Healthcare Quarterly, Jan-Mar 2019

South East Regional Hospital
District group 1 (C1)

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Emergency department activity

		Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	% change
All arrivals at ED by ambulance		1,090	1,037	53	5.1%
All ED presentations		5,075	4,607	468	10.2%
All emergency presentations		4,854	4,394	460	10.5%
Emergency presentation by triage category	T1: Resuscitation	19	28	-9	-32.1%
	T2: Emergency	474	514	-40	-7.8%
	T3: Urgent	1,480	1,448	32	2.2%
	T4: Semi-urgent	1,908	1,787	121	6.8%
	T5: Non-urgent	973	617	356	57.7%
Admissions to hospital from EDs		1,169	1,097	72	6.6%

Emergency department performance

			Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	Peer group results
Time to treatment by triage category	T2: Emergency	Median time to treatment	8m	9m	-1m	8m
		90th percentile time to treatment	20m	24m	-4m	23m
		% started treatment on time	69.6%	62.6%	7.0 percentage points	66.1%
	T3: Urgent	Median time to treatment	20m	19m	1m	20m
		90th percentile time to treatment	58m	51m	7m	1h 07m
		% started treatment on time	69.2%	73.5%	-4.3 percentage points	71.5%
	T4: Semi-urgent	Median time to treatment	35m	26m	9m	24m
		90th percentile time to treatment	2h 00m	1h 38m	22m	1h 47m
		% started treatment on time	69.3%	78.2%	-8.9 percentage points	77.5%
	T5: Non-urgent	Median time to treatment	44m	29m	15m	24m
		90th percentile time to treatment	2h 33m	1h 54m	39m	1h 54m
		% started treatment on time	84%	91.5%	-7.5 percentage points	91.2%
Patients starting treatment on time %			72.0%	76.4%	-4.4 percentage points	75.3%
Median time to leave the ED			2h 36m	2h 31m	5m	2h 34m
90th percentile time to leave the ED			5h 50m	6h 01m	-11m	6h 23m
Patients leaving the ED within four hours of presentation			75.2%	74.2%	1.0 percentage points	76.2%
Transfer of care	Median transfer of care time (minutes)		11m	12m	-1m	11m
	90th percentile transfer of care time (minutes)		22m	22m	0m	23m
	Percent on target		94.5%	95.6%	-1.1 percentage points	94.1%

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Elective surgery activity

		Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	% change
Elective surgery procedures performed		458	377	81	21.5%
Urgency category	Urgent	64	55	9	16.4%
	Semi-urgent	95	93	2	2.2%
	Non-urgent	289	225	64	28.4%
Patients on waiting list ready for elective surgery at the end of quarter		918	825	93	11.3%
Urgency category	Urgent	11	20	-9	-45.0%
	Semi-urgent	94	100	-6	-6.0%
	Non-urgent	813	705	108	15.3%

Elective surgery performance

			Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	Peer group results
Waiting time (days)	Urgent	Median	17 days	18 days	-1 days	14 days
		90th percentile	(*)	(*)		27 days
	Semi-urgent	Median	65 days	67 days	-2 days	54 days
		90th percentile	(*)	(*)		85 days
	Non-urgent	Median	266 days	206 days	60 days	267 days
		90th percentile	460 days	368 days	92 days	357 days
Elective surgery procedures performed on time	All procedures		85.3%	92.8%	-7.5 percentage points	97.8%
	Urgent		100%	100%	0.0 percentage points	99.9%
	Semi-urgent		98.9%	95.7%	3.2 percentage points	98.8%
	Non-urgent		77.5%	89.8%	-12.3 percentage points	96.7%

Admitted patient activity

		Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	% change
Episodes	All episodes	3,103	3,072	31	1.0%
	Acute	2,872	2,853	19	0.7%
	Acute Overnight	1,528	1,424	104	7.3%
	Acute Same Day	1,344	1,429	-85	-5.9%
	Non-acute	154	129	25	19.4%
	Mental health	77	90	-13	-14.4%
Average length of stay (days)	Acute	2.3	2.4	-0.1	
	Acute Overnight	3.5	3.8	-0.3	
	Non-acute	9.4	5.7	3.7	
	Mental health	13.5	10.9	2.6	
Hospital bed days	All bed days	9,111	8,575	536	6.3%
	Acute	6,617	6,859	-242	-3.5%
	Non-acute	1,452	735	717	97.6%
	Mental health	1,042	981	61	6.2%
Babies born in South East Regional Hospital		56	72	-16	-22.2%

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