

Emergency department activity

	Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	% change	
All arrivals at ED by ambulance	6,773	6,014	759	12.6%	
All ED presentations	40,171	37,956	2,215	5.8%	
All emergency presentations	33,505	31,797	1,708	5.4%	
Emergency presentation by triage category	T1: Resuscitation	126	128	-2	-1.6%
	T2: Emergency	3,087	2,586	501	19.4%
	T3: Urgent	11,997	11,610	387	3.3%
	T4: Semi-urgent	13,225	12,465	760	6.1%
	T5: Non-urgent	5,070	5,008	62	1.2%
Admissions to hospital from EDs	7,419	7,139	280	3.9%	

Emergency department performance

	Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	NSW results		
Time to treatment by triage category	T2: Emergency	Median time to treatment	6m	5m	1m	8m
		90th percentile time to treatment	16m	17m	-1m	26m
		% started treatment on time	81.9%	79.4%	2.5 percentage points	65.4%
	T3: Urgent	Median time to treatment	12m	11m	1m	20m
		90th percentile time to treatment	40m	37m	3m	1h 12m
		% started treatment on time	85%	85.9%	-0.9 percentage points	68.9%
	T4: Semi-urgent	Median time to treatment	12m	11m	1m	26m
		90th percentile time to treatment	58m	56m	2m	1h 44m
		% started treatment on time	90.7%	91.5%	-0.8 percentage points	77.1%
	T5: Non-urgent	Median time to treatment	10m	9m	1m	23m
		90th percentile time to treatment	58m	57m	1m	1h 44m
		% started treatment on time	97.3%	97.3%	0.0 percentage points	92.9%
Patients starting treatment on time %	88.8%	89.3%	-0.5 percentage points	73.9%		
Median time to leave the ED	1h 31m	1h 25m	6m	2h 49m		
90th percentile time to leave the ED	5h 07m	5h 04m	3m	7h 19m		
Patients leaving the ED within four hours of presentation	84.9%	85.2%	-0.3 percentage points	72.0%		
Transfer of care	Median transfer of care time (minutes)	9m	9m	0m	12m	
	90th percentile transfer of care time (minutes)	24m	22m	2m	29m	
	Percent on target	93.5%	94.2%	-0.7 percentage points	90.1%	

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Elective surgery activity

	Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	% change
Elective surgery procedures performed	1,902	1,842	60	3.3%
Urgency category				
Urgent	381	354	27	7.6%
Semi-urgent	676	677	-1	-0.1%
Non-urgent	747	691	56	8.1%
Patients on waiting list ready for elective surgery at the end of quarter	3,137	3,021	116	3.8%
Urgency category				
Urgent	35	31	4	12.9%
Semi-urgent	525	449	76	16.9%
Non-urgent	2,577	2,541	36	1.4%

Elective surgery performance

		Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	NSW results	
Waiting time (days)	Urgent	Median	15 days	13 days	2 days	10 days
		90th percentile	28 days	27 days	1 days	26 days
	Semi-urgent	Median	41 days	44 days	-3 days	44 days
		90th percentile	79 days	81 days	-2 days	83 days
	Non-urgent	Median	269 days	295 days	-26 days	222 days
		90th percentile	362 days	359 days	3 days	356 days
Elective surgery procedures performed on time	All procedures	97.8%	99.2%	-1.4 percentage points	97.4%	
	Urgent	99.7%	99.2%	0.5 percentage points	99.9%	
	Semi-urgent	99.4%	98.8%	0.6 percentage points	97.5%	
	Non-urgent	95.5%	99.7%	-4.2 percentage points	95.8%	

Admitted patient activity

	Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	% change	
Episodes	All episodes	18,158	17,549	609	3.5%
	Acute	17,093	16,522	571	3.5%
	Acute Overnight	9,368	9,124	244	2.7%
	Acute Same Day	7,725	7,398	327	4.4%
	Non-acute	785	754	31	4.1%
	Mental health	280	273	7	2.6%
Average length of stay (days)	Acute	2.4	2.4	0.0	
	Acute Overnight	3.5	3.6	-0.1	
	Non-acute	16.5	13.1	3.4	
	Mental health	18.5	18.2	0.3	
Hospital bed days	All bed days	59,038	54,804	4,234	7.7%
	Acute	40,902	39,963	939	2.3%
	Non-acute	12,962	9,863	3,099	31.4%
	Mental health	5,174	4,978	196	3.9%
Babies born in Murrumbidgee public hospitals	511	516	-5	-1.0%	

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