Supplementary Table 3: Operation specialties for selected operations

OPCS4 code	Description	Specialty*
F091	Surgical removal of impacted wisdom tooth	Oral Surgery, Maxillo-Facial Surgery
F093	Surgical removal of wisdom tooth NEC	Oral Surgery, Maxillo-Facial Surgery
J183	Total cholecystectomy NEC	Hepatobiliary & Pancreatic Surgery, Upper Gastrointestinal Surgery, General Surgery
M653	Endoscopic resection of prostate NEC	Urology
Q074	Total abdominal hysterectomy NEC	Gynaecology
T212	Repair of recurrent inguinal hernia using insert of prosthetic material	General Surgery
T242	Repair of umbilical hernia using insert of prosthetic material	General Surgery
T243	Repair of umbilical hernia using sutures	General Surgery
T272	Repair of ventral hernia using insert of prosthetic material	General Surgery
V255	Primary posterior decompression of lumbar spinal cord NEC	Spinal Surgery Service, Trauma & Orthopaedics, Neurosurgery
W371	Primary total prosthetic replacement of hip joint using cement	General Surgery, Trauma & Orthopaedics
W381	Primary total prosthetic replacement of hip joint not using cement	Trauma & Orthopaedics
W391	Primary total prosthetic replacement of hip joint NEC	Trauma & Orthopaedics
W401	Primary total prosthetic replacement of knee joint using cement	Trauma & Orthopaedics
W411	Primary total prosthetic replacement of knee joint not using cement	Trauma & Orthopaedics
W421	Primary total prosthetic replacement of knee joint NEC	Trauma & Orthopaedics
W931	Primary hybrid prosthetic replacement of hip joint using cemented acetabular component	Trauma & Orthopaedics
W941	Primary hybrid prosthetic replacement of hip joint using cemented femoral component	Trauma & Orthopaedics

*List of specialties comprises all those with > 1000 admissions and >1% of admissions when considering index admissions for this operation type. The specialty used was that within which the consultant was working during the period of care.