

# Errata

## The Insights Series: Return to acute care following hospitalisation, Insights into readmissions, NSW public hospitals, July 2009 – June 2012

The Bureau of Health Information has made corrections to the report *Return to acute care following hospitalisation, Insights into readmissions, NSW public hospitals, July 2009 – June 2012*.

On 26 June 2015, page 7 of the report, the last sentence of paragraph two incorrectly stated:

*‘For the elective joint replacements, a ~~higher~~ proportion of returns to acute care were due to orthopaedic complications following total hip replacement (46%) than for total knee replacement (38%).’*

The proportion of returns to acute care following total hip replacement and total knee replacement were incorrectly attributed. This text should have stated:

*‘For the elective joint replacements, a lower proportion of returns to acute care were due to orthopaedic complications following total hip replacement (38%) than for total knee replacement (46%).’*

On 29 June 2015, the word “higher” was corrected to “lower” in this paragraph.

On 16 July 2015, page 45 of the report, Figure 47 omitted Westmead Hospital. The figure should have included Westmead Hospital in the hospital list and identified it as having a higher than expected RSRR for pneumonia and hip fracture surgery.

Figure 47 Hospitals with RSRRs lower and higher than expected for multiple conditions, July 2009 – June 2012

	Peer group	Acute myocardial infarction	Ischaemic stroke	Congestive heart failure	Pneumonia	Hip fracture surgery
Total hospitals		53	47	72	78	42
Manning	BNM	●	●	●		
Blue Mountains	C2			●	●	
Liverpool	A1		●		●	●
Nepean	A1			●	●	●
Westmead	A1				●	●
Auburn	BM	●		●	●	
Fairfield	BM		●	●		
Wagga Wagga	BNM		●		●	
Kempsey	C1	●		●		
Milton	C1			●	●	

These corrections were made and a new version of the report (first published on 24 June 2015) was published on the BHI website on 16 July 2015.