

Emergency department activity

		Jul-Sep 2019	Jul-Sep 2018	Difference	% change
All arrivals at ED by ambulance		4,826	4,721	105	2.2%
All ED presentations		29,363	27,483	1,880	6.8%
All emergency presentations		27,801	26,124	1,677	6.4%
Emergency presentation by triage category	T1: Resuscitation	109	131	-22	-16.8%
	T2: Emergency	2,766	2,697	69	2.6%
	T3: Urgent	8,801	8,545	256	3.0%
	T4: Semi-urgent	11,493	11,263	230	2.0%
	T5: Non-urgent	4,632	3,488	1,144	32.8%
Admissions to hospital from EDs		4,197	4,302	-105	-2.4%

Emergency department performance

		Jul-Sep 2019	Jul-Sep 2018	Difference	NSW results
Time to treatment by triage category	Median time to treatment	8m	8m	0m	9m
	T2: Emergency 90th percentile time to treatment	23m	27m	-4m	29m
	% started treatment on time	67.3%	62.7%	4.6 percentage points	61.1%
	Median time to treatment	20m	20m	0m	22m
	T3: Urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	1h 04m	1h 05m	-1m	1h 23m
	% started treatment on time	70.7%	69%	1.7 percentage points	65.0%
	Median time to treatment	30m	27m	3m	29m
	T4: Semi-urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	1h 56m	1h 47m	9m	1h 57m
	% started treatment on time	73.1%	76.6%	-3.5 percentage points	74.1%
	Median time to treatment	28m	25m	3m	24m
	T5: Non-urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	2h 04m	1h 46m	18m	1h 53m
	% started treatment on time	89.4%	92.1%	-2.7 percentage points	91.4%
Patients starting treatment on time %		74.1%	74.0%	0.1 percentage points	70.2%
Median time to leave the ED		2h 13m	2h 01m	12m	3h 01m
90th percentile time to leave the ED		5h 22m	5h 08m	14m	8h 06m
Patients leaving the ED within four hours of presentation		80.5%	82.5%	-2.0 percentage points	68.1%
Transfer of care	Median transfer of care time (minutes)	10m	10m	0m	13m
	90th percentile transfer of care time (minutes)	22m	25m	-3m	40m
	Percent on target	94.5%	92.7%	1.8 percentage points	84.4%

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Elective surgery activity

		Jul-Sep 2019	Jul-Sep 2018	Difference	% change
Elective surgery procedures performed		1,647	1,601	46	2.9%
Urgency category	Urgent	214	265	-51	-19.2%
	Semi-urgent	471	531	-60	-11.3%
	Non-urgent	936	777	159	20.5%
Patients on waiting list ready for elective surgery at the end of quarter		2,278	2,390	-112	-4.7%
Urgency category	Urgent	29	40	-11	-27.5%
	Semi-urgent	314	315	-1	-0.3%
	Non-urgent	1,935	2,035	-100	-4.9%

Elective surgery performance

			Jul-Sep 2019	Jul-Sep 2018	Difference	NSW results
Waiting time (days)	Urgent	Median	15 days	16 days	-1 days	11 days
		90th percentile	28 days	28 days	0 days	26 days
	Semi-urgent	Median	43 days	54 days	-11 days	45 days
		90th percentile	79 days	84 days	-5 days	84 days
	Non-urgent	Median	146 days	160 days	-14 days	241 days
		90th percentile	359 days	359 days	0 days	359 days
Elective surgery procedures performed on time	All procedures		95%	96%	-1.0 percentage points	96.6%
	Urgent		99.5%	100%	-0.5 percentage points	99.9%
	Semi-urgent		99.6%	97.5%	2.1 percentage points	96.8%
	Non-urgent		91.6%	93.6%	-2.0 percentage points	94.6%

Admitted patient activity

		Jul-Sep 2019	Jul-Sep 2018	Difference	% change
Episodes	All episodes	11,940	13,376	-1,436	-10.7%
	Acute	10,987	12,237	-1,250	-10.2%
	Acute Overnight	5,439	5,935	-496	-8.4%
	Acute Same Day	5,548	6,302	-754	-12.0%
	Non-acute	597	774	-177	-22.9%
	Mental health	356	365	-9	-2.5%
Average length of stay (days)	Acute	2.3	2.2	0.1	
	Acute Overnight	3.7	3.5	0.2	
	Non-acute	11.2	10.4	0.8	
	Mental health	15.4	16.2	-0.8	
Hospital bed days	All bed days	37,951	40,975	-3,024	-7.4%
	Acute	25,785	27,044	-1,259	-4.7%
	Non-acute	6,699	8,011	-1,312	-16.4%
	Mental health	5,467	5,920	-453	-7.7%
Babies born in Southern NSW public hospitals		381	392	-11	-2.8%

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