

List of Terms and Acronyms

A&E – Accident and Emergency Department
 AI – Artificial Intelligence
 ARSAC license - [Administration of Radioactive Substances Advisory Committee](#) License for the use of radioactive substances in nuclear medicine departments
 BC ICB/S – [Black Country Integrated Care Board/System](#)
 BSol ICB/S – [Birmingham and Solihull Integrated Care Board/System](#)
 BWC - [Birmingham Women's and Children's NHS Foundation Trust](#)
 C&W ICB/S – [Coventry and Warwickshire Integrated Care Board/System](#)
 CDC – Community Diagnostic Centre
 CDS – Clinical Decision Software
 CES – Cauda Equina Syndrome
[Core20](#) - The most deprived 20% of the national population as identified by the national [Index of Multiple Deprivation \(IMD\)](#).
 CPD – Continuing Professional Development
 CT, IR, NM, PET-CT SPECT, PF and MRI – see our [modalities webpage](#)
 CTPA – CT pulmonary angiogram
 DGFT - [The Dudley Group NHS Foundation Trust](#)
 DID – [Diagnostic Imaging Dataset](#)
 DSA – Data Sharing Agreement
 ESR – [Electronic Staff Record](#)
 FRCR – Fellowship of the Royal College of Radiologists
 GEH - [George Eliot Hospital NHS Trust](#)
 GIRFT - [Getting it Right First Time](#)
 H&W ICB/S – [Herefordshire and Worcestershire Integrated Care Board/System](#)
 HEI – Higher Education Institute
 ICB – Integrated Care Board
 ICS - Integrated Care System
 IEP – Image Exchange Portal
 IMD - [Index of Multiple Deprivation \(IMD\)](#)
 IPEM – [Institute of Physics and Engineering in Medicine](#)
 LBGTQ+ - lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer and more
 MDT – Multidisciplinary Team
 MES – Managed Equipment Service
 MoU – Memorandum of Understanding
 MSK – Musculoskeletal
 NHSE – [NHS England](#)
 NHSE WTE - NHS England Workforce, Training and Education
 NIDC - [National Imaging and Diagnostics Collection](#)
 NOSIP - National Optimal Stroke Imaging Pathway
 PACS – Picture Archiving and Communication System
 PFI - Private Finance Initiative
 PG – Postgraduate
 QSI – [Quality Standard for Imaging](#)
 QSIN – [Quality Standard for Imaging Networks](#)
 RCR – [Royal College of Radiologists](#)

RIS – Radiology Information System
RJAHS - [The Robert Jones and Agnes Hunt Orthopaedic Hospital NHS Foundation Trust](#)
ROH - [The Royal Orthopaedic Hospital NHS Foundation Trust](#)
RWT - [The Royal Wolverhampton NHS Trust](#)
SaTH - [The Shrewsbury and Telford Hospital NHS Trust](#)
SCoR – [Society and College of Radiographers](#)
SIG – [Special Interest Group](#)
SPA – Suspected Physical Abuse
SR21
SSt ICB/S – [Staffordshire and Stoke-on-Trent Integrated Care Board/System](#)
STW ICB/S – [Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin Integrated Care Board/System](#)
SWB - [Sandwell and West Birmingham Hospitals NHS Trust](#)
SWFT - [South Warwickshire University NHS Foundation Trust](#)
TAT – Report Turnaround Times (scan to report)
TLHC – [Targeted Lung Health Checks](#)
UG - Undergraduate
UHB - [University Hospitals Birmingham NHS Foundation Trust](#)
UHCW - [University Hospitals Coventry and Warwickshire NHS Trust](#)
UHNH - [University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust](#)
WAH - [Worcestershire Acute Hospitals NHS Trust](#)
WHCT - [Walsall Healthcare NHS Trust](#)
WMIN – [West Midlands Imaging Network](#)
WTE – Whole Time Equivalent
WVT - [Wye Valley NHS Trust](#)