

NOTES FOR PUBLICATION

This is the second publication of drug treatment waiting times using the revised publication format. The revisions have been made in order to improve the clarity of the information presented. They relate to the presentation of the data only and have not affected the underlying data collected.

Annex 3 of this publication contains details of the revisions and provides a comparison with the previous format.

Drug Treatment Waiting Times Information Framework Report April – June 2007

This publication presents data from the Drug Treatment Waiting Times Information Framework. It includes details on the number of clients waiting and the time waited for (1) clients to be offered an assessment date and (2) clients to be offered an appointment date for any intervention.

Further background information on the Waiting Times Information Framework can be found in Annex 1. Annex 2 contains details on how the information presented has been calculated.

Interpreting the data

Caution is recommended when interpreting these statistics. For April-June 07, the Scotland figure represents 20 out of 22 ADATs i.e. it does not represent the whole of Scotland. Also, the number of services submitting data varies significantly from area to area and within areas across the data collection period (see Table 5).

Due to the reorganisation of Argyll & Clyde ADAT, ISD now receives data for (1) Argyll & Bute (2) Greater Glasgow & Clyde (excluding Glasgow City) and (3) Glasgow City. This publication presents data for each of these areas for April-June 07. Information for Argyll & Clyde and Greater Glasgow ADATs, which were previously published, are no longer received by ISD.

It should also be noted that there is a wide range of demand for substance misuse services across Scotland, and to meet this demand, an equally variable set of practices across the country. In some ADAT areas, the impact of a single specialized service – for example, a crisis management centre – may dramatically alter the distribution of waiting times. Consequently, to compare data across ADATs is potentially inappropriate

Finally, the tables include small numbers for some ADATs; caution is therefore recommended when interpreting differences in percentages.

Key Findings

Time from referral to assessment date offered

- In Apr-Jun 2007, 70% (4,334 clients) of those offered an appointment for assessment were offered a date within 14 days of referral (Table 1).
- Of those who were still waiting for an appointment for assessment, 23% (469 clients) had waited more than 52 weeks by the end of June 2007 (Table 1).
- Of those clients who were still waiting for an assessment appointment at the end of the reporting period, the largest number of clients who had to wait over 26 weeks were in Aberdeen City (552 clients, 71%)(Tables 1 & 3, and Chart 1b).

Time waited for any intervention

- In Apr-Jun 2007, 88% (2,864 clients) of those offered an appointment for treatment were offered a date within 14 days of date care plan agreed. (Table 2)
- Of those who were still waiting for a treatment appointment at the end of the reporting period, 30% (331 clients) had waited more than 52 weeks. (Table 2)
- Over half the clients in Edinburgh City* (15 clients, 79%), Lanarkshire* (110 clients, 73%), Glasgow City* (131 clients, 69%), Fife* (10 clients, 67%), Aberdeen City (27 clients, 63%), East Lothian* (74 clients, 62%), and Perth & Kinross (6 clients, 60%) waited more than 26 weeks for a treatment appointment and were still waiting by the end of the reporting period. (Table 2 & 4, and Chart 2b).

* Based on partial data submissions, please see ADAT compliance section below for further information.

ADAT compliance

Table 5 includes details of the number of services providing waiting times data for each ADAT.

At time of publication, data is only available from 20 of the 22 ADATs. Data has not been provided from Orkney or Western Isles due to data quality issues.

Table 5 shows that for those ADATs who did return data, the number of services within their area who provided waiting times data for April-June 2007 varies significantly. It is important to take account of this information when interpreting the data.

ADATs are asked to encourage services to submit data. The substance misuse team at ISD continue to monitor the number of services submitting data and provide additional training where necessary.

Additional Information

As ISD only receive aggregate data from each of the ADATs, it is not possible for us to validate the data. Detailed questions regarding local data should be addressed to the relevant ADAT.

Annex 1: Background information on the Waiting Times Information Framework

The National Waiting Times Information Framework was introduced in April 2004. The main aim of the framework was to give ADATs overall responsibility for local monitoring of treatment services.

The benefits of the framework are:

- ADATs will be able to utilise waiting times information to monitor equity of access for drug users across their local area.
- ADATs will be able to use waiting times information to hold meaningful, informed discussions with agencies about blockages in the system.
- ADATs will be able to ensure that attention/resources are focused on areas with the longest waiting times.
- ADATs will be able to review waiting times for assessment and consider the disparity in lengths of assessment processes.
- ADATs will be able to identify treatment 'types' that have the longest wait.
- ADATs will be able to consider the drop out rates of clients referred for drug treatment.
- ADATs will be able to consider the length of time clients attend particular services.

The benefits of ADATs having overall responsibility for monitoring waiting times are:

- ADATs will be able to ensure that the waiting times dataset is included in any local information system development.
- Agencies will regard reducing waiting times as a local priority.
- Monitoring waiting times will be viewed as a local initiative and not as 'another national return'.
- ADATs will receive monthly returns automatically rather than having to wait for reports from ISD/SE.

In February 2007, ISD provided ADATs with a revised data collection system. The revised system now allows ADATs to produce a wider range of reports and also provides them with the facility to monitor data quality more easily.

Annex 2: Method of calculation

Missing submissions from ADAT's are represented as blank fields in the tables. Where no clients have been seen, or there are no clients waiting for a specified intervention, zeros have been used.

Table 1: Referral to assessment: Apr-Jun 2007

Time between date referral received/first contact and the first appointment date offered for assessment.

Clients are grouped into those who have been offered an assessment appointment during the specified time period and those who are still waiting to be offered an appointment at the end of the time period.

For those who have been offered an appointment, data is presented for those who have waited less than 14 days, waited between 27 & 52 weeks and waited more than 52 weeks. Percentages are also shown and are based on the total number of clients who have been offered an appointment.

For those clients who are still waiting at the end of the quarter, data is presented on those who have waited between 27 & 52 weeks and those who have waited more than 52 weeks. Percentages are also shown and are based on the number of clients who have waited more than 14 days for an assessment appointment to be offered i.e. not total number still waiting at the end of the quarter. This is to reflect the fact that some individuals will only have been referred to the service within the last 14 days and therefore should not be counted as 'waiting'.

Information on the longest wait category and the numbers of clients included within this category are also presented.

Table 2: Time waited for interventions: Apr-Jun 2007

Same as Table 1 but showing the time between date care plan agreed/decision on treatment is made/date client ready for treatment and the first appointment date offered for an intervention.

Table 3: Referral to assessment trend data: Jul-Sept 06, Oct-Dec 06, Jan-Mar 07, Apr-Jun 07

Presents data from Table 1 on those offered an appointment within 14 days and those who have waited more than 26 weeks for an appointment and are still waiting. Data is also included for the previous 3 quarters.

Data is presented in graphical format in Charts 1, 2, 5 and 6.

Table 4: Time waited for interventions trend data: Jul-Sept 06, Oct-Dec 06, Jan-Mar 07, Apr-Jun 07

Presents data from Table 2 on those offered an appointment within 14 days and those who have waited more than 26 weeks for an appointment and are still waiting. Data is also included for the previous 3 quarters.

Data on time between date care plan agreed to first treatment date offered for **any treatment** has only recently been collected and therefore there is no data for the three quarters prior to Oct 2006.

Data is presented in graphical format in Charts 3 and 4.

Annex 3 Revisions made to the reporting of Drug Treatment Waiting Times Information

ISD have revised the format of the publication on drug treatment waiting times (published 26th June 2007). The revisions have been made in order to improve the clarity of the information presented. They relate to the presentation of the data only have not affected the underlying data collected.

The information has also been published using the previous format in order to maintain consistency in data published. ISD will publish data in both formats for the September publication releases. For the December release, only the new format will be used.

Summary of changes

Tables presented

Previous format	New format
Time from referral to assessment	Included albeit uses a different way of calculating the waits (see below)
Time from care plan to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • structured preparatory & motivational intervention • prescribed drug treatment • community support/ rehabilitation • residential detox/ rehabilitation 	Details on time waited until <u>specific</u> interventions are is no longer included. Information is now presented on time from care plan agreed until date appointment offered for <u>any</u> intervention.
Time from referral to discharge	Not included
Time from start of treatment to discharge	Not included

It is important to note that even although some of the information will no longer be included within the publication, ADAT's still have the facility to retrieve this data locally.

Calculation of time waited

Previous format	New format
<p>Clients waiting <= 21 days for assessment – includes the number of clients who had received an offer of an assessment date less than 21 days after referral.</p> <p>Clients waiting >21 days for assessment – includes the number of clients who had received an offer of an assessment date more than 21 days after referral <u>plus</u> number still waiting for an assessment date and had waited more than 21 days.</p>	<p>Tables now present separately information on those offered an assessment date within the time period and those still waiting for an assessment date, as at the end of the time period.</p> <p>Data is presented on numbers waiting <=14 days, 27-52 weeks and >52 weeks.</p>
<p>Clients waiting <= 14 days for specific intervention – included the number of clients who had received an offer of an intervention date less than 14 days after date care plan agreed.</p> <p>Clients waiting >14 days for specific intervention – included the number of clients who had received an offer of an intervention date more than 14 days after date care plan agreed <u>plus</u> number still waiting for an intervention date and had waited more than 14 days.</p>	<p>Tables now present separately information on those offered a date for any intervention within the time period and those still waiting for a date, as at the end of the time period.</p> <p>Data is presented on numbers waiting <=14 days, 27-52 weeks and >52 weeks.</p>

Further details on these changes can be obtained from ISD.

Waiting Times Summary Tables

[Chart 1a: Percentage of clients offered an assessment date - within 14 days, between 2-26 weeks or over 26 weeks: Apr-Jun 2007](#)

[Chart 1b: Percentage of clients still waiting for an assessment date, as at 30 June 2007 - between 2-26 weeks or over 26 weeks](#)

[Chart 2a: Percentage of clients offered an appointment date for any intervention - within 14 days, between 2-26 weeks or over 26 weeks: Apr-Jun 2007](#)

[Chart 2b: Percentage of clients still waiting for an appointment date for any intervention as at 30 June 2007 - between 2-26 weeks or over 26 weeks](#)

[Chart 3a: Percentage of clients offered an assessment date within 14 days: Jul-Sep 06, Oct-Dec 06, Jan-Mar 07, Apr-Jun 07](#)

[Chart 3b: Percentage of clients still waiting for an assessment date after 26 weeks: Jul-Sep 06, Oct-Dec 06, Jan-Mar 07, Apr-Jun 07](#)

[Table 1: Time between date referral received / first date of contact and assessment: Apr-Jun 2007](#)

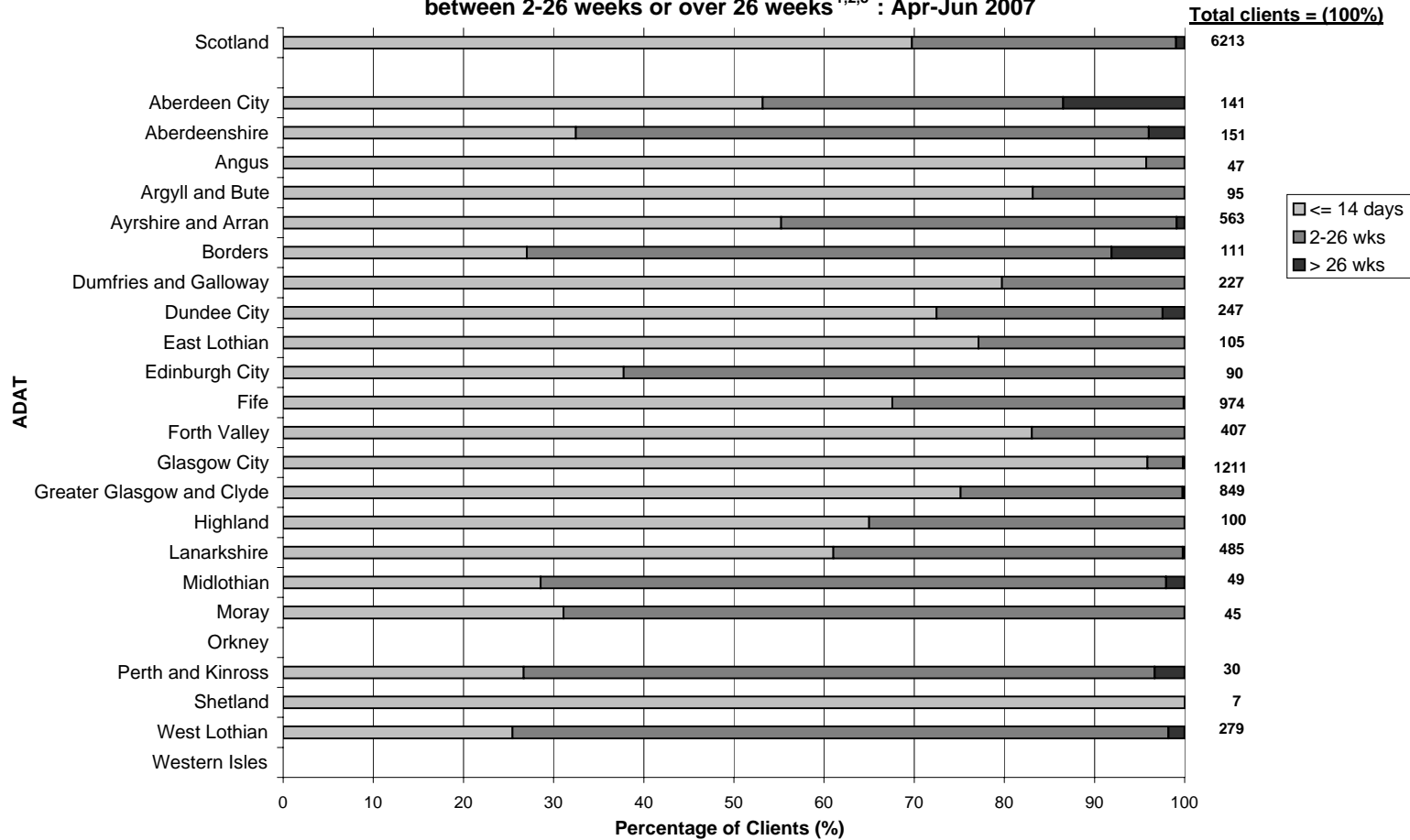
[Table 2: Time between date care plan is agreed/ decision on treatment and any treatment: Apr-Jun 2007](#)

[Table 3: Time between date referral received / first date of contact and assessment trend data: Jul-Sep 06, Oct-Dec 06, Jan-Mar 07, Apr-Jun 07](#)

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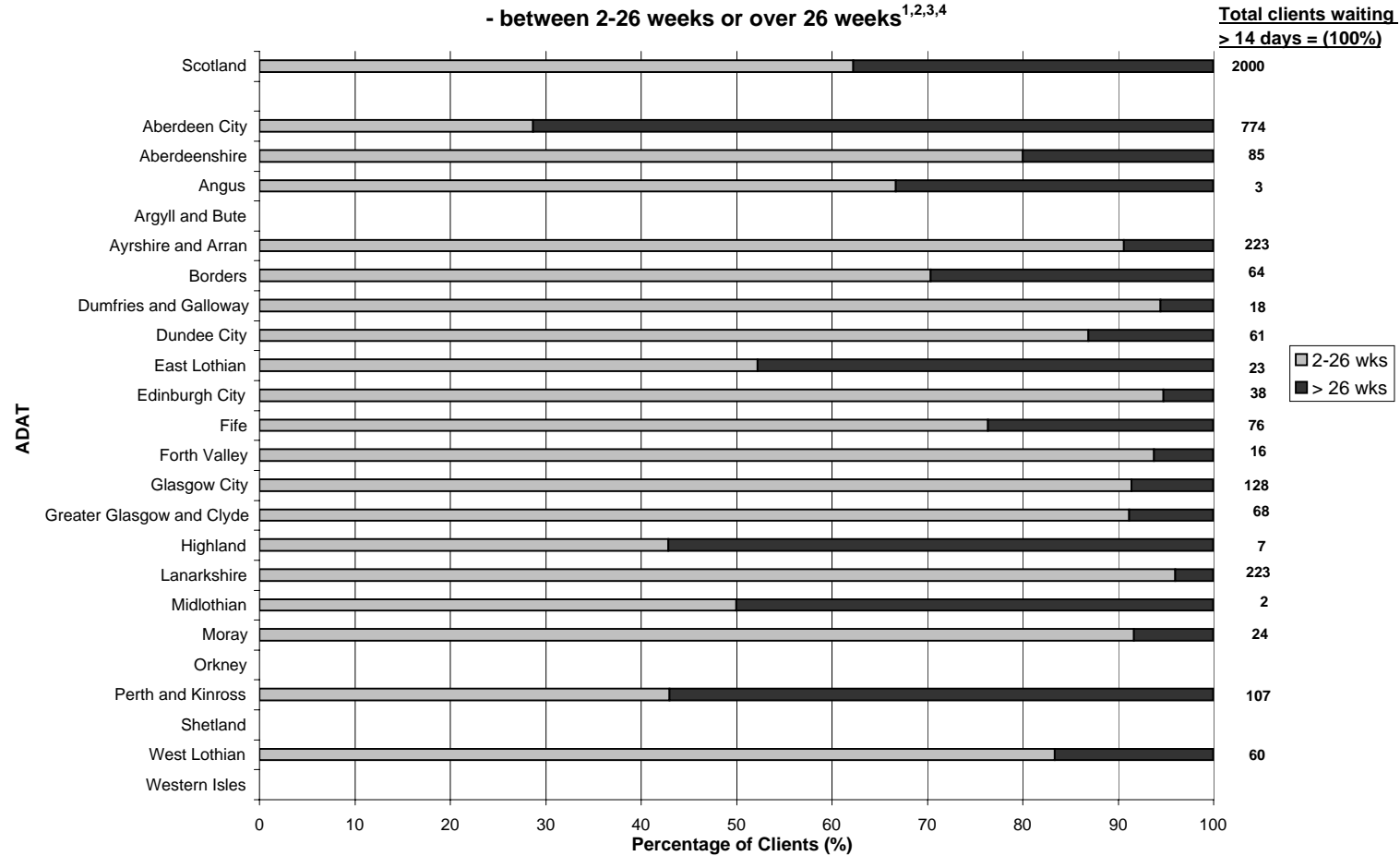
[Table 5: ADAT Compliance: Apr-Jun 07](#)

Chart 1a: Percentage of clients offered an assessment date - within 14 days, between 2-26 weeks or over 26 weeks^{1,2,3} : Apr-Jun 2007



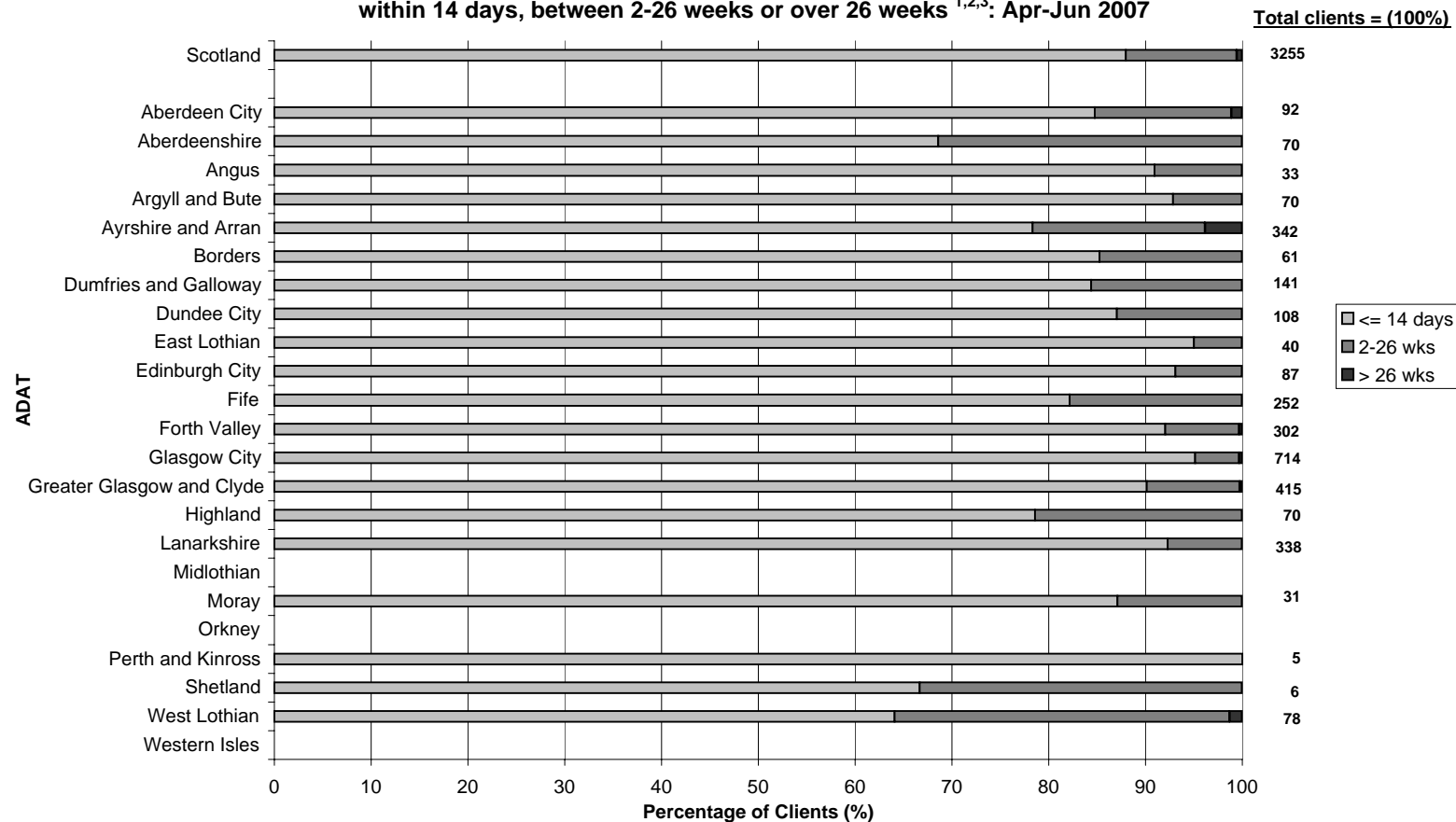
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2. The Scotland figure is an aggregate of the information provided from ADAT's. As not all ADAT's were able to provide data for this quarter, caution is recommended when interpreting this figure.
3. Please note that following the reorganisation of Argyll & Clyde ADAT, as of April 2007 ISD receives separate data for Argyll & Bute, Greater Glasgow & Clyde (excluding Glasgow City) and Glasgow City. The chart presents data for 'Greater Glasgow & Clyde', this excludes data for Glasgow City.

Chart 1b: Percentage of clients still waiting for an assessment date, as at 30 June 2007
- between 2-26 weeks or over 26 weeks^{1,2,3,4}



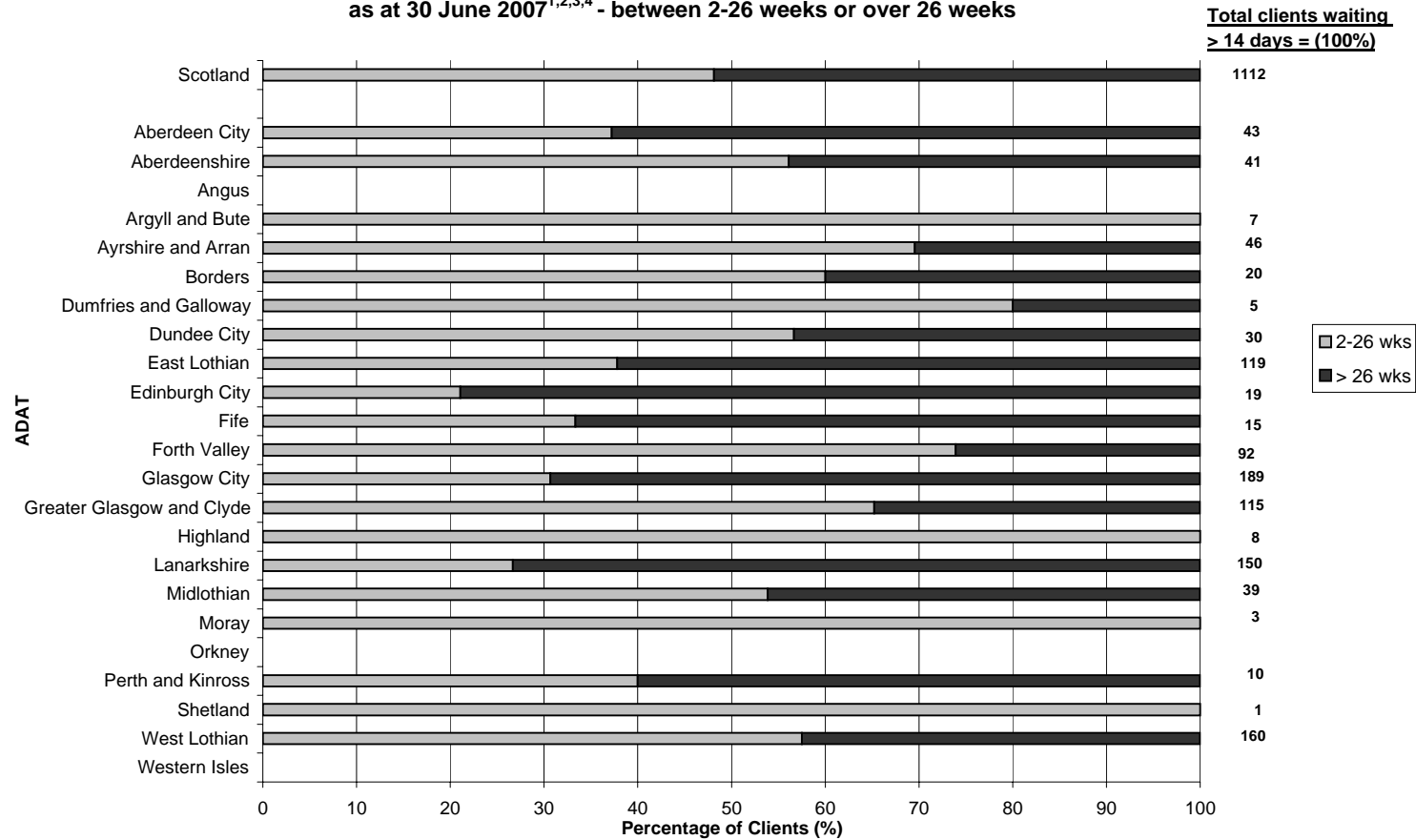
1. Time between date referral received / first date of contact and the end of the reporting period (for those still waiting to be offered an assessment date).
2. Calculated as a percentage of clients who have waited more than 14 days for an assessment date by the end of the reporting period.
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4. Please note that following the reorganisation of Argyll & Clyde ADAT, as of April 2007 ISD receives separate data for Argyll & Bute, Greater Glasgow & Clyde (excluding Glasgow City) and Glasgow City. The chart presents data for 'Greater Glasgow & Clyde', this excludes data for Glasgow City.

Chart 2a: Percentage of clients offered an appointment date for any intervention - within 14 days, between 2-26 weeks or over 26 weeks^{1,2,3}: Apr-Jun 2007



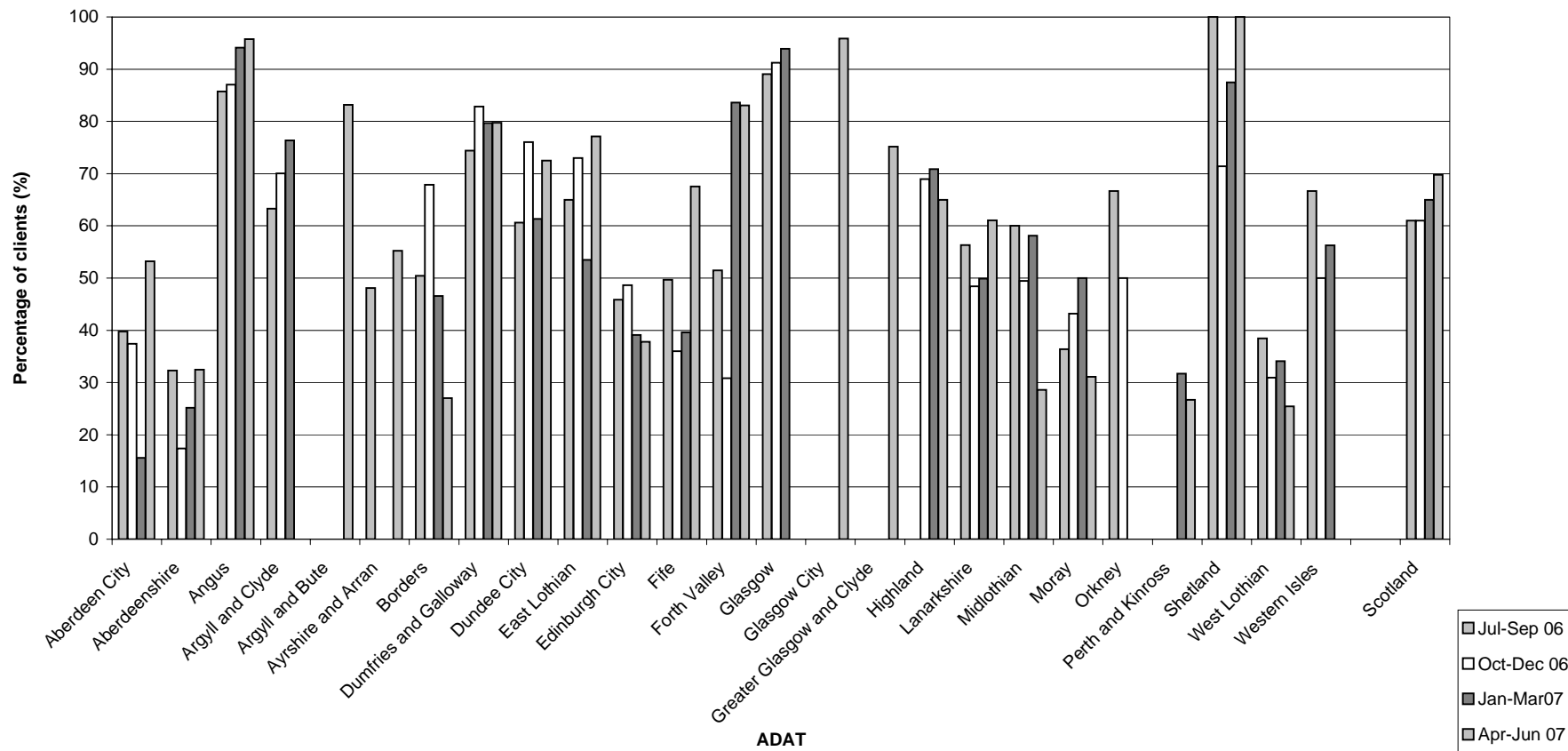
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Chart 2b: Percentage of clients still waiting for an appointment date for any intervention as at 30 June 2007^{1,2,3,4} - between 2-26 weeks or over 26 weeks



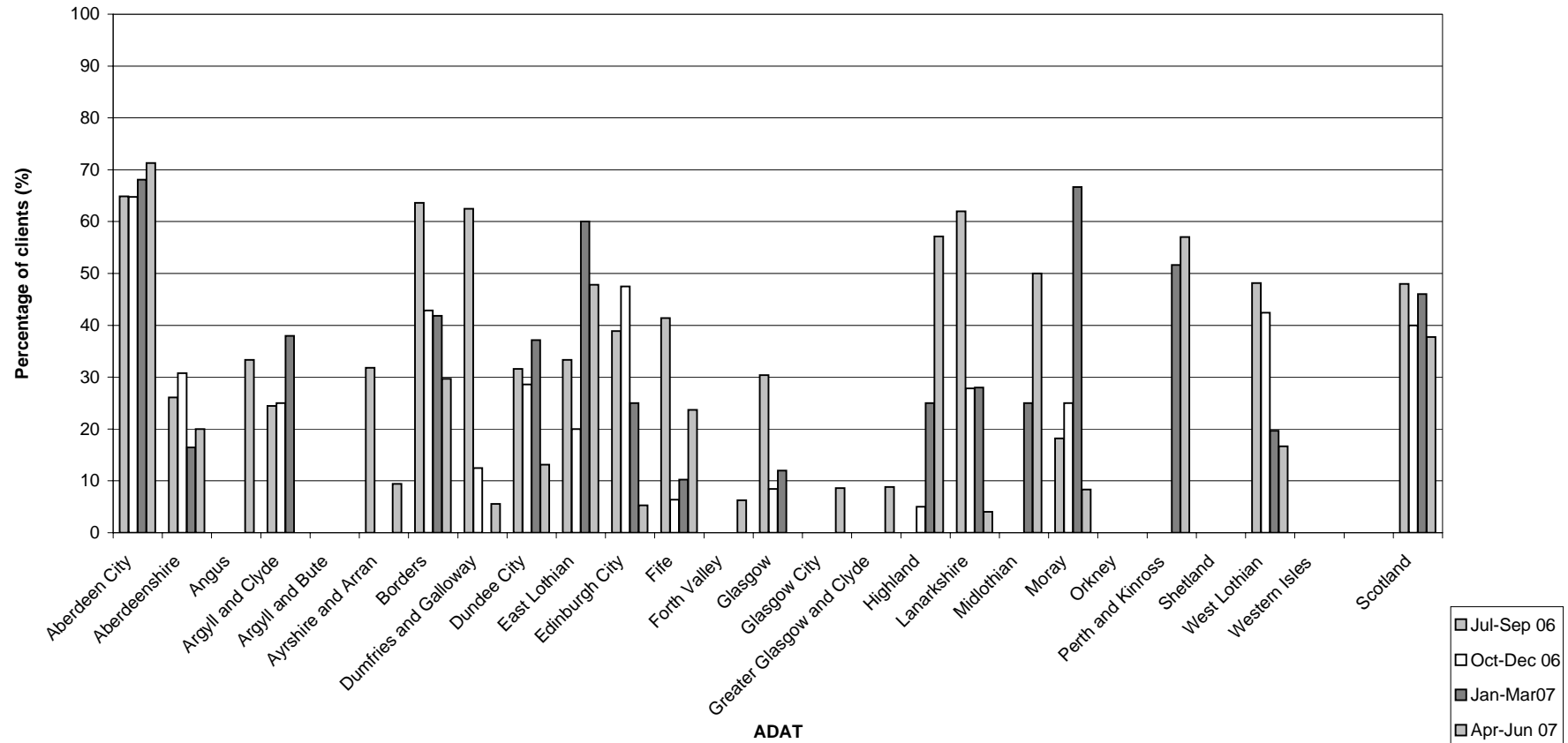
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Chart 3a: Percentage of clients offered an assessment date within 14 days^{1,2,3,4}
Jul-Sep 06, Oct-Dec 06, Jan-Mar 07, Apr-Jun 07



1. Time between date referral received / first date of contact and first appointment date offered for assessment is less than 14 days.
2. Calculated as a percentage of all clients offered an assessment appointment in the reporting period.
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**Chart 3b: Percentage of clients still waiting for an assessment date after 26 weeks^{1,2,3,4}:
Jul-Sep 06, Oct-Dec 06, Jan-Mar 07, Apr-Jun 07**



1. Time between date referral received / first date of contact and end of reporting period is more than 26 weeks.
2. Calculated as a percentage of clients who have waited more than 14 days for an assessment appointment by the end of the reporting period.
3. The Scotland figure is an aggregate of the information provided from ADAT's. It should be noted that the number of services submitting data varies significantly from area to area and within areas across the data collection period. Caution is therefore recommended when interpreting these figures.
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Table 1: Time between date referral received / first date of contact and date offered for assessment^{1,2}: Apr-Jun 2007

	Clients offered an assessment date between Apr-Jun 2007 ¹ :								Clients still waiting for an assessment date as at 30 June 2007 ² :						
	Total =(100%)	Time waited:				Longest Wait (no. of clients)	Total	No. clients waiting more than 14 days = (100%)	Time waited:				Longest Wait (no. of clients)		
		<=14 days		27-52 weeks					27-52 weeks ³		52 weeks ⁴				
n	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%			
<i>Drug Action Team</i>															
Aberdeen City	141	75	53	11	8	8	6	52+ wks (8)	799	774	185	24	367	47	52+ wks (367)
Aberdeenshire	151	49	32	5	3	1	1	52+ wks (1)	109	85	10	12	7	8	52+ wks (7)
Angus	47	45	96	0	0	0	0	22-28 days (1)	4	3	1	33	0	0	27-52 wks (1)
Argyll and Bute ⁵	95	79	83	0	0	0	0	5-8 wks (5)	6	0	0	0	0	0	8-14 days (4)
Ayrshire and Arran	563	311	55	5	1	0	0	27-52 wks (5)	304	223	16	7	5	2	52+ wks (5)
Borders	111	30	27	9	8	0	0	27-52 wks (9)	72	64	7	11	12	19	52+ wks (12)
Dumfries and Galloway	227	181	80	0	0	0	0	5-8 wks (4)	41	18	1	6	0	0	27-52 wks (1)
Dundee City	247	179	72	2	1	4	2	52+ wks (4)	99	61	6	10	2	3	52+ wks (2)
East Lothian	105	81	77	0	0	0	0	5-8 wks (4)	33	23	7	30	4	17	52+ wks (4)
Edinburgh City	90	34	38	0	0	0	0	13-26 wks (3)	53	38	0	0	2	5	52+ wks (2)
Fife	974	658	68	0	0	1	0	52+ wks (1)	110	76	3	4	15	20	52+ wks (15)
Forth Valley	407	338	83	0	0	0	0	9-12 wks (1)	34	16	1	6	0	0	27-52 wks (1)
Glasgow City ⁵	1211	1161	96	1	0	1	0	52+ wks (1)	186	128	11	9	0	0	27-52 wks (11)
Greater Glasgow and Clyde ⁵	849	638	75	1	0	1	0	52+ wks (1)	150	68	6	9	0	0	27-52 wks (6)
Highland	100	65	65	0	0	0	0	13-16 wks (1)	16	7	4	57	0	0	27-52 wks (4)
Lanarkshire	485	296	61	1	0	0	0	27-52 wks (1)	293	223	4	2	5	2	52+ wks (5)
Midlothian	49	14	29	0	0	1	2	52+ wks (1)	6	2	1	50	0	0	27-52 wks (1)
Moray	45	14	31	0	0	0	0	13-26 wks (2)	31	24	0	0	2	8	52+ wks (2)
Orkney ⁶															
Perth and Kinross	30	8	27	0	0	1	3	52+ wks (1)	118	107	22	21	39	36	52+ wks (39)
Shetland	7	7	100	0	0	0	0	8-14 days (1)							
West Lothian	279	71	25	3	1	2	1	52+ wks (2)	77	60	1	2	9	15	52+ wks (9)
Western Isles ⁶															
Scotland⁷	6213	4334	70	38	1	20	0		2541	2000	286	14	469	23	

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6. Data from Orkney and Western Isles are unavailable for this quarter.

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Table 2: Time between date care plan is agreed/ decision on treatment is made and date offered for any intervention^{1,2}: Apr-Jun 2007

	Clients offered an appointment date between Apr-Jun 2007 ¹ :							Clients still waiting for an appointment date as at 30 June 2007 ² :							
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		<= 14 days		27-52 weeks		> 52 weeks					27-52 weeks ³		> 52 weeks ⁴		
	n	n	%	n	%	n	%		n	n	%	n	%		
<i>Drug Action Team</i>															
Aberdeen City	92	78	85	0	0	1	1	52+ wks (1)	47	43	10	23	17	40	52+ wks (17)
Aberdeenshire	70	48	69	0	0	0	0	13-26 wks (2)	44	41	3	7	15	37	52+ wks (15)
Angus	33	30	91	0	0	0	0	15-21 days (3)	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Argyll and Bute ⁵	70	65	93	0	0	0	0	5-8 wks (2)	8	7	0	0	0	0	13-26 wks (4)
Ayrshire and Arran	342	268	78	9	3	4	1	52+ wks (4)	58	46	9	20	5	11	52+ wks (5)
Borders	61	52	85	0	0	0	0	9-12 wks (3)	25	20	1	5	7	35	52+ wks (7)
Dumfries and Galloway	141	119	84	0	0	0	0	9-12 wks (1)	11	5	1	20	0	0	27-52 wks (1)
Dundee City	108	94	87	0	0	0	0	5-8 wks (5)	33	30	12	40	1	3	52+ wks (1)
East Lothian	40	38	95	0	0	0	0	5-8 wks (2)	123	119	13	11	61	51	52+ wks (61)
Edinburgh City	87	81	93	0	0	0	0	13-26 wks (1)	20	19	3	16	12	63	52+ wks (12)
Fife	252	207	82	0	0	0	0	13-26 wks (2)	19	15	8	53	2	13	52+ wks (2)
Forth Valley	302	278	92	1	0	0	0	27-52 wks (1)	117	92	14	15	10	11	52+ wks (10)
Glasgow City ⁵	714	679	95	1	0	1	0	52+ wks (1)	208	189	49	26	82	43	52+ wks (82)
Greater Glasgow and Clyde ⁵	415	374	90	0	0	1	0	52+ wks (1)	139	115	29	25	11	10	52+ wks (11)
Highland	70	55	79	0	0	0	0	9-12 wks (3)	17	8	0	0	0	0	13-26 wks (2)
Lanarkshire	338	312	92	0	0	0	0	9-12 wks (1)	154	150	48	32	62	41	52+ wks (62)
Midlothian	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		39	39	12	31	6	15	52+ wks (6)
Moray	31	27	87	0	0	0	0	5-8 wks (1)	5	3	0	0	0	0	5-8 wks (1)
Orkney ⁶															
Perth and Kinross	5	5	100	0	0	0	0	8-14 days (1)	12	10	3	30	3	30	52+ wks (3)
Shetland	6	4	67	0	0	0	0	5-8 wks (2)	1	1	0	0	0	0	5-8 wks (1)
West Lothian	78	50	64	0	0	1	1	52+ wks (1)	174	160	31	19	37	23	52+ wks (37)
Western Isles ⁶															
Scotland⁷	3255	2864	88	11	0	8	0		1254	1112	246	22	331	30	

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Table 3: Time between date referral received / first date of contact and date offered for assessment: Jul-Sep 06, Oct-Dec 06, Jan-Mar 07, Apr-Jun 07

	Offered an assessment date within 14 days ^{1,2} :				Still waiting for an assessment date, after waiting more than 26 weeks ^{3,4} :											
	Jul-Sep06		Oct-Dec06		Jan-Mar07		Apr-Jun07		Jul-Sep06		Oct-Dec06		Jan-Mar07		Apr-Jun07	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
<i>Drug Action Team</i>																
Aberdeen City	33	40	46	37	19	16	75	53	480	65	465	65	499	68	552	71
Aberdeenshire	53	32	16	17	38	25	49	32	30	26	24	31	13	16	17	20
Angus	36	86	47	87	48	94	45	96	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	33
Argyll & Clyde ⁵	381	63	507	70	601	76			54	24	27	25	52	38		
Argyll and Bute ⁵							79	83							0	0
Ayrshire and Arran	289	48					311	55	69	32					21	9
Borders	56	50	76	68	34	47	30	27	77	64	45	43	23	42	19	30
Dumfries and Galloway	125	74	203	83	188	80	181	80	20	63	1	13	0	0	1	6
Dundee City	60	61	73	76	84	61	179	72	18	32	22	29	13	37	8	13
East Lothian	52	65	73	73	61	54	81	77	5	33	4	20	9	60	11	48
Edinburgh City	105	46	163	49	79	39	34	38	49	39	124	48	13	25	2	5
Fife	323	50	279	36	329	40	658	68	205	41	16	6	17	10	18	24
Forth Valley	69	51	29	31	439	84	338	83	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6
Glasgow ⁵	969	89	1023	91	1123	94			24	30	8	8	6	12		
Glasgow City ⁵							1161	96							11	9
Greater Glasgow and Clyde ⁵							638	75							6	9
Highland			91	69	73	71	65	65			1	5	2	25	4	57
Lanarkshire	111	56	201	48	194	50	296	61	142	62	54	28	21	28	9	4
Midlothian	6	60	47	49	25	58	14	29	0	0	0	0	1	25	1	50
Moray	20	36	19	43	24	50	14	31	2	18	2	25	2	67	2	8
Orkney ⁶	4	67	10	50					0	0	0	0				
Perth and Kinross					13	32	8	27					47	52	61	57
Shetland	10	100	5	71	7	88	7	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
West Lothian	98	38	112	31	88	34	71	25	13	48	14	42	12	20	10	17
Western Isles ⁶	4	67	3	50	9	56			0	0	0	0	0	0		
Scotland⁷	2804	61	3023	61	3476	65	4334	70	1188	48	807	40	730	46	755	38

1. Time between date referral received / first contact and the first appointment date offered for assessment is less than 14 days.
2. Number of clients who have been offered an assessment appointment within 14 days of referral, calculated as a percentage of all clients offered an assessment appointment in the reporting period.
3. Time between date referral received / first contact and the end of the reporting period is more than 26 weeks (for those still waiting).
4. Number of clients who are still waiting for an assessment appointment to be offered after waiting more than 26 weeks, calculated as a percentage of clients who have waited more than 14 days.
5. Following the reorganisation of Argyll & Clyde ADAT, as of April 2007 ISD receives separate data for Argyll & Bute, Greater Glasgow & Clyde (excluding Glasgow City) and Glasgow City. The table presents data for 'Greater Glasgow & Clyde', this excludes data for Glasgow City. Data for Argyll & Clyde and Greater Glasgow ADATs are no longer received.
6. Data from Orkney and Western Isles are unavailable for this quarter.
7. The Scotland figure is an aggregate of the information provided from ADAT's. It should be noted that the number of services submitting data varies significantly from area to area and within areas across the data collection period. Caution is therefore recommended when interpreting these figures.

Table 4: Time between date care plan is agreed/ decision on treatment is made and date offered for any intervention: Jul-Sep 06, Oct-Dec 06, Jan-Mar 07, Apr-Jun 07

	Offered an appointment date within 14 days ^{1,2} :								Still waiting for an appointment date after waiting more than 26 weeks ^{3,4} :							
	Jul-Sep06 ⁵		Oct-Dec06		Jan-Mar07		Apr-Jun07		Jul-Sep06 ⁵		Oct-Dec06		Jan-Mar07		Apr-Jun07	
	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%	n	%
<i>Drug Action Team</i>																
Aberdeen City			59	100	50	77	78	85			36	43	31	61	27	63
Aberdeenshire			16	67	51	68	48	69			8	44	7	30	18	44
Angus			32	78	39	87	30	91			0	0	0	0	0	0
Argyll & Clyde ⁶			338	87	364	89					22	29	30	28		
Argyll and Bute ⁶							65	93							0	0
Ayrshire and Arran							268	78							14	30
Borders			59	88	43	86	52	85			28	68	24	62	8	40
Dumfries and Galloway			85	74	102	78	119	84			4	11	0	0	1	20
Dundee City			36	86	54	96	94	87			2	18	7	21	13	43
East Lothian			35	78	45	78	38	95			66	69	67	78	74	62
Edinburgh City			259	95	134	94	81	93			53	87	45	75	15	79
Fife			229	99	231	80	207	82			0	0	14	29	10	67
Forth Valley			3	33	383	92	278	92			87	60	101	66	24	26
Glasgow ⁶			593	86	655	91					205	69	244	78		
Glasgow City ⁶							679	95							131	69
Greater Glasgow and Clyde ⁶							374	90							40	35
Highland			93	92	68	85	55	79			0	0	0	0	0	0
Lanarkshire			235	93	204	91	312	92			29	53	42	57	110	73
Midlothian			6	29	2	13	0	0			6	21	9	35	18	46
Moray			26	90	28	100	27	87			0	0	0	0	0	0
Orkney ⁷			14	100							0	0				
Perth and Kinross					7	100	5	100					4	50	6	60
Shetland			4	80	5	45	4	67			0	0	0	0	0	0
West Lothian			74	58	52	61	50	64			96	41	69	48	68	43
Western Isles ⁷			0	0	0	0					0	0	1	13		
Scotland⁸			2196	87	2517	87	2864	88			642	52	695	59	577	52

1. Time between date care plan is agreed / decision on treatment is made / date client ready for treatment and first appointment date offered for any intervention is less than 14 days.
2. Number of clients who were offered an appointment within 14 days of date care plan was agreed / decision on treatment was made / date ready for treatment, calculated as a percentage of all clients offered a date for any intervention in the reporting period.
3. Time between date care plan is agreed/decision on treatment is made/date client ready for treatment and the end of the reporting period is more than 26 weeks (for those still waiting).
4. Number of clients who are still waiting to be offered an appointment, after waiting more than 26 weeks, calculated as a percentage of clients who have waited more than 14 days for a treatment appointment by the end of the reporting period.
5. Data on time between date care plan is agreed / decision on treatment is made / date client ready for treatment and the first appointment date offered for any intervention was not recorded prior to October 2006.
6. Following the reorganisation of Argyll & Clyde ADAT, as of April 2007 ISD receives separate data for Argyll & Bute, Greater Glasgow & Clyde (excluding Glasgow City) and Glasgow City. The table presents data for 'Greater Glasgow & Clyde', this excludes data for Glasgow City. Data for Argyll & Clyde and Greater Glasgow ADATs are no longer received.
7. Data from Orkney and Western Isles are unavailable for this quarter.
8. The Scotland figure is an aggregate of the information provided from ADAT's. It should be noted that the number of services submitting data varies significantly from area to area and within areas across the data collection period. Caution is therefore recommended when interpreting these figures.

Table 5: Drug services providing waiting times data to ADAT^{1,2}: Jan-Mar 07, Apr-Jun 07^p

	Jan-Mar 07			Apr-Jun 07 ^p		
	Total number of services	No. providing waiting times data: Jan-Mar07		Total number of services	No. providing waiting times data: Apr-Jun07	
		n	%		n	%
<i>Drug Action Team</i>						
Aberdeen City	6	6	100	7	7	100
Aberdeenshire	6	4	67	6	5	83
Angus	2	2	100	3	3	100
Argyll and Clyde ³	52	41	79			
Argyll and Bute ³				16	14	88
Ayrshire and Arran				15	15	100
Borders	6	5	83	7	4	57
Dumfries and Galloway	15	13	87	18	10	56
Dundee City	9	7	78	10	9	90
East Lothian	8	7	88	9	6	67
Edinburgh City	24	7	29	24	6	25
Fife	16	13	81	16	14	88
Forth Valley	9	4	44	10	6	60
Glasgow ³	39	39	100			
Glasgow City ³				32	31	97
Greater Glasgow and Clyde ³				36	31	86
Highland	18	9	50	18	9	50
Lanarkshire	37	35	95	35	32	91
Midlothian	4	3	75	4	1	25
Moray	3	2	67	3	2	67
Orkney						
Perth and Kinross	6	6	100	6	6	100
Shetland	1	1	100	1	1	100
West Lothian	6	5	83	6	5	83
Western Isles	5	3	60			

1. This table is based on summary information provided by ADAT's.

2. Caution is advised when interpreting this data. Due to inconsistencies with agency coding, there may be issues with double counting or under reporting. Detailed questions regarding local data should be addressed to the relevant ADAT.

3. Following the reorganisation of Argyll & Clyde ADAT, as of April 2007 ISD receives separate data for Argyll & Bute, Greater Glasgow & Clyde (excluding Glasgow City). The table presents data for 'Greater Glasgow & Clyde', this excludes data for Glasgow City. Data for Argyll & Clyde and Greater Glasgow ADATs are no longer received.

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