurosurgery	161	16									177
Old Age Psychiatry		55									55
Ophthalmology	312	588	1	15		1			17		934
Oral Surgery	207	123	3	6	1		1				341
Orthodontics	23	74							1		98
Paediatric Cardiology			1								1
Paediatric Surgery			10								10
Paediatrics	57	113	1								171
Pain Management				36					9		45
Plastic Surgery (Non Burns)	348										348
Radiotherapy	47									1	48
Rehabilitation	12										12
Restorative Dentistry	90		6								96
Rheumatology	29	81	2	8		1		1			122
Spinal Injuries			1								1
Thoracic Medicine	10		2								12
Thoracic Surgery	3										3
Trauma & Orthopaedic	525	1,426	31	21		5			43		2,051
Urology	68	371		9					6		454
Grand Total	3,468	6,558	118	228	1	14	2	2	125	1	10,517