

### Emergency department activity

	Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	% change	
All arrivals at ED by ambulance	4,195	3,929	266	6.8%	
All ED presentations	13,086	12,516	570	4.6%	
All emergency presentations	12,948	12,308	640	5.2%	
Emergency presentation by triage category	T1: Resuscitation	329	293	36	12.3%
	T2: Emergency	1,711	1,464	247	16.9%
	T3: Urgent	6,046	5,875	171	2.9%
	T4: Semi-urgent	4,410	4,156	254	6.1%
	T5: Non-urgent	452	520	-68	-13.1%
Admissions to hospital from EDs	4,221	4,161	60	1.4%	

### Emergency department performance

	Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	NSW results	
Time to treatment by triage category	Median time to treatment	3m	3m	0m	8m
	T2: Emergency 90th percentile time to treatment	14m	12m	2m	26m
	% started treatment on time	86.4%	87.4%	-1.0 percentage points	65.4%
	Median time to treatment	17m	14m	3m	20m
	T3: Urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	1h 10m	1h 00m	10m	1h 12m
	% started treatment on time	71.5%	75.5%	-4.0 percentage points	68.9%
	Median time to treatment	25m	18m	7m	26m
	T4: Semi-urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	1h 54m	1h 35m	19m	1h 44m
	% started treatment on time	76.5%	81.6%	-5.1 percentage points	77.1%
	Median time to treatment	15m	12m	3m	23m
	T5: Non-urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	1h 49m	1h 51m	-2m	1h 44m
	% started treatment on time	92.1%	91%	1.1 percentage points	92.9%
Patients starting treatment on time %	76.0%	79.6%	-3.6 percentage points	73.9%	
Median time to leave the ED	3h 13m	3h 07m	6m	2h 49m	
90th percentile time to leave the ED	10h 31m	11h 12m	-41m	7h 19m	
Patients leaving the ED within four hours of presentation	66.5%	67.2%	-0.7 percentage points	72.0%	
Transfer of care	Median transfer of care time (minutes)	13m	13m	0m	12m
	90th percentile transfer of care time (minutes)	36m	34m	2m	29m
	Percent on target	86.1%	87.4%	-1.3 percentage points	90.1%

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### Elective surgery activity

	Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	% change
<b>Elective surgery procedures performed</b>	832	893	-61	-6.8%
<b>Urgency category</b>				
Urgent	370	283	87	30.7%
Semi-urgent	227	340	-113	-33.2%
Non-urgent	206	233	-27	-11.6%
<b>Patients on waiting list ready for elective surgery at the end of quarter</b>	860	815	45	5.5%
<b>Urgency category</b>				
Urgent	21	<5		
Semi-urgent	133	194	-61	-31.4%
Non-urgent	706	621	85	13.7%

### Elective surgery performance

		Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	NSW results	
<b>Waiting time (days)</b>	Urgent	Median	7 days	8 days	-1 days	10 days
		90th percentile	22 days	25 days	-3 days	26 days
	Semi-urgent	Median	40 days	40 days	0 days	44 days
		90th percentile	78 days	71 days	7 days	83 days
	Non-urgent	Median	177 days	143 days	34 days	222 days
		90th percentile	350 days	347 days	3 days	356 days
<b>Elective surgery procedures performed on time</b>	All procedures	100%	99.5%	0.5 percentage points	97.4%	
	Urgent	100%	99.6%	0.4 percentage points	99.9%	
	Semi-urgent	100%	99.7%	0.3 percentage points	97.5%	
	Non-urgent	100%	99.1%	0.9 percentage points	95.8%	

### Admitted patient activity

	Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	% change	
<b>Episodes</b>	All episodes	11,570	11,973	-403	-3.4%
	Acute	10,540	10,871	-331	-3.0%
	Acute Overnight	4,271	4,662	-391	-8.4%
	Acute Same Day	6,269	6,209	60	1.0%
	Non-acute	653	722	-69	-9.6%
	Mental health	377	380	-3	-0.8%
<b>Average length of stay (days)</b>	Acute	2.9	2.8	0.1	
	Acute Overnight	5.7	5.3	0.4	
	Non-acute	12.2	13.1	-0.9	
	Mental health	11.3	10.2	1.1	
<b>Hospital bed days</b>	All bed days	42,706	44,241	-1,535	-3.5%
	Acute	30,478	30,885	-407	-1.3%
	Non-acute	7,951	9,493	-1,542	-16.2%
	Mental health	4,277	3,863	414	10.7%
<b>Babies born in St Vincent's Health Network public hospitals</b>	<5	<5			

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