

Emergency department activity

	Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	% change	
All arrivals at ED by ambulance	1,965	1,667	298	17.9%	
All ED presentations	9,158	8,878	280	3.2%	
All emergency presentations	9,133	8,861	272	3.1%	
Emergency presentation by triage category	T1: Resuscitation	17	27	-10	-37.0%
	T2: Emergency	941	814	127	15.6%
	T3: Urgent	3,509	3,238	271	8.4%
	T4: Semi-urgent	4,154	4,029	125	3.1%
	T5: Non-urgent	512	753	-241	-32.0%
Admissions to hospital from EDs	2,023	2,156	-133	-6.2%	

Emergency department performance

	Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	Peer group results		
Time to treatment by triage category	T2: Emergency	Median time to treatment	10m	10m	0m	8m
		90th percentile time to treatment	27m	30m	-3m	24m
		% started treatment on time	50.6%	54.8%	-4.2 percentage points	69.9%
	T3: Urgent	Median time to treatment	23m	20m	3m	21m
		90th percentile time to treatment	1h 18m	1h 23m	-5m	1h 14m
		% started treatment on time	63.9%	66.7%	-2.8 percentage points	68.1%
	T4: Semi-urgent	Median time to treatment	26m	25m	1m	28m
		90th percentile time to treatment	2h 11m	2h 28m	-17m	1h 47m
		% started treatment on time	72%	71%	1.0 percentage points	76.4%
	T5: Non-urgent	Median time to treatment	23m	20m	3m	25m
		90th percentile time to treatment	2h 11m	2h 22m	-11m	1h 50m
		% started treatment on time	89.4%	85.3%	4.1 percentage points	91.9%
Patients starting treatment on time %	67.0%	68.6%	-1.6 percentage points	73.9%		
Median time to leave the ED	3h 00m	3h 17m	-17m	3h 04m		
90th percentile time to leave the ED	6h 29m	6h 59m	-30m	7h 47m		
Patients leaving the ED within four hours of presentation	75.4%	70.9%	4.5 percentage points	69.8%		
Transfer of care	Median transfer of care time (minutes)	13m	13m	0m	12m	
	90th percentile transfer of care time (minutes)	27m	31m	-4m	28m	
	Percent on target	91.9%	88.6%	3.3 percentage points	91.1%	

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Elective surgery activity

	Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	% change
Elective surgery procedures performed	706	762	-56	-7.3%
Urgency category				
Urgent	84	77	7	9.1%
Semi-urgent	110	141	-31	-22.0%
Non-urgent	510	539	-29	-5.4%
Patients on waiting list ready for elective surgery at the end of quarter	1,810	1,845	-35	-1.9%
Urgency category				
Urgent	6	<5		
Semi-urgent	56	102	-46	-45.1%
Non-urgent	1,748	1,743	5	0.3%

Elective surgery performance


		Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	Peer group results	
Waiting time (days)	Urgent	Median	14 days	15 days	-1 days	13 days
		90th percentile	(*)	(*)		27 days
	Semi-urgent	Median	67 days	56 days	11 days	47 days
		90th percentile	85 days	77 days	8 days	83 days
	Non-urgent	Median	274 days	223 days	51 days	254 days
		90th percentile	351 days	334 days	17 days	355 days
Elective surgery procedures performed on time	All procedures	99.9%	99.9%	0.0 percentage points	97.7%	
	Urgent	100%	100%	0.0 percentage points	99.7%	
	Semi-urgent	100%	99.3%	0.7 percentage points	98.2%	
	Non-urgent	99.8%	100%	-0.2 percentage points	96.5%	

Admitted patient activity

	Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	% change	
Episodes	All episodes	7,539	7,757	-218	-2.8%
	Acute	7,411	7,640	-229	-3.0%
	Acute Overnight	3,172	3,385	-213	-6.3%
	Acute Same Day	4,239	4,255	-16	-0.4%
	Non-acute	128	117	11	9.4%
	Mental health	0	0		
Average length of stay (days)	Acute	2.2	2.2	0.0	
	Acute Overnight	3.9	3.8	0.1	
	Non-acute	13.0	16.6	-3.6	
	Mental health	n/a	n/a		
Hospital bed days	All bed days	18,315	18,912	-597	-3.2%
	Acute	16,646	16,968	-322	-1.9%
	Non-acute	1,669	1,944	-275	-14.1%
	Mental health	0	0	0	
Babies born in Fairfield Hospital	363	398	-35	-8.8%	

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