

Emergency department activity

	Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	% change	
All arrivals at ED by ambulance	5,524	5,467	57	1.0%	
All ED presentations	17,884	17,981	-97	-0.5%	
All emergency presentations	17,641	17,651	-10	-0.1%	
Emergency presentation by triage category	T1: Resuscitation	94	121	-27	-22.3%
	T2: Emergency	3,192	3,131	61	1.9%
	T3: Urgent	5,734	5,196	538	10.4%
	T4: Semi-urgent	7,216	7,697	-481	-6.2%
	T5: Non-urgent	1,405	1,506	-101	-6.7%
Admissions to hospital from EDs	6,606	6,435	171	2.7%	

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	12m	14m	-2m	9m
		90th percentile time to treatment	47m	49m	-2m	30m
		% started treatment on time	44.1%	40.4%	3.7 percentage points	59.2%
	T3: Urgent	Median time to treatment	39m	39m	0m	23m
		90th percentile time to treatment	2h 36m	2h 19m	17m	1h 24m
		% started treatment on time	42%	41.7%	0.3 percentage points	63.3%
	T4: Semi-urgent	Median time to treatment	38m	37m	1m	31m
		90th percentile time to treatment	2h 40m	2h 15m	25m	1h 51m
		% started treatment on time	63.5%	66.9%	-3.4 percentage points	73.9%
	T5: Non-urgent	Median time to treatment	34m	32m	2m	31m
		90th percentile time to treatment	2h 32m	2h 15m	17m	1h 56m
		% started treatment on time	86.1%	87.4%	-1.3 percentage points	91.0%
Patients starting treatment on time %	54.4%	55.8%	-1.4 percentage points	67.7%		
Median time to leave the ED	3h 46m	3h 48m	-2m	3h 33m		
90th percentile time to leave the ED	10h 41m	10h 53m	-12m	9h 02m		
Patients leaving the ED within four hours of presentation	56.3%	55.2%	1.1 percentage points	61.5%		
Transfer of care	Median transfer of care time (minutes)	12m	12m	0m	13m	
	90th percentile transfer of care time (minutes)	27m	33m	-6m	34m	
	Percent on target	91.5%	88.0%	3.5 percentage points	87.2%	

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Elective surgery activity

	Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	% change
Elective surgery procedures performed	1,742	1,656	86	5.2%
Urgency category				
Urgent	435	469	-34	-7.2%
Semi-urgent	665	563	102	18.1%
Non-urgent	607	590	17	2.9%
Patients on waiting list ready for elective surgery at the end of quarter	2,871	3,001	-130	-4.3%
Urgency category				
Urgent	20	23	-3	-13.0%
Semi-urgent	456	443	13	2.9%
Non-urgent	2,395	2,535	-140	-5.5%

Elective surgery performance

		Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	Peer group results	
Waiting time (days)	Urgent	Median	10 days	13 days	-3 days	9 days
		90th percentile	27 days	27 days	0 days	25 days
	Semi-urgent	Median	55 days	62 days	-7 days	41 days
		90th percentile	91 days	92 days	-1 days	84 days
	Non-urgent	Median	296 days	315 days	-19 days	175 days
		90th percentile	387 days	389 days	-2 days	360 days
Elective surgery procedures performed on time	All procedures	89.5%	87.3%	2.2 percentage points	96.1%	
	Urgent	100%	100%	0.0 percentage points	99.9%	
	Semi-urgent	89.8%	88.3%	1.5 percentage points	95.8%	
	Non-urgent	81.7%	76.3%	5.4 percentage points	93.1%	

Admitted patient activity

	Oct-Dec 2018	Oct-Dec 2017	Difference	% change	
Episodes	All episodes	16,494	15,853	641	4.0%
	Acute	15,636	15,053	583	3.9%
	Acute Overnight	9,012	8,767	245	2.8%
	Acute Same Day	6,624	6,286	338	5.4%
	Non-acute	384	355	29	8.2%
	Mental health	474	445	29	6.5%
Average length of stay (days)	Acute	3.1	3.1	0.0	
	Acute Overnight	4.6	4.6	0.0	
	Non-acute	13.9	13.9	0.0	
	Mental health	12.2	12.0	0.2	
Hospital bed days	All bed days	59,579	57,036	2,543	4.5%
	Acute	48,468	46,758	1,710	3.7%
	Non-acute	5,329	4,928	401	8.1%
	Mental health	5,782	5,350	432	8.1%
Babies born in Nepean Hospital	1,015	914	101	11.1%	

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