

Emergency department activity

	Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	% change	
All arrivals at ED by ambulance	465	503	-38	-7.6%	
All ED presentations	2,272	2,278	-6	-0.3%	
All emergency presentations	2,052	2,081	-29	-1.4%	
Emergency presentation by triage category	T1: Resuscitation	7	12	-5	-41.7%
	T2: Emergency	224	220	4	1.8%
	T3: Urgent	683	694	-11	-1.6%
	T4: Semi-urgent	1,015	989	26	2.6%
	T5: Non-urgent	123	166	-43	-25.9%
Admissions to hospital from EDs	354	361	-7	-1.9%	

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	4m	3m	1m	8m
		90th percentile time to treatment	20m	27m	-7m	24m
		% started treatment on time	80.5%	83.6%	-3.1 percentage points	66.6%
	T3: Urgent	Median time to treatment	15m	10m	5m	18m
		90th percentile time to treatment	45m	50m	-5m	56m
		% started treatment on time	80.8%	82.4%	-1.6 percentage points	73.9%
	T4: Semi-urgent	Median time to treatment	25m	25m	0m	24m
		90th percentile time to treatment	1h 20m	1h 27m	-7m	1h 32m
		% started treatment on time	84.6%	82.3%	2.3 percentage points	80.0%
	T5: Non-urgent	Median time to treatment	22m	15m	7m	23m
		90th percentile time to treatment	(*)	1h 25m		1h 40m
		% started treatment on time	94.7%	95.8%	-1.1 percentage points	93.1%
Patients starting treatment on time %	83.3%	83.5%	-0.2 percentage points	78.3%		
Median time to leave the ED	1h 35m	1h 37m	-2m	1h 42m		
90th percentile time to leave the ED	4h 15m	4h 27m	-12m	4h 52m		
Patients leaving the ED within four hours of presentation	88.4%	87.0%	1.4 percentage points	85.5%		
Transfer of care	Median transfer of care time (minutes)	6m**	5m**	1m	10m**	
	90th percentile transfer of care time (minutes)	19m**	18m**	1m	23m**	
	Percent on target	98.3%**	96.3%**	2.0 percentage points	94.4%**	

** Caution - Transfer of care could not be calculated for more than 30% of records

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(n/a) not applicable

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Elective surgery activity

	Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	% change
Elective surgery procedures performed	46	52	-6	-11.5%
Urgency category				
Urgent	5	7	-2	-28.6%
Semi-urgent	16	19	-3	-15.8%
Non-urgent	25	26	-1	-3.8%
Patients on waiting list ready for elective surgery at the end of quarter	132	96	36	37.5%
Urgency category				
Urgent	0	<5		
Semi-urgent	12	14	-2	-14.3%
Non-urgent	120	82	38	46.3%

Elective surgery performance

		Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	Peer group results	
Waiting time (days)	Urgent	Median	(*)	(*)	13 days	
		90th percentile	(*)	(*)	26 days	
	Semi-urgent	Median	55 days	24 days	31 days	41 days
		90th percentile	(*)	(*)		77 days
	Non-urgent	Median	271 days	272 days	-1 days	136 days
		90th percentile	(*)	(*)		316 days
Elective surgery procedures performed on time	All procedures	100%	100%	0.0 percentage points	99.5%	
	Urgent	(*)	(*)		100.0%	
	Semi-urgent	100%	100%	0.0 percentage points	99.7%	
	Non-urgent	100%	100%	0.0 percentage points	99.2%	

Admitted patient activity

	Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	% change	
Episodes	All episodes	1,157	1,360	-203	-14.9%
	Acute	1,135	1,332	-197	-14.8%
	Acute Overnight	555	565	-10	-1.8%
	Acute Same Day	580	767	-187	-24.4%
	Non-acute	22	28	-6	-21.4%
	Mental health	0	0		
Average length of stay (days)	Acute	2.0	1.9	0.1	
	Acute Overnight	3.1	3.1	0.0	
	Non-acute	8.9	8.1	0.8	
	Mental health	n/a	n/a		
Hospital bed days	All bed days	2,469	2,724	-255	-9.4%
	Acute	2,273	2,497	-224	-9.0%
	Non-acute	196	227	-31	-13.7%
	Mental health	0	0	0	
Babies born in Inverell Hospital	56	51	5	9.8%	

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