

Emergency department activity

	Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	% change	
All arrivals at ED by ambulance	752	707	45	6.4%	
All ED presentations	8,946	8,548	398	4.7%	
All emergency presentations	8,874	8,446	428	5.1%	
Emergency presentation by triage category	T1: Resuscitation	63	51	12	23.5%
	T2: Emergency	445	430	15	3.5%
	T3: Urgent	1,864	1,858	6	0.3%
	T4: Semi-urgent	6,362	5,990	372	6.2%
	T5: Non-urgent	140	117	23	19.7%
Admissions to hospital from EDs	1,383	1,288	95	7.4%	

Emergency department performance

	Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	Peer group results	
Time to treatment by triage category	Median time to treatment	8m	7m	1m	9m
	T2: Emergency 90th percentile time to treatment	23m	19m	4m	25m
	% started treatment on time	65.4%	72.7%	-7.3 percentage points	58.1%
	Median time to treatment	21m	20m	1m	20m
	T3: Urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	54m	51m	3m	53m
	% started treatment on time	68.3%	73.1%	-4.8 percentage points	72.4%
	Median time to treatment	45m	39m	6m	45m
	T4: Semi-urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	2h 13m	2h 06m	7m	2h 42m
	% started treatment on time	61.5%	67.1%	-5.6 percentage points	59.5%
	Median time to treatment	52m	31m	21m	54m
	T5: Non-urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	1h 55m	1h 39m	16m	2h 25m
	% started treatment on time	92.3%	95.2%	-2.9 percentage points	84.0%
Patients starting treatment on time %	63.6%	69.1%	-5.5 percentage points	63.2%	
Median time to leave the ED	2h 40m	2h 33m	7m	3h 02m	
90th percentile time to leave the ED	6h 46m	6h 00m	46m	7h 09m	
Patients leaving the ED within four hours of presentation	71.8%	75.2%	-3.4 percentage points	67.6%	
Transfer of care	Median transfer of care time (minutes)	9m	9m	0m	12m
	90th percentile transfer of care time (minutes)	18m	19m	-1m	25m
	Percent on target	97.4%	96.7%	0.7 percentage points	93.6%

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Elective surgery activity

	Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	% change
Elective surgery procedures performed	673	773	-100	-12.9%
Urgency category				
Urgent	119	132	-13	-9.8%
Semi-urgent	230	285	-55	-19.3%
Non-urgent	308	353	-45	-12.7%
Patients on waiting list ready for elective surgery at the end of quarter	863	900	-37	-4.1%
Urgency category				
Urgent	18	17	1	5.9%
Semi-urgent	160	184	-24	-13.0%
Non-urgent	685	699	-14	-2.0%

Elective surgery performance

		Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	Peer group results	
Waiting time (days)	Urgent	Median	7 days	6 days	1 days	6 days
		90th percentile	23 days	19 days	4 days	21 days
	Semi-urgent	Median	28 days	35 days	-7 days	39 days
		90th percentile	70 days	81 days	-11 days	78 days
	Non-urgent	Median	158 days	181 days	-23 days	155 days
		90th percentile	357 days	357 days	0 days	365 days
Elective surgery procedures performed on time	All procedures	97.1%	98.3%	-1.2 percentage points	95.2%	
	Urgent	100%	100%	0.0 percentage points	99.8%	
	Semi-urgent	100%	98.6%	1.4 percentage points	97.6%	
	Non-urgent	93.8%	97.5%	-3.7 percentage points	90.4%	

Admitted patient activity

	Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	% change	
Episodes	All episodes	3,962	4,107	-145	-3.5%
	Acute	3,847	4,026	-179	-4.4%
	Acute Overnight	1,989	2,027	-38	-1.9%
	Acute Same Day	1,858	1,999	-141	-7.1%
	Non-acute	79	59	20	33.9%
	Mental health	36	22	14	63.6%
Average length of stay (days)	Acute	2.9	2.5	0.4	
	Acute Overnight	4.6	4.0	0.6	
	Non-acute	5.1	2.4	2.7	
	Mental health	7.4	13.1	-5.7	
Hospital bed days	All bed days	11,653	10,519	1,134	10.8%
	Acute	10,988	10,086	902	8.9%
	Non-acute	399	144	255	177.1%
	Mental health	266	289	-23	-8.0%
Babies born in Sydney Children's Hospital, Randwick	<5	<5			

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