

Emergency department activity


		Jul-Sep 2019	Jul-Sep 2018	Difference	% change
All arrivals at ED by ambulance		1,789	1,299	490	37.7%
All ED presentations		10,251	9,194	1,057	11.5%
All emergency presentations		10,174	9,121	1,053	11.5%
Emergency presentation by triage category	T1: Resuscitation	38	30	8	26.7%
	T2: Emergency	1,814	1,676	138	8.2%
	T3: Urgent	3,817	3,623	194	5.4%
	T4: Semi-urgent	3,693	2,986	707	23.7%
	T5: Non-urgent	812	806	6	0.7%
Admissions to hospital from EDs		1,393	1,396	-3	-0.2%

Emergency department performance

		Jul-Sep 2019	Jul-Sep 2018	Difference	Peer group results
Time to treatment by triage category	Median time to treatment	13m	9m	4m	9m
	T2: Emergency 90th percentile time to treatment	34m	22m	12m	27m
	% started treatment on time	40.3%	65.4%	-25.1 percentage points	61.1%
	Median time to treatment	32m	23m	9m	21m
	T3: Urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	2h 06m	1h 15m	51m	1h 22m
	% started treatment on time	48.3%	67.8%	-19.5 percentage points	66.3%
	Median time to treatment	47m	32m	15m	28m
	T4: Semi-urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	2h 22m	1h 30m	52m	2h 00m
	% started treatment on time	63.2%	78.7%	-15.5 percentage points	73.4%
	Median time to treatment	35m	29m	6m	29m
	T5: Non-urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	2h 16m	1h 48m	28m	2h 03m
	% started treatment on time	87.1%	93.4%	-6.3 percentage points	89.5%
Patients starting treatment on time %		54.9%	73.0%	-18.1 percentage points	70.6%
Median time to leave the ED		3h 30m	3h 04m	26m	2h 41m
90th percentile time to leave the ED		10h 38m	8h 27m	131m	6h 47m
Patients leaving the ED within four hours of presentation		65.1%	77.1%	-12.0 percentage points	73.7%
Transfer of care	Median transfer of care time (minutes)	16m	14m	2m	11m
	90th percentile transfer of care time (minutes)	32m	27m	5m	27m
	Percent on target	87.9%	92.0%	-4.1 percentage points	91.5%

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Elective surgery activity

		Jul-Sep 2019	Jul-Sep 2018	Difference	% change
Elective surgery procedures performed		702	662	40	6.0%
Urgency category	Urgent	84	80	4	5.0%
	Semi-urgent	233	199	34	17.1%
	Non-urgent	377	382	-5	-1.3%
Patients on waiting list ready for elective surgery at the end of quarter		1,069	761	308	40.5%
Urgency category	Urgent	19	10	9	90.0%
	Semi-urgent	230	106	124	117.0%
	Non-urgent	820	645	175	27.1%

Elective surgery performance

			Jul-Sep 2019	Jul-Sep 2018	Difference	Peer group results
Waiting time (days)	Urgent	Median	14 days	15 days	-1 days	14 days
		90th percentile	(*)	(*)		27 days
	Semi-urgent	Median	36 days	39 days	-3 days	49 days
		90th percentile	76 days	71 days	5 days	82 days
	Non-urgent	Median	140 days	139 days	1 days	273 days
		90th percentile	319 days	288 days	31 days	359 days
Elective surgery procedures performed on time	All procedures		100%	100%	0.0 percentage points	97.8%
	Urgent		100%	100%	0.0 percentage points	99.9%
	Semi-urgent		100%	100%	0.0 percentage points	99.3%
	Non-urgent		100%	100%	0.0 percentage points	96.2%

Admitted patient activity

		Jul-Sep 2019	Jul-Sep 2018	Difference	% change
Episodes	All episodes	3,016	2,984	32	1.1%
	Acute	2,648	2,628	20	0.8%
	Acute Overnight	1,293	1,210	83	6.9%
	Acute Same Day	1,355	1,418	-63	-4.4%
	Non-acute	368	356	12	3.4%
	Mental health	0	0		
Average length of stay (days)	Acute	1.8	1.6	0.2	
	Acute Overnight	2.6	2.3	0.3	
	Non-acute	17.5	16.3	1.2	
	Mental health	n/a	n/a		
Hospital bed days	All bed days	11,207	9,941	1,266	12.7%
	Acute	4,769	4,146	623	15.0%
	Non-acute	6,438	5,795	643	11.1%
	Mental health	0	0	0	
Babies born in Mount Druitt Hospital		<5	<5		

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