



HOSPITAL STATISTICS AND ACCOUNTS

LANDSPÍTALI 2024

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Landspítali is the university hospital and main hospital of Iceland and a referral hospital for the whole country.

Landspítali is organized as divisions that offer diverse clinical services in outpatient clinics, day patient units, inpatient wards, clinical laboratories and other departments. The hospital's support divisions provide a range of services related to teaching and training of clinical staff, human resources, finance and economics, information technology and operations.

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A typical day at Landspítali (2024)

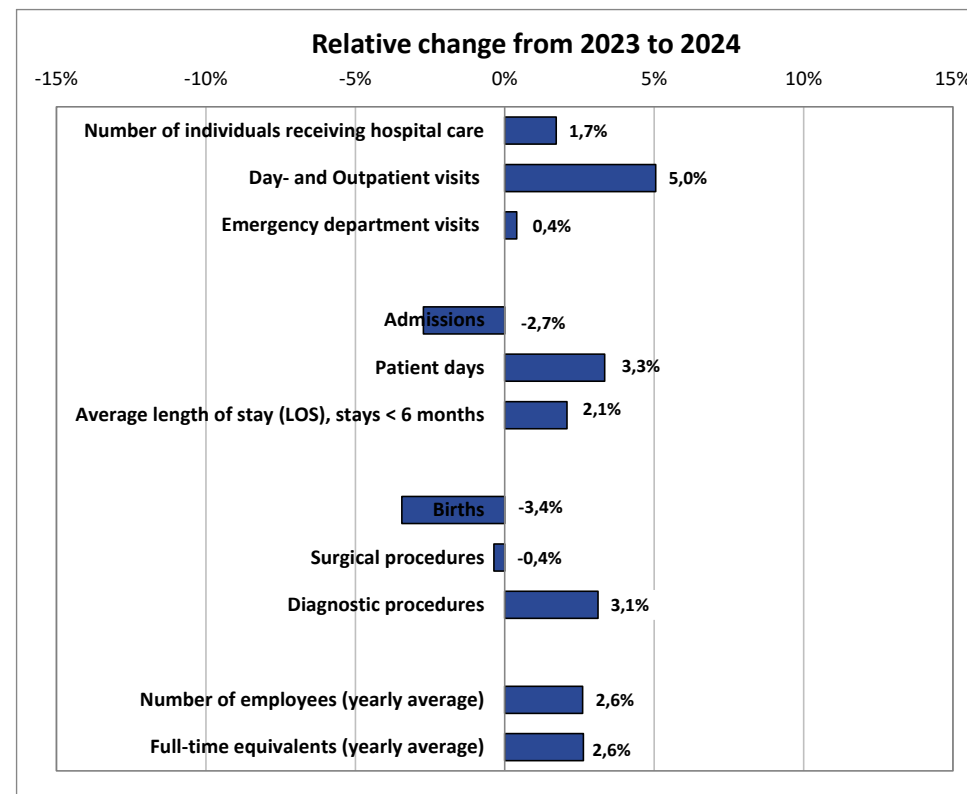
- **630** inpatients
- **2.277** day- and outpatient services
- **73** new admissions
- **9.790** laboratory tests
- **477** visits to physio- and occupational therapists
- **259** emergency unit visits
- **40** surgical procedures
- **9** babies born
- **221** outpatient mental health services
- **44** visits at pediatric emergency unit
- **7** cardiac catheterizations
- **33** patients in hemodialysis
- **12** patients in intensive-care units
- **3.700** employees at work
- **5,7** tons of waste
- Electricity usage equals use in **4.330** homes

Key statistics for Landspítali

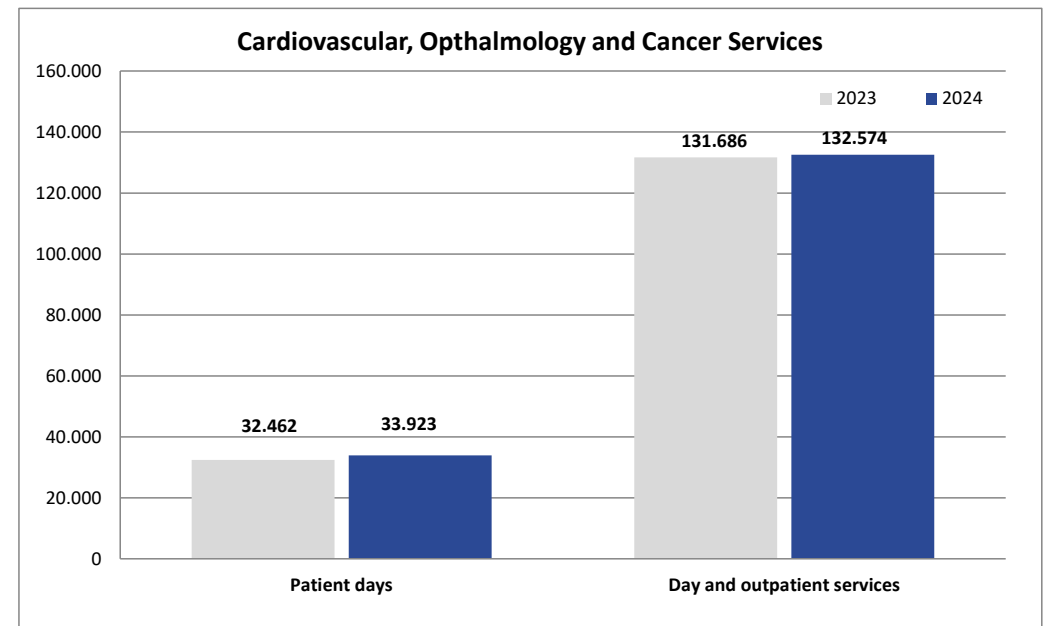
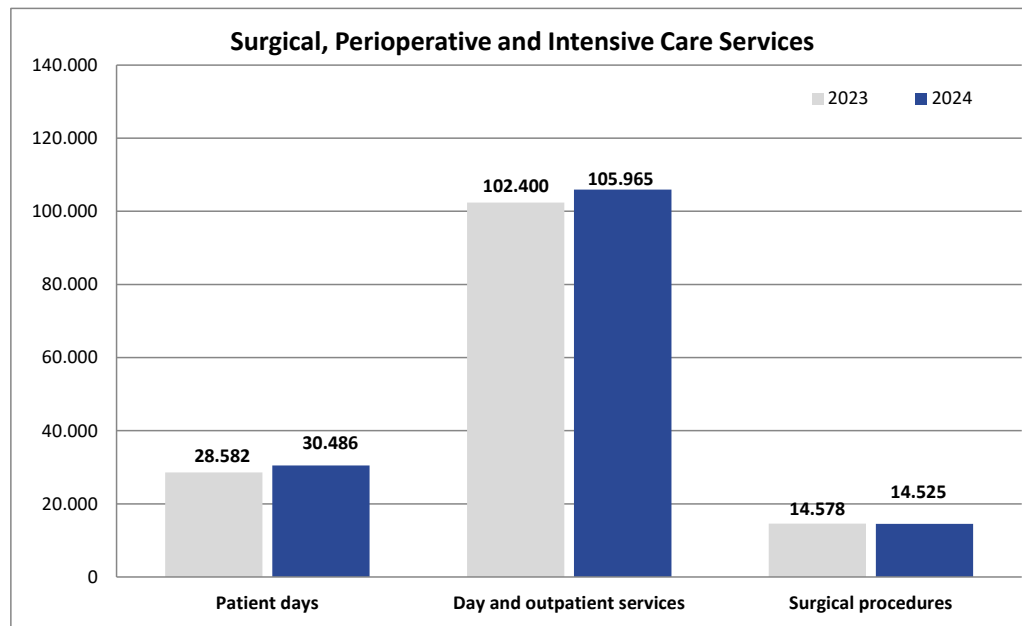
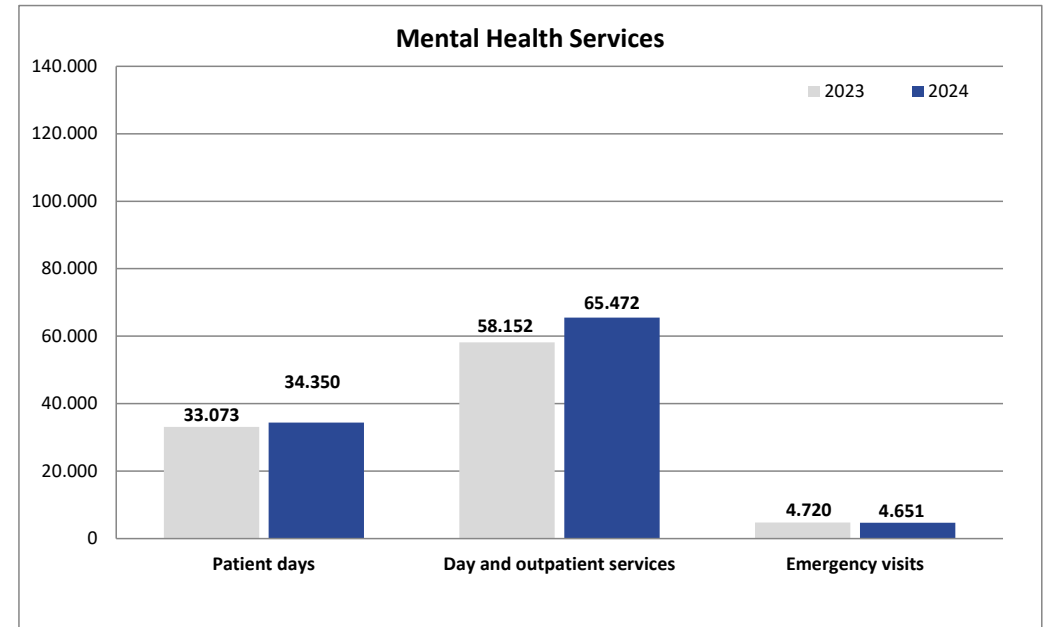
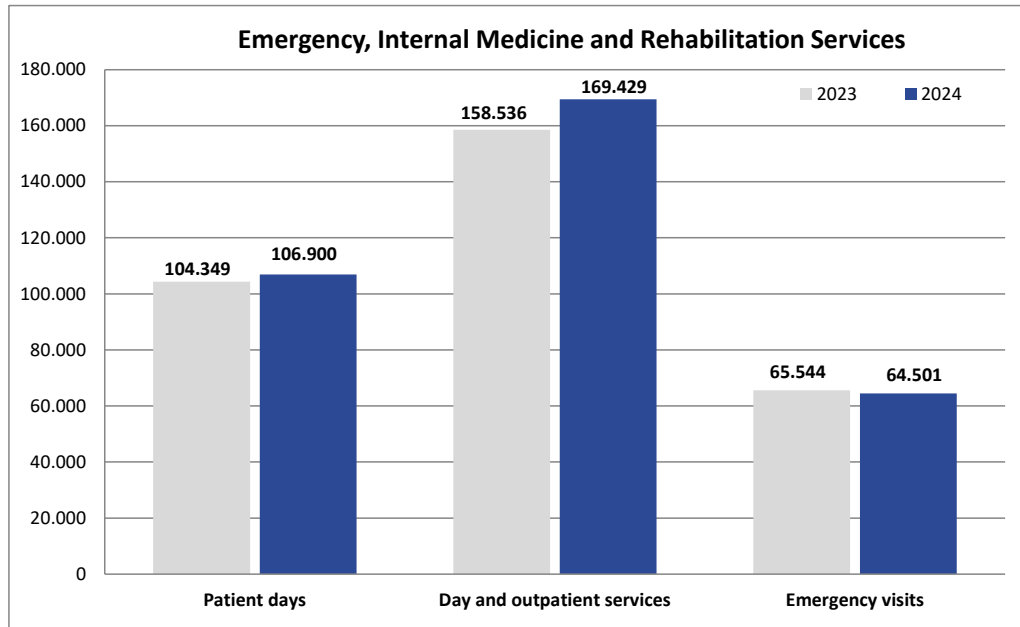
Key statistics for Landspítali

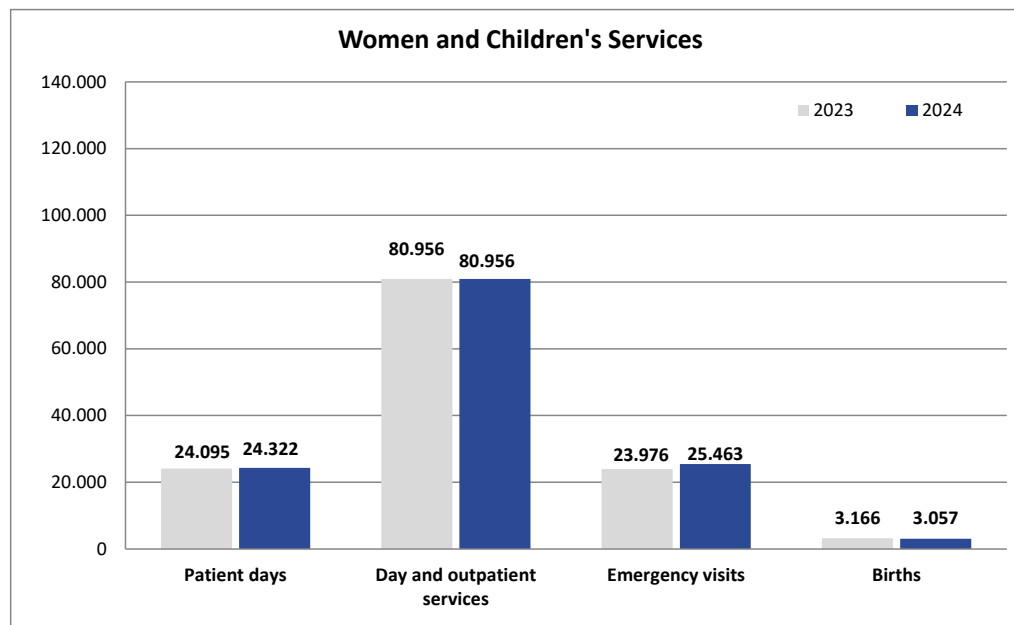
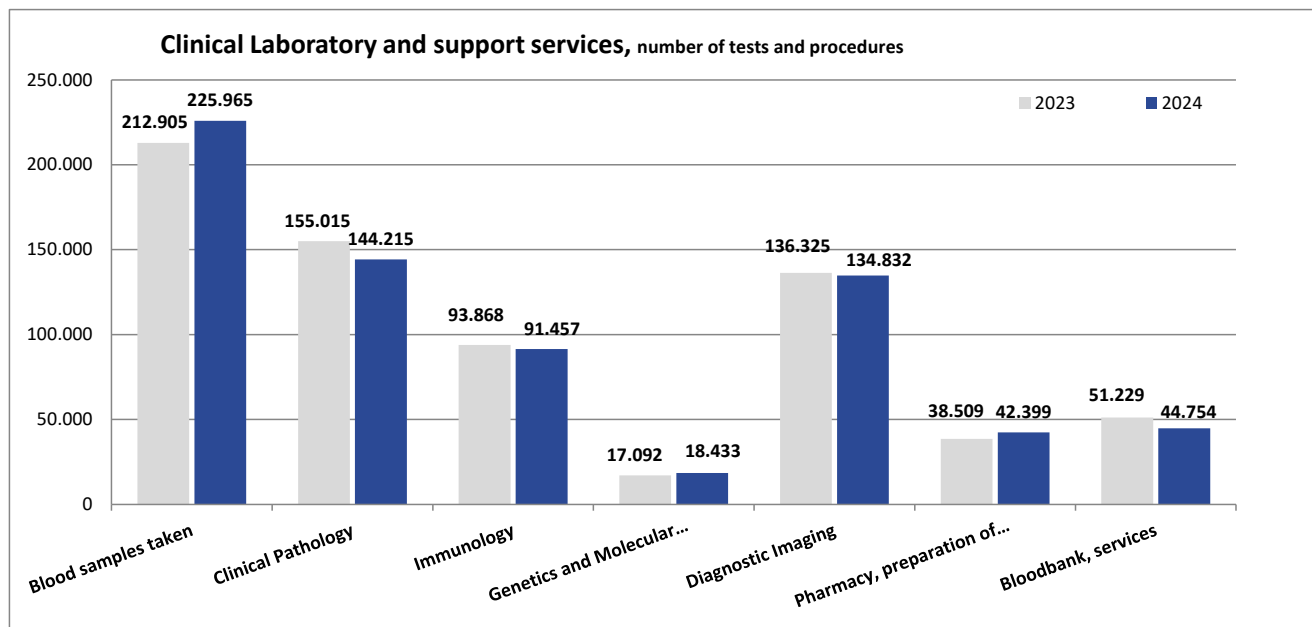
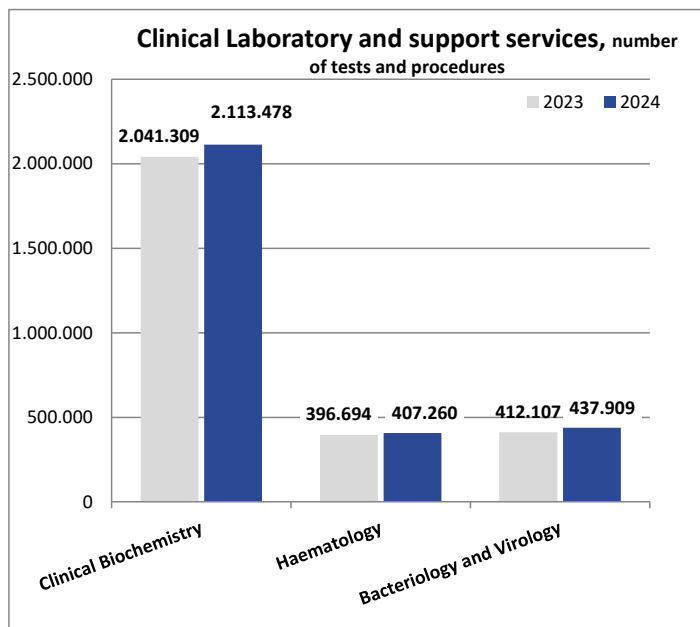
	2024	2023	2024-2023	Increase/ decrease
Number of individuals receiving hospital care ¹⁾	135.171	132.881	2.290	1,7%
Day- and Outpatients services	569.341	541.974	27.367	5,0%
Emergency department visits	94.615	94.240	375	0,4%
Admissions	26.679	27.425	-746	-2,7%
Patient days	230.007	222.562	7.445	3,3%
Average length of stay (LOS)	4,9	4,8	0,1	2,1%
Births	3.057	3.166	-109	-3,4%
Surgical procedures	14.525	14.578	-53	-0,4%
Diagnostic procedures	3.573.549	3.465.315	108.234	3,1%
Number of employees (yearly average)	6.447	6.283	164	2,6%
Full-time equivalents (yearly average)	5.115	4.984	131	2,6%

¹⁾ Each individual may have received care on more than one occasion, but is counted here only once.



Key figures, clinical divisions

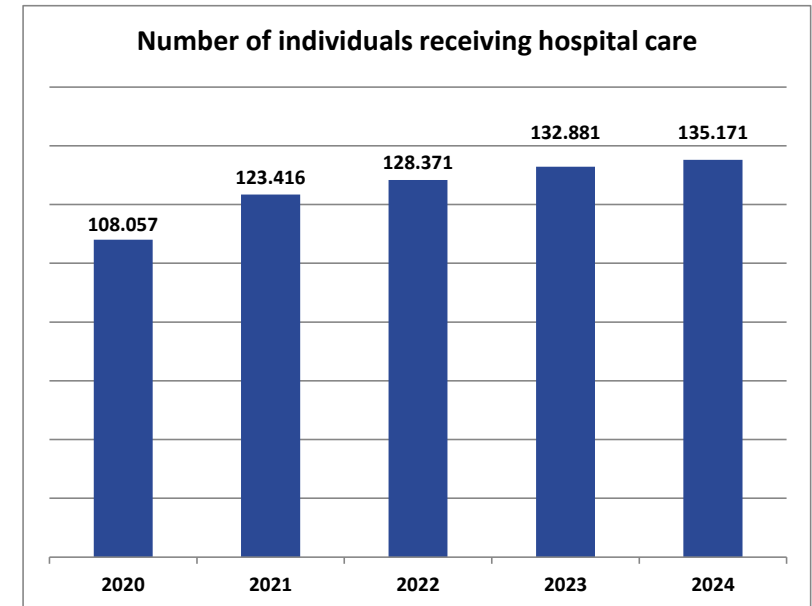
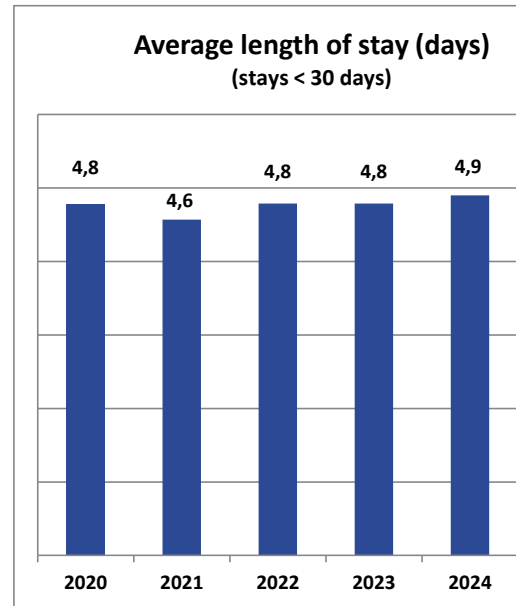
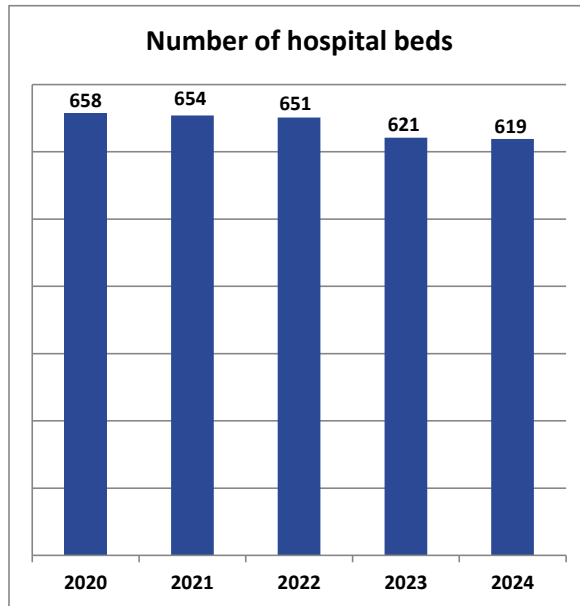




Clinical services

Inpatient Services

	Admissions		Increase/ decrease	Patient days		Increase/ decrease	Average length of stay		Increase/ decrease
	2024	2023		2024	2023		2024	2023	
Emergency, Internal Medicine and Rehabilitation Services	6.168	6.707	-8,0%	106.900	104.349	2,4%	8,2	7,8	5,1%
Mental Health Services	2.539	2.388	6,3%	34.350	33.073	3,9%	6,6	6,3	4,8%
Surgical, Perioperative and Intensive Care Services	5.882	5.874	0,1%	30.486	28.582	6,7%	3,9	3,8	2,6%
Cardiovascular, Ophthalmology and Cancer Services	4.285	4.517	-5,1%	33.923	32.462	4,5%	5,9	5,7	3,5%
Women's and Children's Services	7.792	7.938	-1,8%	24.322	24.095	0,9%	2,5	2,5	0,0%
Total	26.666	27.424	-2,8%	229.981	222.561	3,3%	4,9	4,8	3%



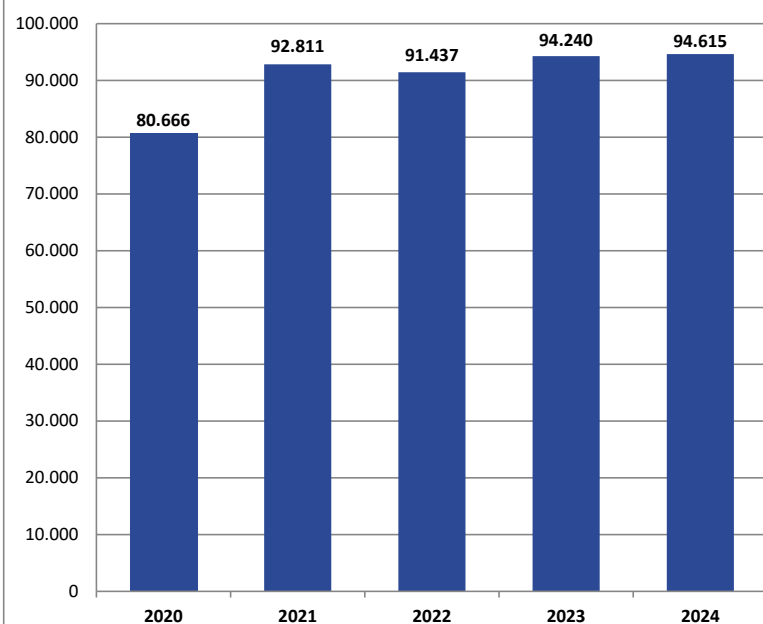
Emergency Visits

	Number of visits			Average number of visits per day		Admissions		Percentage admitted	
	2024	2023	Changes	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023
Women's Services	9.253	8.620	633	25	24	2.370	2.422	25,6%	28,1%
Children's Services	16.210	15.356	854	44	42	934	893	5,8%	5,8%
Mental Health Services	4.651	4.720	-69	13	13	1.081	1.019	23,2%	21,6%
Emergency Unit in Fossvogur	64.501	65.544	-1.043	176	180	8.617	9.420	13,4%	14,4%
Total emergency visits	94.615	94.240	375	259	258	13.002	13.754	13,7%	14,6%

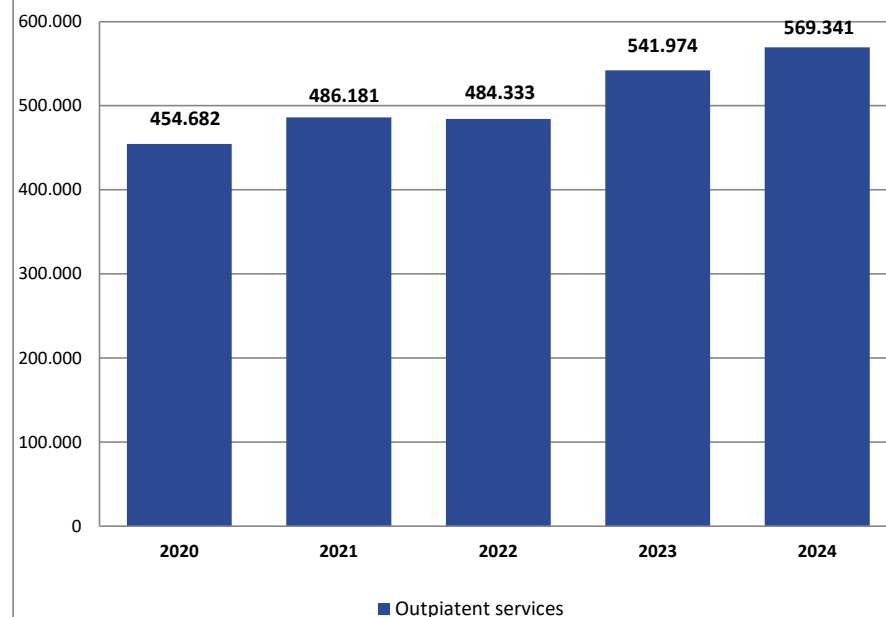
Outpatient Services

	Outpatient service		Increase/ decrease
	2024	2023	
Emergency, Internal Medicine and Rehabilitation Services	169.429	158.536	6,9%
Mental Health Services	65.472	58.152	12,6%
Surgical, Perioperative and Intensive Care Services	105.965	102.400	3,5%
Cardiovascular, Ophthalmology and Cancer Services	132.574	131.686	0,7%
Women and Children's Services	75.758	72.934	3,9%
Clinical Laboratory Services (Genetics and Molecular Medicine)	14.213	12.705	11,9%
Employee Health Care	5.929	5.559	6,7%
Total	569.340	541.972	5,0%

Number of visits to emergency units

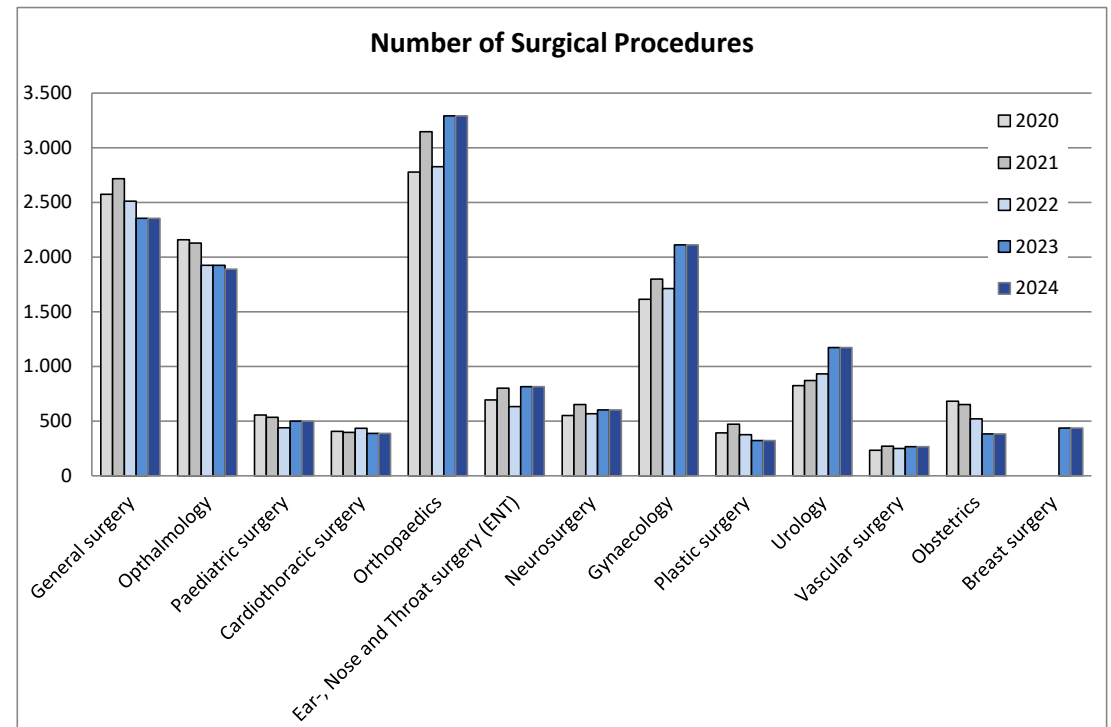
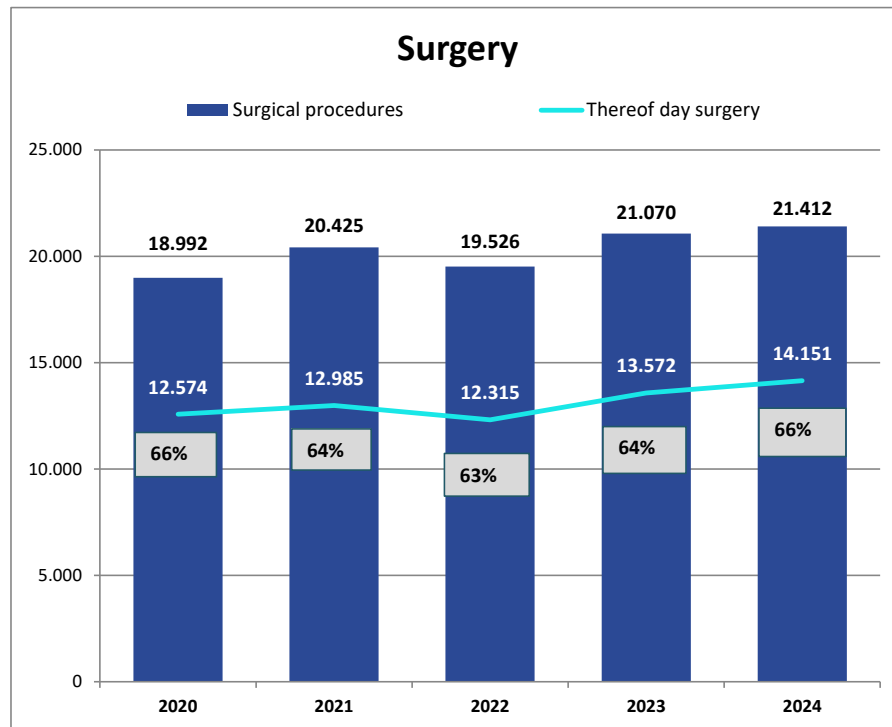


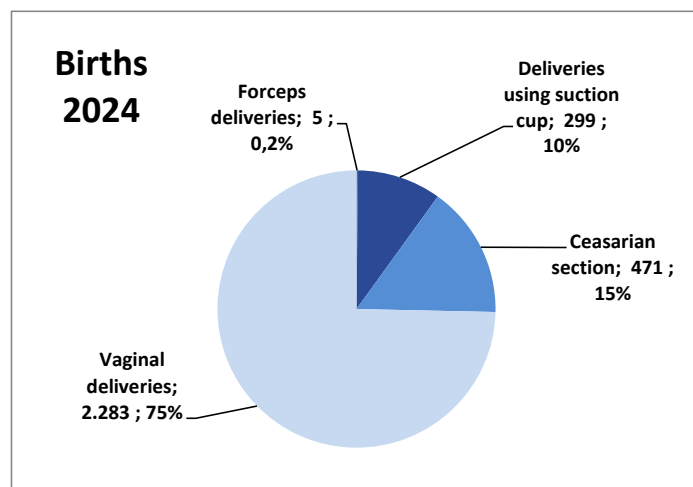
Outpatient Services



Surgical Procedures

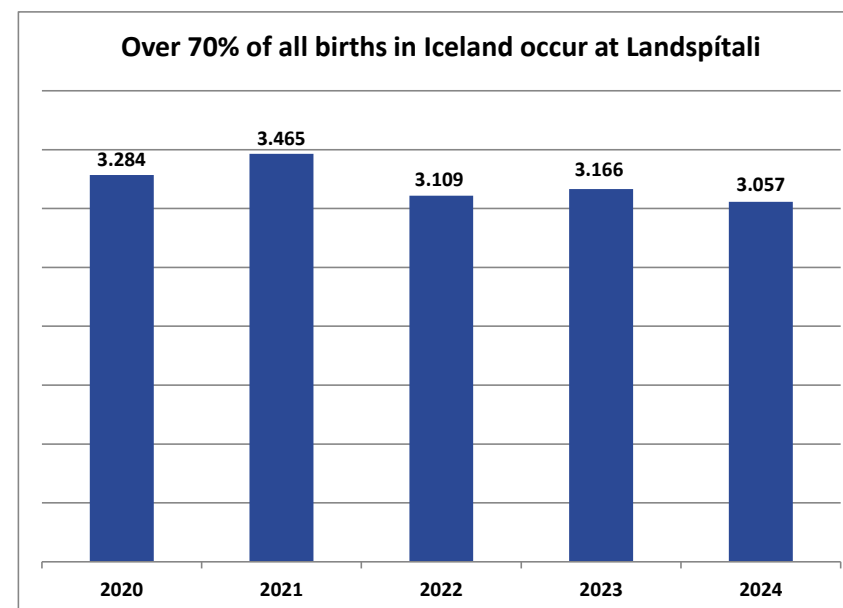
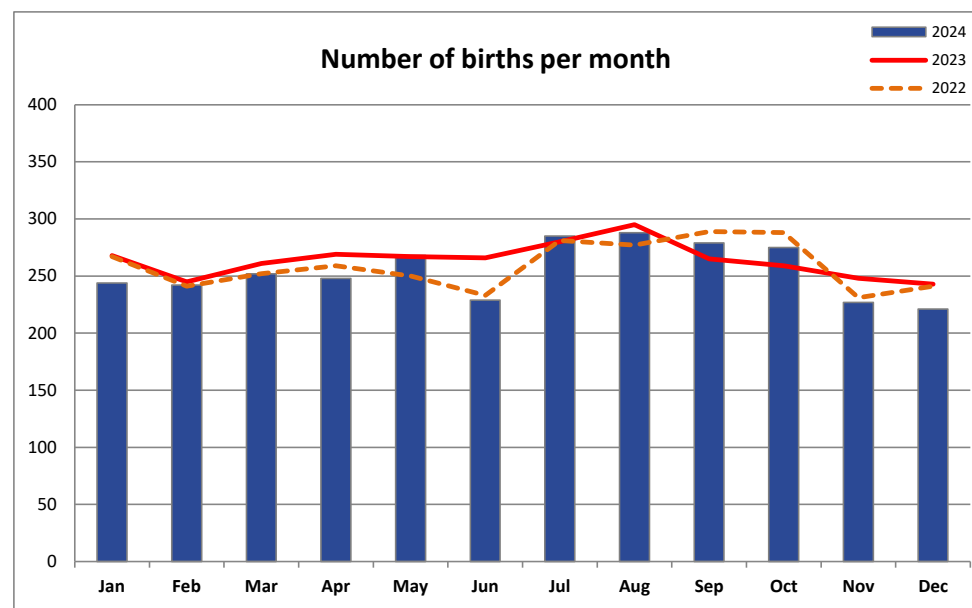
	Total		Increase/ decrease	Acute procedures		Day surgery	
	2024	2023		2024	Proportion	2024	Proportion
General surgery	2.353	2.220	6,0%	1.075	45,7%	958	40,7%
Ophthalmology	8.777	8.571	2,4%	200	2,3%	8.660	98,7%
Paediatric surgery	498	527	-5,5%	239	48,0%	246	49,4%
Breast surgery	437	451	-	7	1,6%	75	17,2%
Cardiothoracic surgery	386	424	-9,0%	135	35,0%	27	7,0%
Orthopaedics	3.292	3.113	5,8%	2.045	62,1%	1.325	40,2%
Ear-, Nose and Throat surgery (ENT)	815	820	-0,6%	178	21,8%	526	64,5%
Neurosurgery	601	659	-8,8%	208	34,6%	201	33,4%
Gynaecology	2.111	2.132	-1,0%	505	23,9%	1.112	52,7%
Plastic surgery	322	421	-23,5%	74	23,0%	159	49,4%
Urology	1.172	1.071	9,4%	284	24,2%	828	70,6%
Vascular surgery	266	261	1,9%	141	53,0%	34	12,8%
Obstetrics	382	400	-4,5%	217	56,8%	0	0,0%
Total	21.412	21.070	1,6%	5.308	24,8%	14.151	66,1%
Intraocular injections for treatment of age-related macular degeneration	6.887	6.492	6,1%	0	0,0%	6.887	100,0%





Births

	2024	2023	Increase/decrease
Number of births, thereof	3.057	3.166	-3,4%
number of twins	48	53	-9,4%
number of triplets	0	3	-
Number of babies	3.105	3.226	-3,8%
Multiple births	1,7%	1,8%	-
Caesarean section rate	15,5%	16,1%	-



Our patients come from all parts of Iceland

Patients seeking health care services at Landspítali come from all health districts in the country. The first column shows the number of patients, the second column shows the percentage of inhabitants in each area that had at least one contact with Landspítali in 2024.

Percentage of births is calculated from the number of women at the age of 18 to 45 living in the area.

Westfjords

Stays	186	2,9%
Day-and Outpatients	1.045	16,4%
Emergency visits	210	3,3%
Births	22	1,9%

North-Iceland

Stays	551	1,5%
Day-and Outpatients	3.246	8,6%
Emergency visits	589	1,6%
Births	18	0,3%

West-Iceland

Stays	562	2,9%
Day-and Outpatients	3.741	19,2%
Emergency visits	844	4,3%
Births	42	1,2%

Capital area

Stays	13.384	5,5%
Day-and Outpatients	65.589	26,9%
Emergency visits	43.296	17,7%
Births	2.432	5,1%

East-Iceland

Stays	247	2,2%
Day-and Outpatients	1.322	11,9%
Emergency visits	238	2,1%
Births	21	1,1%

Foreign citizens and patients outside the IHI

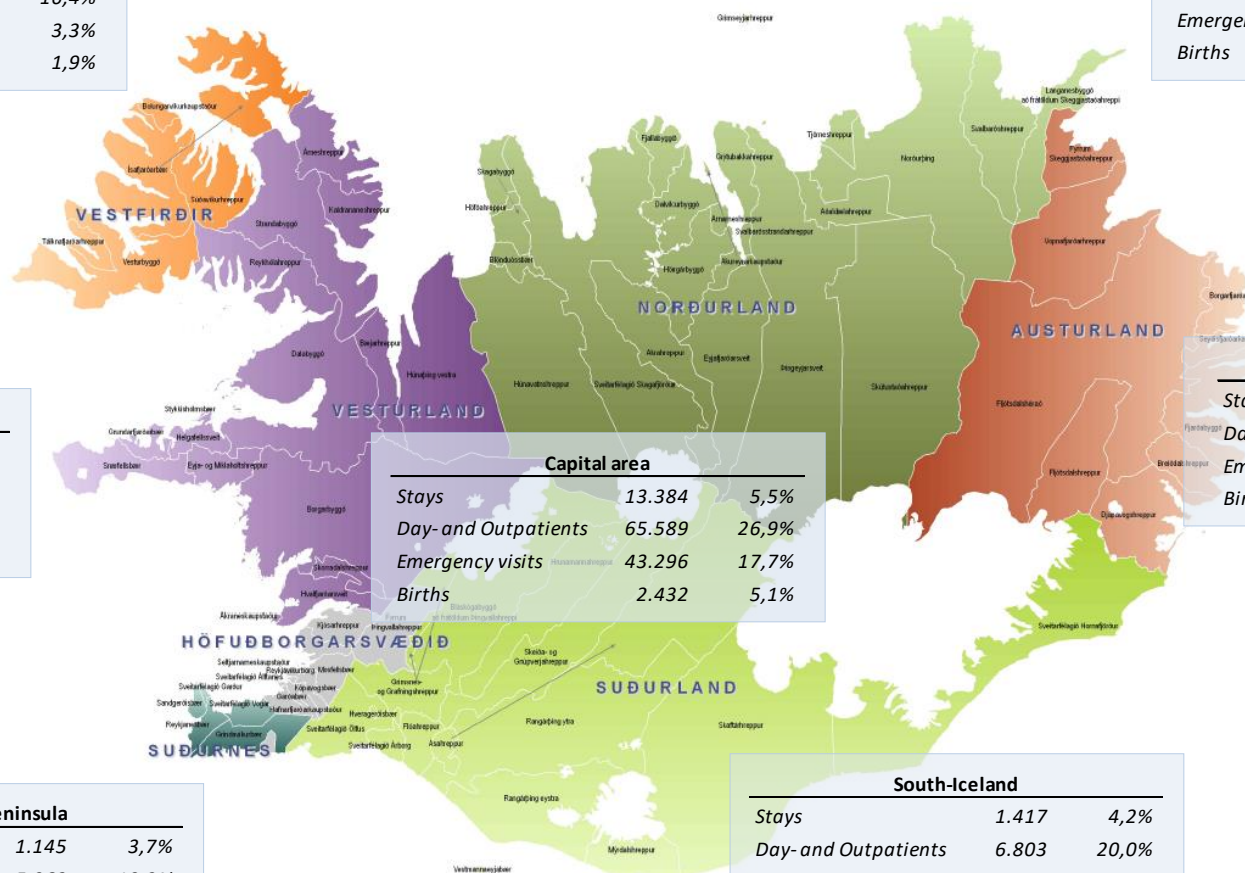
Stays	777	-
Day-and Outpatients	832	-
Emergency visits	2.522	-
Births	38	-

Reykjanes-peninsula

Stays	1.145	3,7%
Day-and Outpatients	5.962	19,3%
Emergency visits	1.943	6,3%
Births	204	3,4%

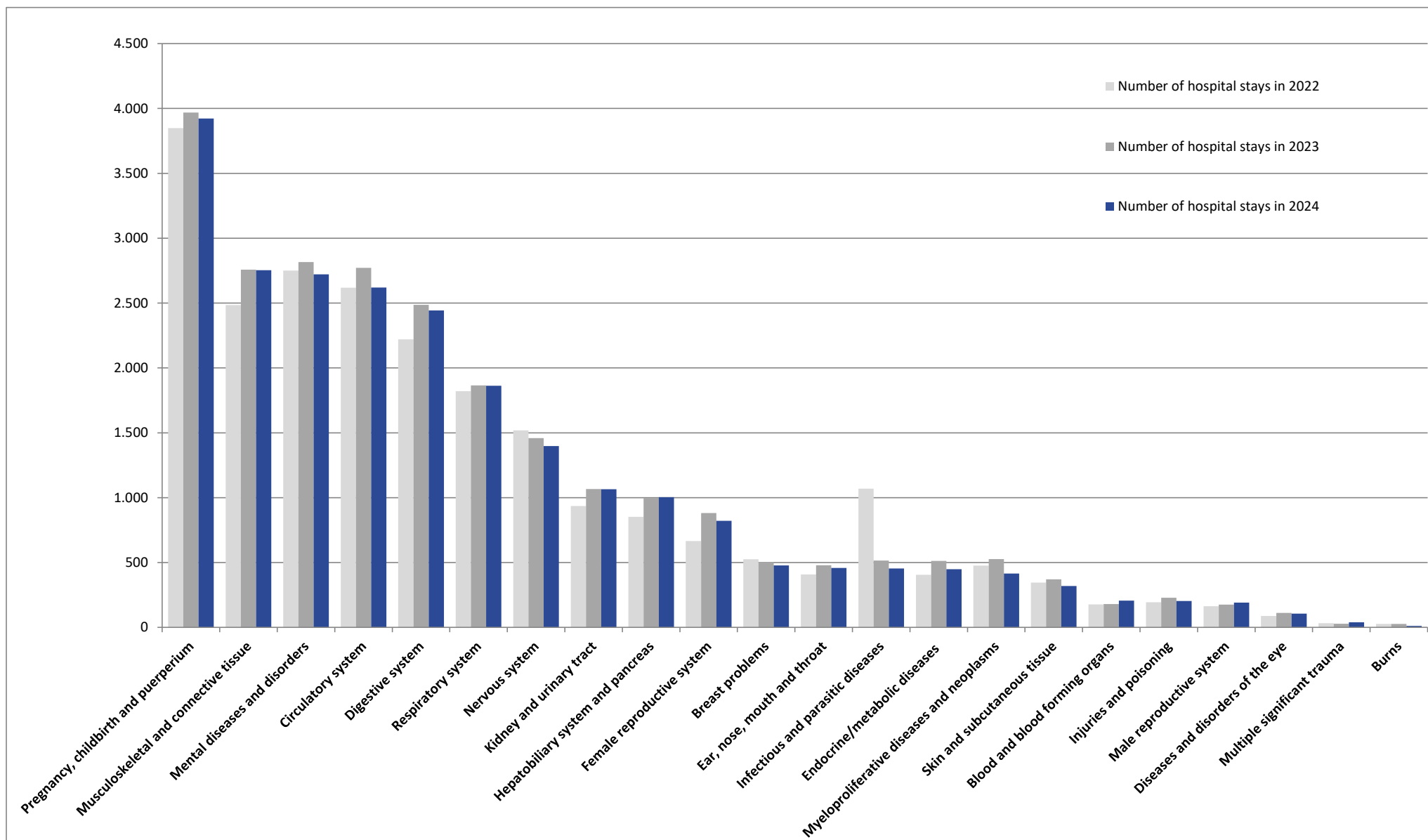
South-Iceland

Stays	1.417	4,2%
Day-and Outpatients	6.803	20,0%
Emergency visits	1.609	4,7%
Births	278	4,3%

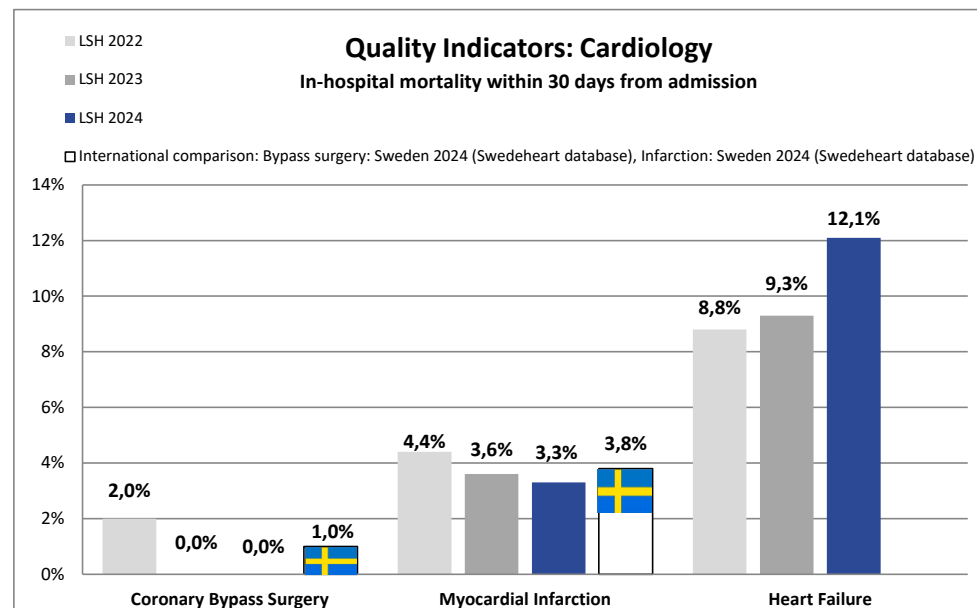
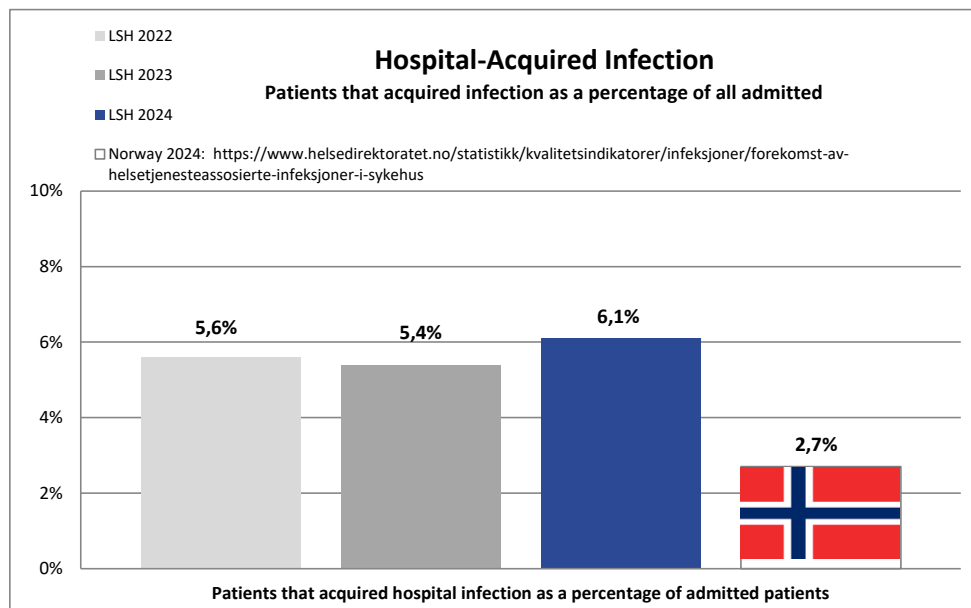
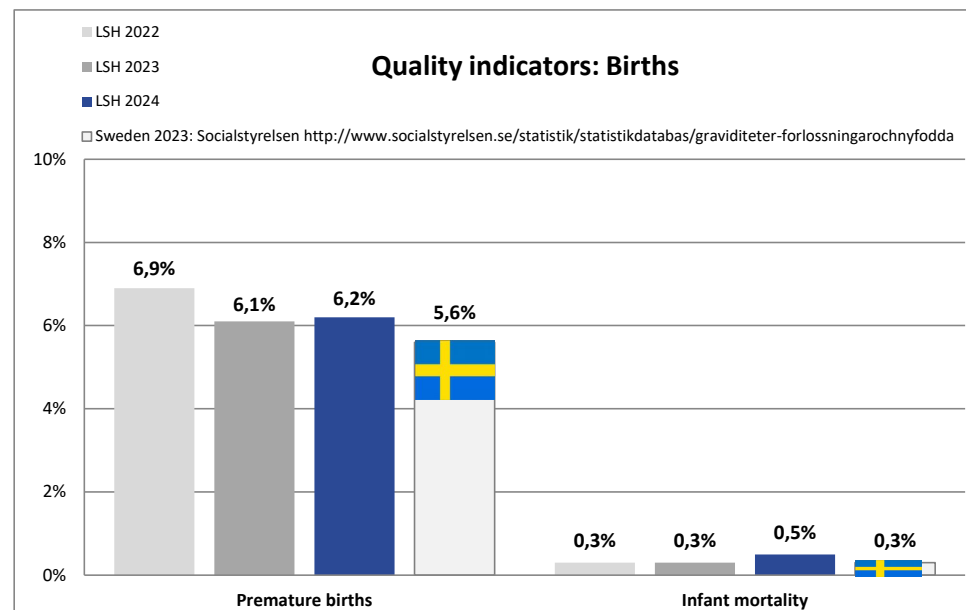
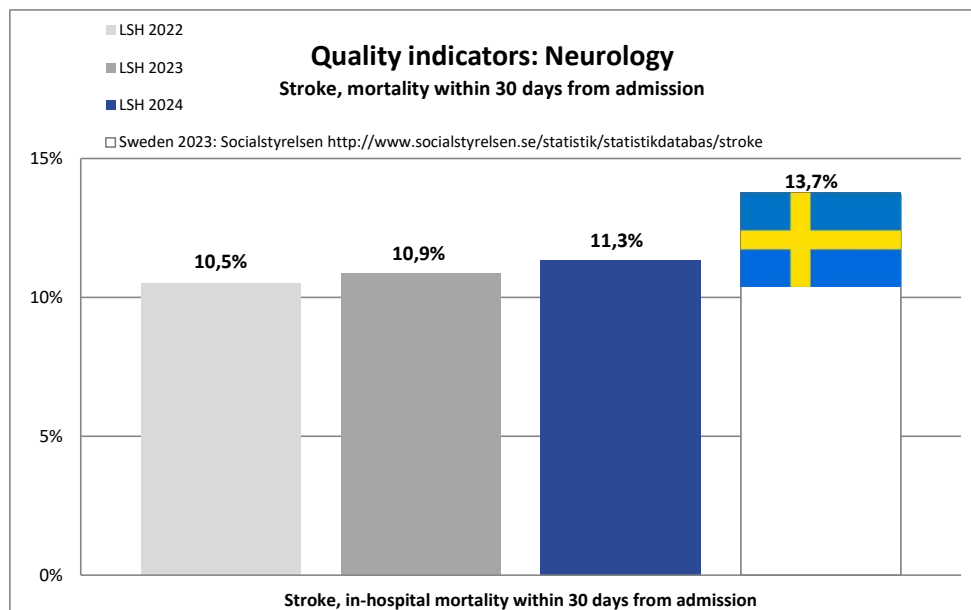


Inpatients; Main Diagnostic Categories (MDC) of the Diagnosis Related Groups (DRG) system

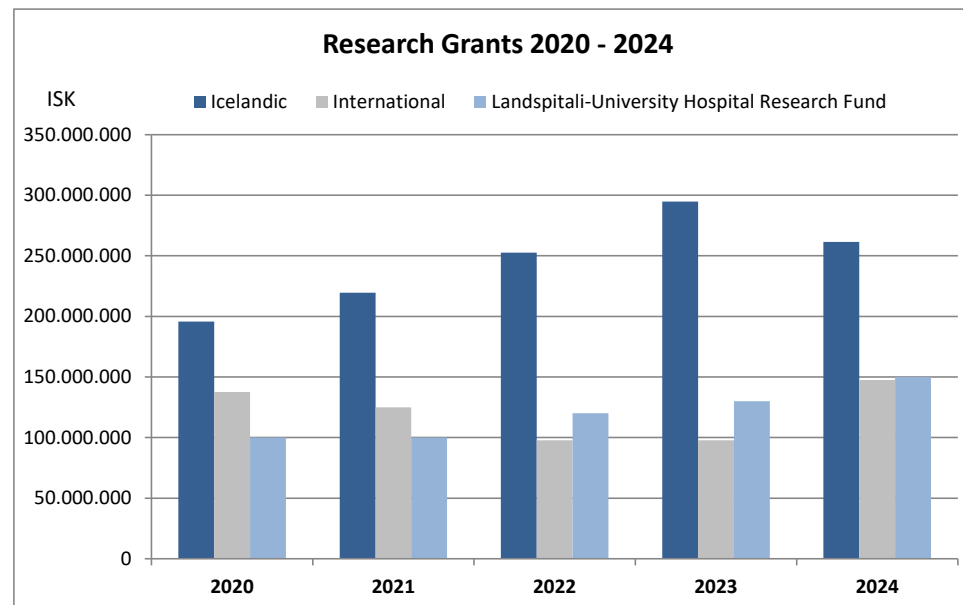
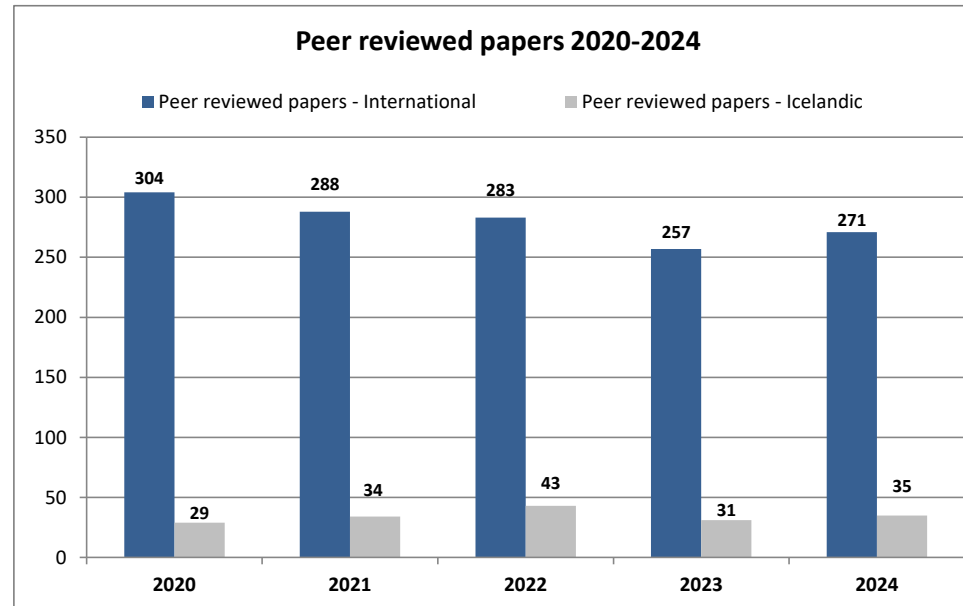
Number of inpatient stays 2022-2024



Quality indicators, examples

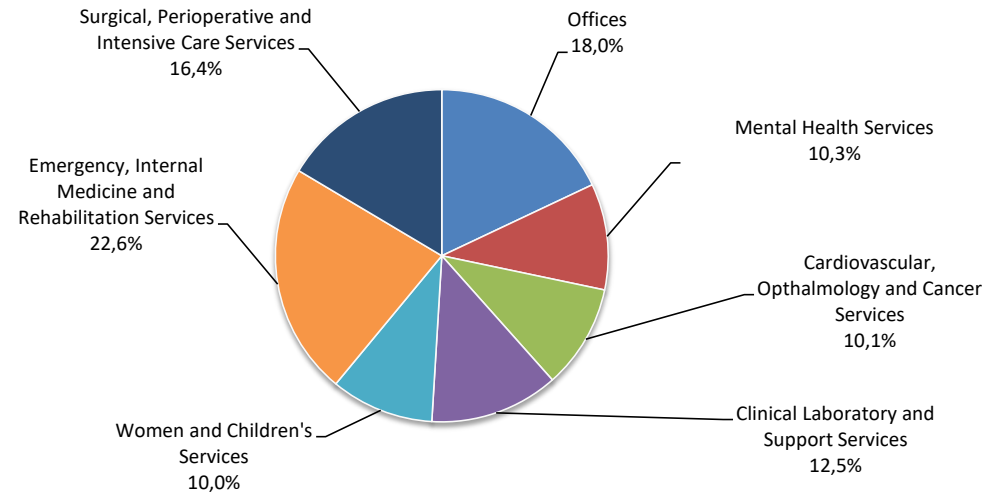


Academic research - foundation for quality care

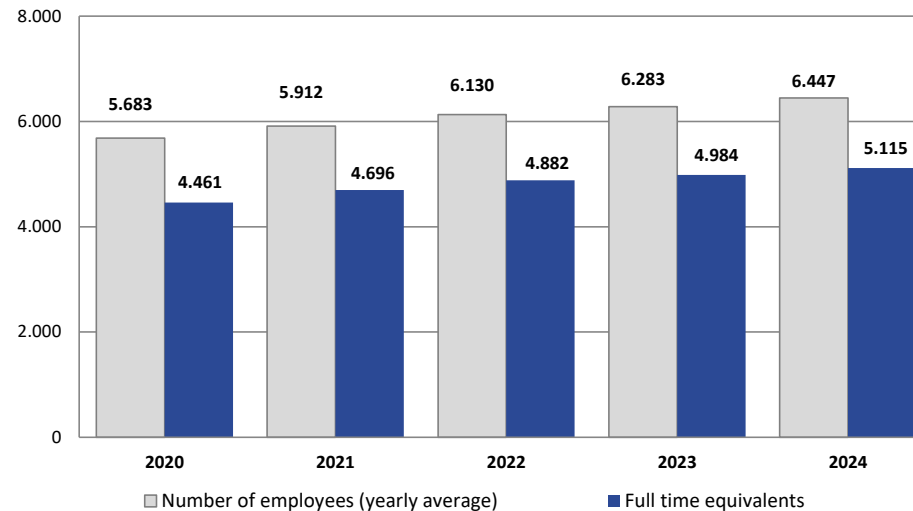


Human resources

Fulltime equivalents (FTEs) divisional partition 2024



Number of FTEs and employees

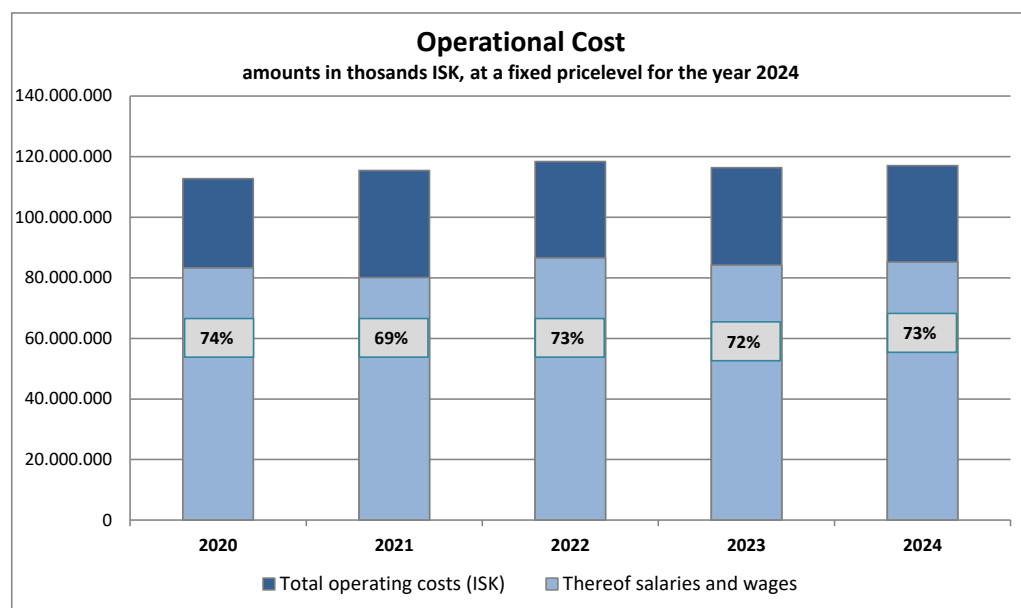


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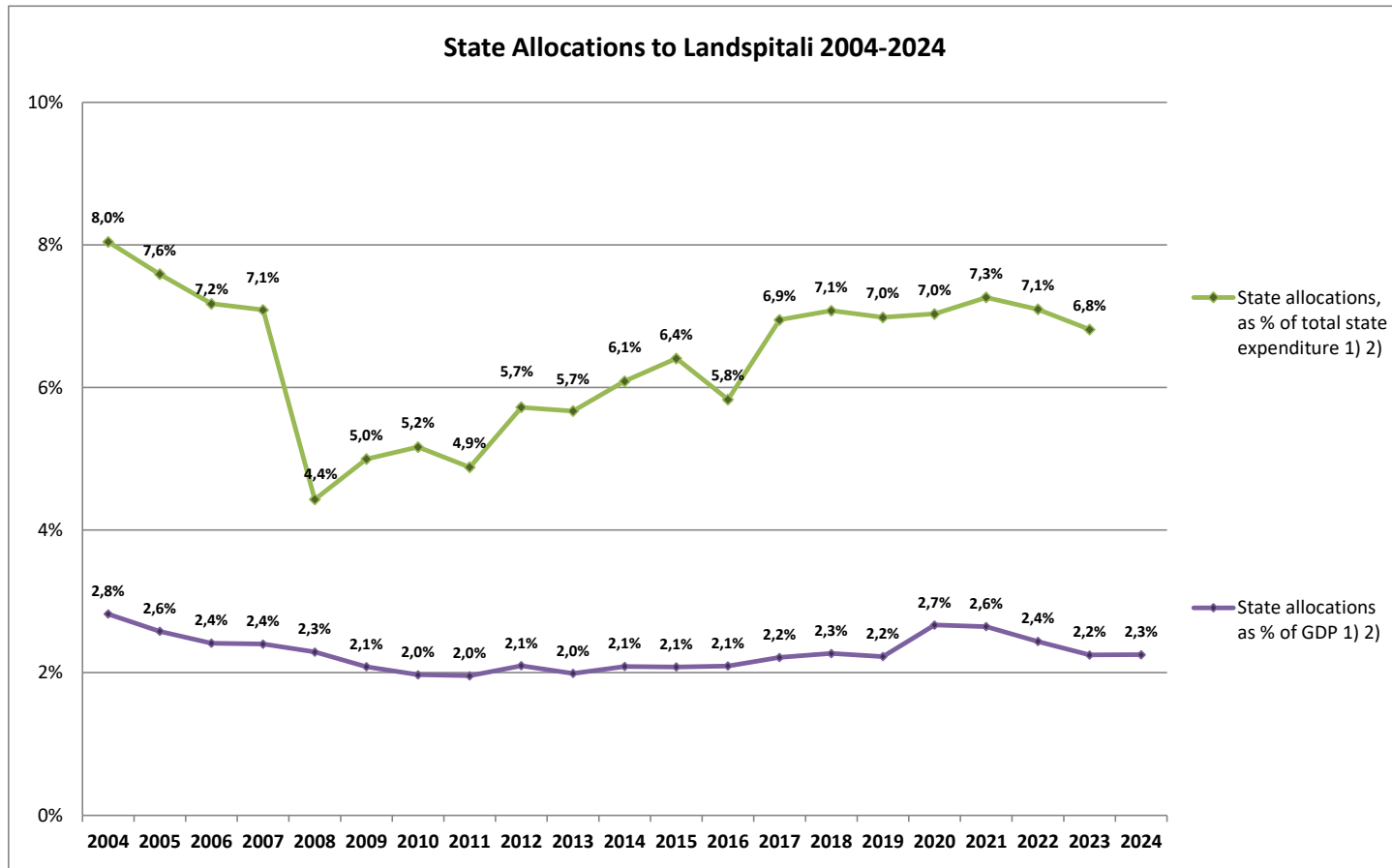
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	2024	2023	2022
Revenues			
Allotment in State Budget	101.398,5	95.145,6	92.543,9
Revenues from patient care and other operations	13.425,8	12.072,8	10.703,3
Medicinal product subject to licence, day- and outpatient wards	5.942,4	5.641,1	5.431,2
Provision for depreciation	1.840,3	3.270,6	1.598,1
Total Revenues	122.607,1	116.130,1	110.276,4
Expenses			
Wages and salaries	85.197,3	79.733,6	75.854,4
Other operating expenses	29.813,3	27.156,2	26.143,5
Medicinal product subject to licence, day- and outpatient wards	5.690,4	5.421,7	5.212,6
Depreciation	2.021,2	3.236,1	1.525,6
Total Expenses	122.722,1	115.547,5	108.736,2
Revenues above Expenses			
Revenues above Expenses/(Expenses above Revenues)	(115,0)	582,6	1.540,2
Other Revenues			
Financial revenues and (expenses)	60,1	24,0	0,4
Total Revenues above Expenses/(Expenses above Revenues)	(55,0)	606,6	1.540,6

Amounts in ISK millions



State Allocations to Landspítali



1) According to State Budget

2) In the State Budget 2009 allocations for medicinal products subject to license were transferred from Landspítali to the Icelandic Health Insurance Agency.

Five year statistical overview

Five years statistical overview ¹⁾

	2024	2023 Covid-19	2022 Covid-19	2021 Covid-19	2020 Covid-19
Population development in the capital area ²⁾					
Number of inhabitants	244.177	239.289	233.364	229.647	226.169
Annual increase	2,04%	2,54%	1,62%	1,54%	1,43%
Number of inhabitants age 70 years and older	25.444	24.522	23.728	22.818	21.905
Proportion of inhabitants age 70 years and older	10,42%	10,25%	10,17%	9,72%	9,47%
Number of inhabitants age 80 years and older	8.671	8.415	8.183	8.004	7.852
Proportion of inhabitants age 80 years and older	3,55%	3,52%	3,51%	3,49%	3,47%
Key operational statistics ³⁾					
Total operational costs (ISK) ⁴⁾	117.031.712	116.376.424	118.364.433	115.404.100	112.747.451
Salaries	73%	72%	73%	69%	74%
Number of individuals receiving hospital care	135.171	132.881	128.371	123.416	108.057
Emergency units, visits	94.615	94.240	91.437	92.811	80.666
Day- and outpatient units, all services ^{1) 5)} thereof	569.341	541.974	484.333	486.181	454.682
Outpatient units ¹⁾	469.564	451.315	396.414	391.774	353.176
Dayward units ¹⁾	99.776	90.657	87.919	94.407	101.506
Admissions ¹⁾	26.679	27.425	26.326	27.076	24.656
Patient days ¹⁾	230.007	222.562	218.588	214.739	204.840
Patient days in ER (stays longer than 24 h)	11.516	9.132	8.787	5.283	3.597
Proportion of patientdays in acuity groups IV and V ⁶⁾	41%	44%	46%	37%	34%
Average length of stay (30 days max LOS)	4,9	4,8	4,8	4,6	4,8
Average length of stay, total	8,7	8,3	8,4	8,1	8,6
Readmissions within 30 days	13%	12%	11%	13%	12%
DRG casemix index, inpatients ⁷⁾	1,59	1,56	1,55	1,54	1,57
Total DRG units ⁷⁾	67.766	66.991	62.927	64.385	59.873
Hospital beds	619	621	651	654	658
Surgical procedures ¹⁾ , thereof	21.412	21.070	19.525	20.454	18.992
same day surgery	66%	64%	63%	63%	64%
Number of births	3.057	3.165	3.109	3.465	3.284
Diagnostic services, thereof	3.573.549	3.465.315	3.558.905	4.000.875	3.144.602
Diagnostic imaging	134.832	136.325	126.311	126.936	113.545
Patient safety incidents, thereof	5.660	4.877	4.759	5.196	4.552
severe incidents	11	14	8	18	10
Staff safety incidents	1.403	1.215	1.274	1.136	1.385
Staffing, full time equivalents	5.115	4.984	4.882	4.696	4.461
Staff turnover	13,2%	14,9%	15,5%	15,8%	13,8%
Staff sickness absence rate	7,5%	7,9%	8,8%	7,5%	6,7%
Employee satisfaction ⁸⁾	7,5	7,3	-	-	-

1) Figures in 2020-2022 are affected by the Coronavirus pandemic.

2) Data from Statistics Iceland.

3) Data from hospital annual reports.

4) Numbers in thousands (ISK), at fixed price level for the year 2024.

5) Day- and outpatient visits, treatment calls and remote services.

6) Inpatients in 15 wards grouped in acuity groups I through V, where V is highest acuity.

7) Total DRG units based on 2025 DRG weights. Norwegian weights used now, that are higher than the Icelandic weights formerly used. Without newborns and patient hotel.

8) New indicators for employee satisfaction were implemented in 2023. Therefore numbers are not comparable between years.

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Average exchange rate USD to ISK	137,9	138,0	135,5	127,1	135,3
Average exchange rate EUR to ISK	149,3	149,1	142,3	150,2	154,5

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