

Emergency department activity		Apr-Jun 2018	Apr-Jun 2017	Difference	% change
All arrivals at ED by ambulance		7,763	7,862	-99	-1.3%
All ED presentations		44,959	45,586	-627	-1.4%
Emergency presentations		42,310	43,080	-770	-1.8%
Triage category	T1: Resuscitation	182	175	7	4.0%
	T2: Emergency	4,570	4,428	142	3.2%
	T3: Urgent	11,480	11,754	-274	-2.3%
	T4: Semi-urgent	18,528	17,956	572	3.2%
	T5: Non-urgent	7,550	8,767	-1,217	-13.9%
Admissions to hospital from EDs		7,983	7,540	443	5.9%
Admitted patient activity		Apr-Jun 2018	Apr-Jun 2017	Difference	% change
All admitted patient episodes		20,849	**		
	All acute episodes	19,978	**		
	Overnight	11,264	**		
	Same-day	8,714	**		
	Non-acute	462	**		
	Mental health	409	**		
Average length of stay (days)	Acute	2.7	**		
	Acute overnight episodes	4.0	**		
	Non-acute	14.7	**		
	Mental health	24.5	**		
Hospital bed days	All bed days	70,096	**		
	Acute	53,285	**		
	Non-acute	6,782	**		
	Mental health	10,029	**		
Babies born in Western NSW public hospitals		823	780	43	5.5%
Elective surgery activity		Apr-Jun 2018	Apr-Jun 2017	Difference	% change
Elective surgery procedures performed		2,868	2,692	176	6.5%
Urgency category	Urgent	468	456	12	2.6%
	Semi-urgent	889	748	141	18.9%
	Non-urgent	1,320	1,270	50	3.9%
Patients on waiting list ready for elective surgery at the end of quarter		4,490	4,210	280	6.7%
Urgency category	Urgent	79	63	16	25.4%
	Semi-urgent	560	442	118	26.7%
	Non-urgent	3,851	3,705	146	3.9%

** These data are not reported due to a policy change in the definition of patient stay types that was phased-in between 1 July 2016 and 30 June 2017. Fair comparisons cannot be made with results during this period as a new mental health care stay type was introduced that comprises patients who were previously included in the acute and non-acute stay types.

(*) Suppressed due to small numbers and to protect patient privacy (n/a) not applicable

Emergency department performance			Apr-Jun 2018	Apr-Jun 2017	Difference
Time to treatment by triage category	T2: Emergency	Median time to treatment	7m	6m	1m
		90th percentile time to treatment	20m	18m	2m
		% started treatment on time	72.8%	77%	-4.2 percentage points
	T3: Urgent	Median time to treatment	16m	16m	0m
		90th percentile time to treatment	52m	53m	-1m
		% started treatment on time	77.2%	76.6%	0.6 percentage points
	T4: Semi-urgent	Median time to treatment	18m	17m	1m
		90th percentile time to treatment	1h 17m	1h 15m	2m
		% started treatment on time	85.2%	85.9%	-0.7 percentage points
	T5: Non-urgent	Median time to treatment	15m	13m	2m
		90th percentile time to treatment	1h 18m	1h 17m	1m
		% started treatment on time	95.6%	95.3%	0.3 percentage points
Patients starting treatment on time %			83.4%	84.2%	-0.8 percentage points
Median time to leave the ED			1h 50m	1h 49m	1m
90th percentile time to leave the ED			6h 05m	5h 45m	20m
Patients leaving the ED within four hours of presentation			82.3%	82.9%	-0.6 percentage points
Transfer of care	Median transfer of care time (minutes)		10m	11m	-1m
	90th percentile transfer of care time (minutes)		26m	30m	-4m
	Percent on target		92.5%	89.5%	3.0 percentage points
Elective surgery performance			Apr-Jun 2018	Apr-Jun 2017	Difference
Waiting time (days)	Urgent	Median	15 days	14 days	1 days
		90th percentile	27 days	27 days	0 days
	Semi-urgent	Median	55 days	50 days	5 days
		90th percentile	84 days	84 days	0 days
	Non-urgent	Median	267 days	274 days	-7 days
		90th percentile	351 days	357 days	-6 days
Elective surgery procedures performed on time	All procedures		99.3%	98.6%	0.7 percentage points
	Urgent		100%	100%	0.0 percentage points
	Semi-urgent		99.4%	98.7%	0.7 percentage points
	Non-urgent		99%	98%	1.0 percentage points

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(n/a) No elective surgeries performed