

Emergency department activity

	Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	% change	
All arrivals at ED by ambulance	10,360	9,428	932	9.9%	
All ED presentations	37,041	34,026	3,015	8.9%	
All emergency presentations	36,846	33,821	3,025	8.9%	
Emergency presentation by triage category	T1: Resuscitation	330	284	46	16.2%
	T2: Emergency	4,457	4,012	445	11.1%
	T3: Urgent	13,390	11,134	2,256	20.3%
	T4: Semi-urgent	16,782	16,530	252	1.5%
	T5: Non-urgent	1,887	1,861	26	1.4%
Admissions to hospital from EDs	10,253	9,690	563	5.8%	

Emergency department performance

	Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	NSW results	
Time to treatment by triage category	Median time to treatment	7m	7m	0m	9m
	T2: Emergency 90th percentile time to treatment	27m	24m	3m	28m
	% started treatment on time	74.3%	76.7%	-2.4 percentage points	63.1%
	Median time to treatment	27m	25m	2m	21m
	T3: Urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	1h 38m	1h 30m	8m	1h 18m
	% started treatment on time	55.8%	59.8%	-4.0 percentage points	66.6%
	Median time to treatment	39m	35m	4m	28m
	T4: Semi-urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	1h 57m	1h 53m	4m	1h 52m
	% started treatment on time	68.6%	71.8%	-3.2 percentage points	75.0%
	Median time to treatment	28m	23m	5m	24m
	T5: Non-urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	1h 45m	1h 28m	17m	1h 49m
	% started treatment on time	92.9%	95.5%	-2.6 percentage points	92.0%
Patients starting treatment on time %	65.7%	69.6%	-3.9 percentage points	71.9%	
Median time to leave the ED	3h 19m	3h 09m	10m	2h 54m	
90th percentile time to leave the ED	7h 31m	6h 59m	32m	7h 34m	
Patients leaving the ED within four hours of presentation	63.1%	65.7%	-2.6 percentage points	70.6%	
Transfer of care	Median transfer of care time (minutes)	11m	10m	1m	12m
	90th percentile transfer of care time (minutes)	54m	48m	6m	32m
	Percent on target	80.9%	83.4%	-2.5 percentage points	88.8%

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Elective surgery activity

	Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	% change
Elective surgery procedures performed	2,529	2,485	44	1.8%
Urgency category				
Urgent	415	490	-75	-15.3%
Semi-urgent	774	851	-77	-9.0%
Non-urgent	1,079	946	133	14.1%
Patients on waiting list ready for elective surgery at the end of quarter	3,812	3,548	264	7.4%
Urgency category				
Urgent	103	108	-5	-4.6%
Semi-urgent	738	654	84	12.8%
Non-urgent	2,971	2,786	185	6.6%

Elective surgery performance

		Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	NSW results	
Waiting time (days)	Urgent	Median	16 days	16 days	0 days	10 days
		90th percentile	28 days	27 days	1 days	26 days
	Semi-urgent	Median	48 days	46 days	2 days	47 days
		90th percentile	84 days	79 days	5 days	85 days
	Non-urgent	Median	265 days	234 days	31 days	231 days
		90th percentile	359 days	349 days	10 days	358 days
Elective surgery procedures performed on time	All procedures	97.1%	98.8%	-1.7 percentage points	96.4%	
	Urgent	100%	100%	0.0 percentage points	99.9%	
	Semi-urgent	98.2%	99.8%	-1.6 percentage points	95.8%	
	Non-urgent	95.2%	97.4%	-2.2 percentage points	95.2%	

Admitted patient activity

	Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	% change	
Episodes	All episodes	23,165	22,299	866	3.9%
	Acute	22,150	21,262	888	4.2%
	Acute Overnight	12,148	11,803	345	2.9%
	Acute Same Day	10,002	9,459	543	5.7%
	Non-acute	656	630	26	4.1%
	Mental health	359	407	-48	-11.8%
Average length of stay (days)	Acute	2.9	2.9	0.0	
	Acute Overnight	4.5	4.4	0.1	
	Non-acute	14.4	15.3	-0.9	
	Mental health	14.8	18.3	-3.5	
Hospital bed days	All bed days	78,942	78,243	699	0.9%
	Acute	64,148	61,125	3,023	4.9%
	Non-acute	9,470	9,652	-182	-1.9%
	Mental health	5,324	7,466	-2,142	-28.7%
Babies born in Central Coast public hospitals	759	752	7	0.9%	

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