1 Supplementary Materials

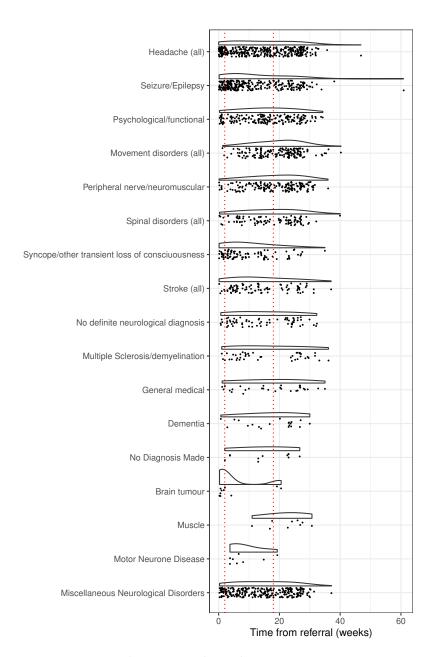


Figure 1: Distribution of waiting time from referral to new appointment including outliers and small categories.

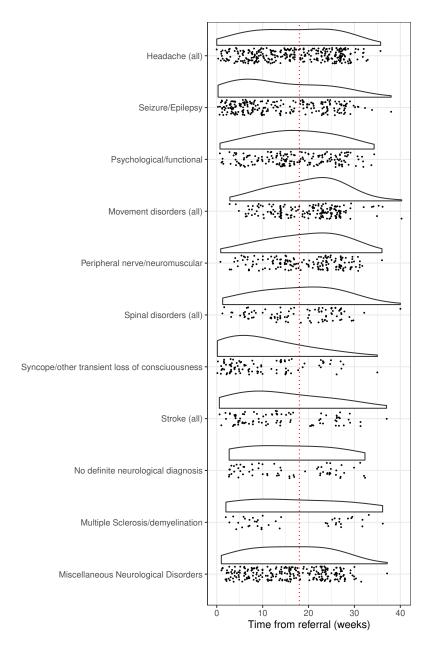


Figure 2: Distribution of waiting time from referral to new appointment after removing patients referred on a 2 week pathway for suspected CNS cancer or a first seizure.

	Seizure/Epilepsy	Psychological/	Func-	Movement Disorders	Peripheral nerve/ neu-
		tional			romuscular
Headache (all)	2.0×10^{-5} *	0.15		1.3 × 10-4 *	$4.4 \times 10 - 3$
Seizure/Epilepsy		$1.9 \times 10 - 7$ *		$3.6 \times 10 - 14$ *	$2.0 \times 10 - 10$ *
Psychological/Functional				$3.3 \times 10 - 3$	0.05
Movement Disorders					0.41

Table 1: P-values from pairwise Kolmogorov-Smirnov tests of the empirical cumulative distributions of waiting time for the 5 most common diagnostic categories. *indicates statistical significance at alpha = 0.05 using Bonferroni corrections for multiple testing.