## Concord Repatriation General Hospital: Emergency department (ED) overview

July to September 2018

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All presentations:1 10,127 patients	10,451	-3%
Emergency presentations: <sup>2</sup> 10,097 patients	10,425	-3%

## Concord Repatriation General Hospital: Time patients waited to start treatment <sup>3</sup>

July to September 2018 Same period NSW last year (this period) Triage 2 Emergency (e.g. chest pain, severe burns): 1,299 patients 1.222 9 minutes Median time to start treatment<sup>4</sup> 9 minutes 8 minutes 17 minutes 90th percentile time to start treatment<sup>5</sup> 18 minutes 28 minutes Triage 3 Urgent (e.g. moderate blood loss, dehydration): 4,777 patients 4,757 21 minutes Median time to start treatment<sup>4</sup> 23 minutes 21 minutes 61 minutes 90th percentile time to start treatment<sup>5</sup> 69 minutes 72 minutes Triage 4 Semi-urgent (e.g. sprained ankle, earache): 3,558 patients 3.994 26 minutes Median time to start treatment<sup>4</sup> 26 minutes 26 minutes 86 minutes 90th percentile time to start treatment<sup>5</sup> 105 minutes 84 minutes Triage 5 Non-urgent (e.g. small cuts or abrasions): 374 patients 383 22 minutes Median time to start treatment<sup>4</sup> 18 minutes 22 minutes 98 minutes 90th percentile time to start treatment<sup>5</sup> 103 minutes 74 minutes

#### Concord Repatriation General Hospital: Time from presentation until leaving the ED Same period Change since

July to September 2018			Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Attendances used to calculate time to I	eaving the ED: 6 10,126 patients		10,450	-3%
Percentage of patients who spent four hours or less in the ED		75%	71%	

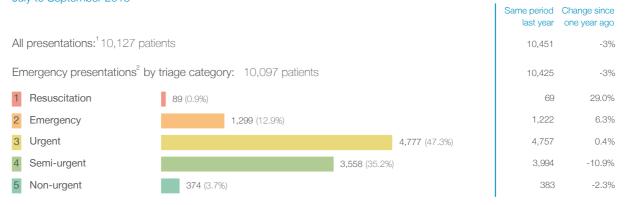
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- 1. All emergency and non-emergency attendances at the emergency department (ED).
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- Technical Supplement: Emergency department measures, January to March 2018. 4. The median is the time by which half of patients started treatment. The other half of patients waited equal to or longer than this time.
- 5. The 90th percentile is the time by which 90% of patients started treatment. The final 10% of patients waited equal to or longer than this time.
- 6. All presentations that have a departure time.

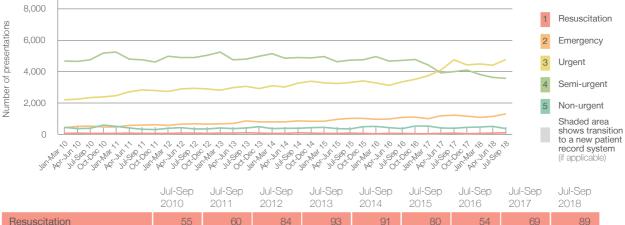
Note: Presentation time is the earlier time recorded for clerical registration or the triage process. Treatment time is the earliest time recorded when a healthcare professional provides medical care relevant to the patient<s presenting problems.

Source: Health Information Exchange, NSW Health (extracted 16 October 2018).

## **Concord Repatriation General Hospital:** Patients presenting to the emergency department July to September 2018



Emergency presentations<sup>2</sup> by quarter, January 2010 to September 2018 <sup>‡</sup>



Resuscitation	55	60	84	93	91	80	54	69	89
Emergency	537	586	662	859	859	1,027	1,082	1,222	1,299
Urgent	2,342	2,843	2,938	3,052	3,270	3,294	3,348	4,757	4,777
Semi-urgent	4,752	4,746	4,903	4,783	4,884	4,737	4,714	3,994	3,558
Non-urgent	381	322	343	407	376	341	369	383	374
All emergency presentations	8,067	8,557	8,930	9,194	9,480	9,479	9,567	10,425	10,097

## **Concord Repatriation General Hospital:** Patients arriving by ambulance July to September 2018

		Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Arrivals used to calculate tr	ransfer of care time: 7 2,563 patients	2,538	
ED Transfer of care time			
Median time	11 minutes	13 minutes	-2 minutes
90th percentile time	20 minutes	23 minutes	-3 minutes

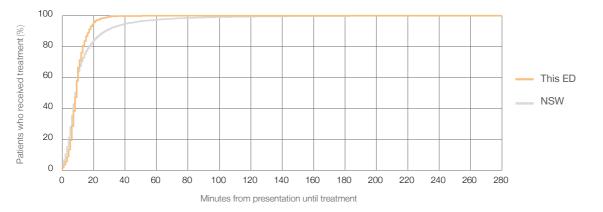
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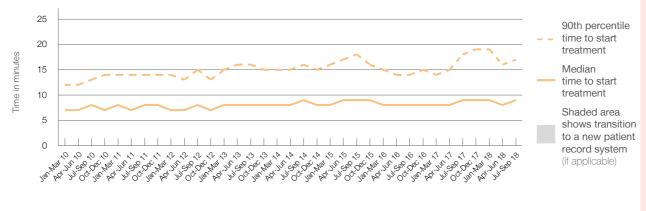
# **Concord Repatriation General Hospital:** Time patients waited to start treatment, triage 2 July to September 2018

Triage 2 Emergency (e.g. chest pain, severe burns)	Same period last year	NSW (this period)
Number of triage 2 patients: 1,299	1,222	
Number of triage 2 patients used to calculate waiting time: <sup>3</sup> 1,288	1,212	
Median time to start treatment <sup>4</sup> 9 minutes	9 minutes	8 minutes
90th percentile time to start treatment <sup>5</sup> 17 minutes	18 minutes	28 minutes

#### Percentage of triage 2 patients who received treatment by time, July to September 2018



## Time patients waited to start treatment (minutes) for triage 2 patients, January 2010 to September 2018 <sup>++</sup>



	Jul-Sep 2010	Jul-Sep 2011	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016	Jul-Sep 2017	Jul-Sep 2018
Median time to start treatment <sup>4</sup> (minutes)	8	8	8	8	9	9	8	9	9
90th percentile time to start treatment <sup>5</sup> (minutes)	13	14	15	16	16	18	14	18	17

Principal referral hospitals (A1)

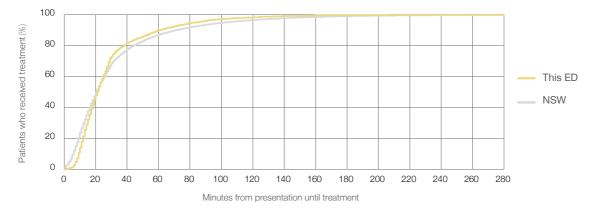
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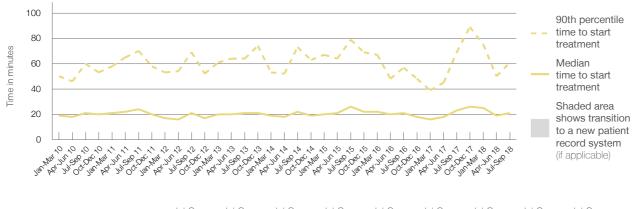
# **Concord Repatriation General Hospital:** Time patients waited to start treatment, triage 3 July to September 2018

Triage 3 Urgent (e.g. moderate blood loss, dehydration)	Same period last year	NSW (this period)
Number of triage 3 patients: 4,777	4,757	
Number of triage 3 patients used to calculate waiting time: 3 4,667	4,591	
Median time to start treatment <sup>4</sup> 21 minutes	23 minutes	21 minutes
90th percentile time to start treatment <sup>5</sup> 61 minutes	69 minutes	72 minutes

#### Percentage of triage 3 patients who received treatment by time, July to September 2018



## Time patients waited to start treatment (minutes) for triage 3 patients, January 2010 to September 2018 \*\*



	Jul-Sep 2010	Jul-Sep 2011	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016	Jul-Sep 2017	Jul-Sep 2018
Median time to start treatment <sup>4</sup> (minutes)	21	24	21	21	22	26	21	23	21
90th percentile time to start treatment <sup>5</sup> (minutes)	60	70	69	64	73	79	57	69	61

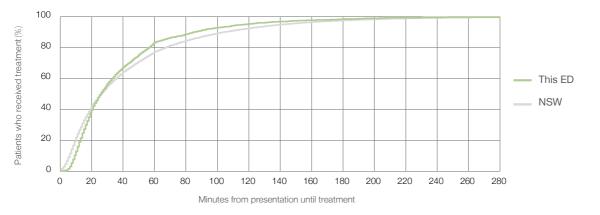
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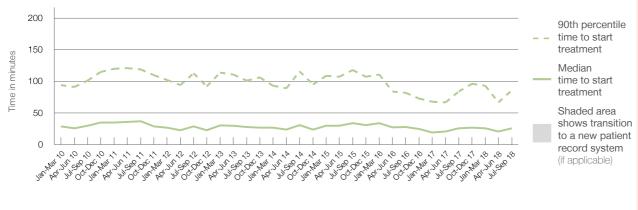
# **Concord Repatriation General Hospital:** Time patients waited to start treatment, triage 4 July to September 2018

Triage 4 Semi-urgent (e.g. sprained ankle, earache)	Same period last year	NSW (this period)
Number of triage 4 patients: 3,558	3,994	
Number of triage 4 patients used to calculate waiting time: 3,389	3,730	
Median time to start treatment <sup>4</sup> 26 minutes	26 minutes	26 minutes
90th percentile time to start treatment <sup>5</sup> 86 minutes	84 minutes	105 minutes

Percentage of triage 4 patients who received treatment by time, July to September 2018



## Time patients waited to start treatment (minutes) for triage 4 patients, January 2010 to September 2018 \*\*



	Jul-Sep 2010	Jul-Sep 2011	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016	Jul-Sep 2017	Jul-Sep 2018
Median time to start treatment <sup>4</sup> (minutes)	30	37	29	28	31	34	28	26	26
90th percentile time to start treatment <sup>5</sup> (minutes)	101	119	113	101	116	118	82	84	86

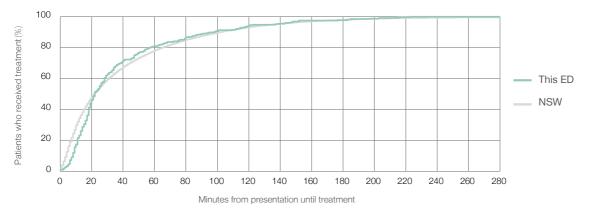
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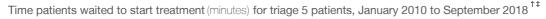
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# **Concord Repatriation General Hospital:** Time patients waited to start treatment, triage 5 July to September 2018

Triage 5 Non-urgent (e.g. small cuts or abrasions)	Same period last year	NSW (this period)
Number of triage 5 patients: 374	383	
Number of triage 5 patients used to calculate waiting time: <sup>3</sup> 306	317	
Median time to start treatment <sup>4</sup>	18 minutes	22 minutes
90th percentile time to start treatment <sup>5</sup> 98 minutes	74 minutes	103 minutes

Percentage of triage 5 patients who received treatment by time, July to September 2018







	2010	2011 2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Median time to start treatment <sup>4</sup> (minutes)	33	43	22	23	20	27	23	18	22
90th percentile time to start treatment <sup>5</sup> (minutes)	87	113	89	95	87	117	83	74	98

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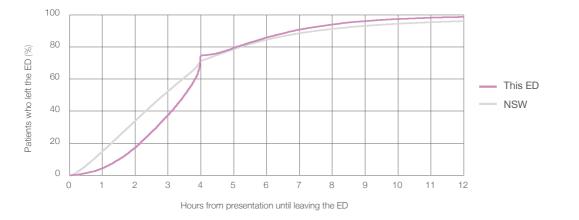
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## Concord Repatriation General Hospital: Time patients spent in the ED

July to September 2018

	Same period last year	NSW (this period)
All presentations: <sup>1</sup> 10,127 patients	10,451	
Presentations used to calculate time to leaving the ED: 6 10,126 patients	10,450	
Median time spent in the ED <sup>8</sup> 3 hours and 30 minutes	3 hours and 23 minutes	2 hours and 52 minutes
90th percentile time spent in the ED <sup>9</sup> 6 hours and 49 minutes	7 hours and 1 minutes	7 hours and 30 minutes

Percentage of patients who left the ED by time, July to September 2018



Time patients spent in the ED, by quarter, January 2010 to September 2018  $^{\mbox{\tiny TT}}$ 

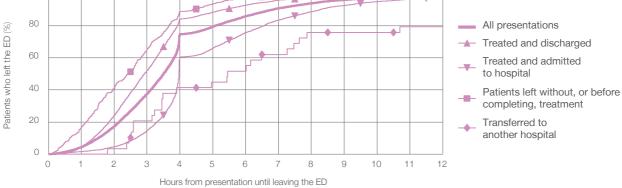


Median time spent in the ED <sup>8</sup> (hours, minutes)	3h 56m	3h 57m	3h 27m	3h 14m	3h 30m	3h 23m	3h 12m	3h 23m	3h 30m
90th percentile time spent in the ED <sup>9</sup> (hours, minutes)	9h 45m	8h 58m	7h 14m	6h 26m	7h 43m	6h 51m	6h 15m	7h 1m	6h 49m

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#### Concord Repatriation General Hospital: Time patients spent in the ED By mode of separation July to September 2018 Same period Change since All presentations:1 10,127 patients last year one year ago Presentations used to calculate time to leaving the ED: 6 10,126 patients 10.450 -3% 5,469 (54.0%) Treated and discharged 6.317 -13.4% Treated and admitted to hospital 4,128 (40.8%) 3,509 17.6% Patient left without, or before 376 (3.7%) -19.8% 469 completing, treatment 29 (0.3%) 41 -29.3% Transferred to another hospital Other 125 (1.2%) 115 8.7% Percentage of patients who left the ED by time and mode of separation, July to September 2018 100



1 hour 2 hours 3 hours 4 hours 6 hours 8 hours 10 hours 12 hours

Treated and discharged	4.4%	24.1%	52.1%	84.1%	92.8%	97.5%	99.1%	99.7%
Treated and admitted to hospital	1.6%	4.5%	14.7%	60.6%	75.6%	88.8%	95.0%	97.5%
Patient left without, or before completing, treatment	16.8%	41.0%	65.2%	88.8%	97.3%	99.5%	99.7%	100%
Transferred to another hospital	0%	3.4%	20.7%	41.4%	51.7%	75.9%	75.9%	79.3%
All presentations	4.4%	17.3%	37.7%	74.7%	85.9%	94.0%	97.4%	98.7%

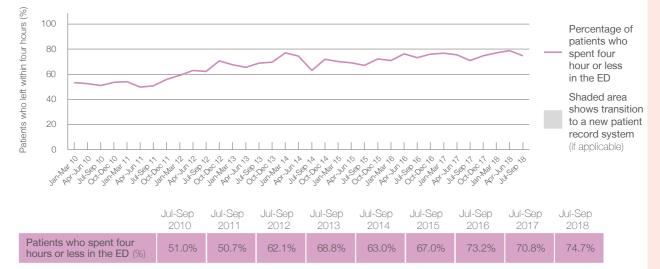
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#### Percentage of patients who spent four hours or less in the ED, by quarter, January 2010 to September 2018 <sup>++</sup>



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- 6. All presentations that have a departure time.
- 7. Transfer of care time refers to the period between arrival of patients at the ED by ambulance and the transfer of responsibility for their care from paramedics to ED staff in an ED treatment zone. For more information see Spotlight on Measurement: measuring transfer of care from the ambulance to the emergency department.
- 8. The median is the time by which half of patients left the ED. The other half of patients took equal to or longer than this time.
- 9. The 90th percentile is the time by which 90% of patients left the ED. The final 10% of patients took equal to or longer than this time.
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   Note: All percentages are rounded and therefore percentages may not add to 100%.

#### Sources: ED data from Health Information Exchange, NSW Health (extracted 16 October 2018).

Transfer of care data from Transfer of Care Reporting System (extracted 16 October 2018).