Family Practitioner Services Statistics for Northern Ireland 2020/21

General Ophthalmic Services

42% of sight tests were for males, **57%** were for females

Sight tests for people aged under 16 and 60+ account for 75% of sight tests



95% of population live within 5 miles of an ophthalmic practice



34% decrease in sight tests from

2019/20

People under 16 account for 45% of vouchers reimbursed



311,000 141,000 Sight **Optical** Vouchers Tests 27,000

Repairs/

Replacements

Ophthalmic services cost £24.4 million

incl. £7.6 million COVID-19 Support Payments (FSS & PPE)



30,555 **NIPEARS** assessments

751 LES I & 248 LES II assessments

665 ophthalmic practitioners & **271** ophthalmic practices

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