

Emergency department activity		Jul-Sep 2018	Jul-Sep 2017	Difference	% change
All arrivals at ED by ambulance		5,585	5,635	-50	-0.9%
All ED presentations		20,298	20,698	-400	-1.9%
Emergency presentations		19,974	20,319	-345	-1.7%
Triage category	T1: Resuscitation	119	91	28	30.8%
	T2: Emergency	1,950	1,792	158	8.8%
	T3: Urgent	5,267	4,853	414	8.5%
	T4: Semi-urgent	10,057	10,720	-663	-6.2%
	T5: Non-urgent	2,581	2,863	-282	-9.8%
Admissions to hospital from EDs		6,935	6,750	185	2.7%
Admitted patient activity		Jul-Sep 2018	Jul-Sep 2017	Difference	% change
All admitted patient episodes		20,250	20,426	-176	-0.9%
	All acute episodes	19,901	20,035	-134	-0.7%
	Acute overnight	11,172	11,186	-14	-0.1%
	Same-day	8,729	8,849	-120	-1.4%
	Non-acute	261	295	-34	-11.5%
	Mental health	88	96	-8	-8.3%
Average length of stay (days)	Acute	3.2	3.2	0.0	
	Acute overnight	4.8	5.0	-0.2	
	Non-acute	20.1	20.4	-0.3	
	Mental health	11.4	8.3	3.1	
Hospital bed days	All bed days	69,158	71,352	-2,194	-3.1%
	Acute	62,905	64,525	-1,620	-2.5%
	Non-acute	5,248	6,026	-778	-12.9%
	Mental health	1,005	801	204	25.5%
Babies born in John Hunter Hospital		953	1,022	-69	-6.8%
Elective surgery activity		Jul-Sep 2018	Jul-Sep 2017	Difference	% change
Elective surgery procedures performed		2,449	2,444	5	0.2%
Urgency category	Urgent	728	724	4	0.6%
	Semi-urgent	888	903	-15	-1.7%
	Non-urgent	748	744	4	0.5%
Patients on waiting list ready for elective surgery at the end of quarter		3,005	2,847	158	5.5%
Urgency category	Urgent	105	102	3	2.9%
	Semi-urgent	853	577	276	47.8%
	Non-urgent	2,047	2,168	-121	-5.6%

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(n/a) not applicable

Emergency department performance			Jul-Sep 2018	Jul-Sep 2017	Difference
Time to treatment by triage category	T2: Emergency	Median time to treatment	7m	7m	0m
		90th percentile time to treatment	19m	18m	1m
		% started treatment on time	79.1%	80.2%	-1.1 percentage points
	T3: Urgent	Median time to treatment	22m	24m	-2m
		90th percentile time to treatment	1h 15m	1h 33m	-18m
		% started treatment on time	67.6%	63%	4.6 percentage points
	T4: Semi-urgent	Median time to treatment	34m	43m	-9m
		90th percentile time to treatment	2h 03m	2h 28m	-25m
		% started treatment on time	72.2%	65.6%	6.6 percentage points
	T5: Non-urgent	Median time to treatment	40m	48m	-8m
		90th percentile time to treatment	2h 23m	2h 50m	-27m
		% started treatment on time	85.8%	80.4%	5.4 percentage points
<b>Patients starting treatment on time %</b>			73.1%	68.1%	5.0 percentage points
<b>Median time to leave the ED</b>			3h 39m	3h 52m	-13m
<b>90th percentile time to leave the ED</b>			8h 10m	8h 49m	-39m
<b>Patients leaving the ED within four hours of presentation</b>			57.8%	54.3%	3.5 percentage points
Transfer of care	Median transfer of care time (minutes)		12m	12m	0m
	90th percentile transfer of care time (minutes)		27m	29m	-2m
	Percent on target		91.8%	90.3%	1.5 percentage points
Elective surgery performance			Jul-Sep 2018	Jul-Sep 2017	Difference
Waiting time (days)	Urgent	Median	8 days	9 days	-1 days
		90th percentile	25 days	25 days	0 days
	Semi-urgent	Median	48 days	49 days	-1 days
		90th percentile	84 days	84 days	0 days
	Non-urgent	Median	238 days	212 days	26 days
		90th percentile	365 days	354 days	11 days
Elective surgery procedures performed on time	All procedures		95.8%	99.7%	-3.9 percentage points
	Urgent		99.6%	100%	-0.4 percentage points
	Semi-urgent		97.3%	99.7%	-2.4 percentage points
	Non-urgent		90.4%	99.6%	-9.2 percentage points

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(n/a) No elective surgeries performed