

## **Publication of NI Cancer Waiting Times Statistics Release (October – December 2020)**

The Department of Health today published the NI Cancer Waiting Times Statistics Release for October, November and December 2020.

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## **Duty of candour consultation to be launched**

Health Minister Robin Swann has confirmed a public consultation will be held on policy proposals for a Statutory Duty of Candour.

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## **Poots welcomes packaging partnership to tackle plastic pollution**

Environment Minister Edwin Poots has welcomed a new partnership that will fund training places for packaging technologists in a drive to find more sustainable alternatives to single-use plastics.

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## **Appointment of new member to the Education Authority (EA)**

The Minister of Education has announced the appointment of a new replacement member to the Board of the Education Authority (EA), nominated by the Governing Bodies Association to represent the interests of voluntary grammar schools.

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**The Northern Ireland Planning  
Statistics: Third Quarter 2020/21  
Statistical Bulletin, has been  
published today**

Provisional planning statistics for the third quarter of 2020/21 are now available.