

## Emergency department activity

	Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	% change	
All arrivals at ED by ambulance	491	473	18	3.8%	
All ED presentations	3,652	3,804	-152	-4.0%	
All emergency presentations	3,496	3,666	-170	-4.6%	
Emergency presentation by triage category	T1: Resuscitation	17	20	-3	-15.0%
	T2: Emergency	363	374	-11	-2.9%
	T3: Urgent	1,013	975	38	3.9%
	T4: Semi-urgent	1,493	1,564	-71	-4.5%
	T5: Non-urgent	610	733	-123	-16.8%
Admissions to hospital from EDs	246	209	37	17.7%	

## Emergency department performance

	Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	Peer group results	
Time to treatment by triage category	Median time to treatment	9m	9m	0m	8m
	T2: Emergency 90th percentile time to treatment	21m	22m	-1m	24m
	% started treatment on time	60.3%	57.7%	2.6 percentage points	66.6%
	Median time to treatment	20m	21m	-1m	18m
	T3: Urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	51m	1h 00m	-9m	56m
	% started treatment on time	73.3%	68.9%	4.4 percentage points	73.9%
	Median time to treatment	25m	25m	0m	24m
	T4: Semi-urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	1h 43m	1h 54m	-11m	1h 32m
	% started treatment on time	79.2%	75.4%	3.8 percentage points	80.0%
	Median time to treatment	27m	26m	1m	23m
	T5: Non-urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	1h 40m	2h 05m	-25m	1h 40m
	% started treatment on time	94.3%	88.9%	5.4 percentage points	93.1%
Patients starting treatment on time %	77.9%	74.4%	3.5 percentage points	78.3%	
Median time to leave the ED	1h 39m	1h 38m	1m	1h 42m	
90th percentile time to leave the ED	4h 37m	4h 28m	9m	4h 52m	
Patients leaving the ED within four hours of presentation	87.2%	87.3%	-0.1 percentage points	85.5%	
Transfer of care	Median transfer of care time (minutes)	12m	11m	1m	10m
	90th percentile transfer of care time (minutes)	26m	26m	0m	23m
	Percent on target	93.1%	92.3%	0.8 percentage points	94.4%

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### Elective surgery activity

	Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	% change
<b>Elective surgery procedures performed</b>	252	220	32	14.5%
<b>Urgency category</b>				
Urgent	8	<5		
Semi-urgent	21	14	7	50.0%
Non-urgent	223	206	17	8.3%
<b>Patients on waiting list ready for elective surgery at the end of quarter</b>	870	761	109	14.3%
<b>Urgency category</b>				
Urgent	0	0	0	
Semi-urgent	12	<5		
Non-urgent	858	761	97	12.7%

### Elective surgery performance

		Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	Peer group results	
<b>Waiting time (days)</b>	Urgent	Median	(*)	(*)	13 days	
		90th percentile	(*)	(*)	26 days	
	Semi-urgent	Median	55 days	32 days	23 days	41 days
		90th percentile	(*)	(*)		77 days
	Non-urgent	Median	297 days	299 days	-2 days	136 days
		90th percentile	330 days	325 days	5 days	316 days
<b>Elective surgery procedures performed on time</b>	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	
<b>Episodes</b>	All episodes	957	825	132	16.0%
	Acute	901	769	132	17.2%
	Acute Overnight	370	308	62	20.1%
	Acute Same Day	531	461	70	15.2%
	Non-acute	56	56	0	0.0%
	Mental health	0	0		
<b>Average length of stay (days)</b>	Acute	2.1	2.2	-0.1	
	Acute Overnight	3.8	4.1	-0.3	
	Non-acute	10.1	13.4	-3.3	
	Mental health	n/a	n/a		
<b>Hospital bed days</b>	All bed days	2,492	2,469	23	0.9%
	Acute	1,925	1,717	208	12.1%
	Non-acute	567	752	-185	-24.6%
	Mental health	0	0	0	
<b>Babies born in Macksville District Hospital</b>	15	13	2	15.4%	

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