

Emergency department activity

	Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	% change	
All arrivals at ED by ambulance	4,516	3,338	1,178	35.3%	
All ED presentations	18,797	17,585	1,212	6.9%	
All emergency presentations	18,494	17,311	1,183	6.8%	
Emergency presentation by triage category	T1: Resuscitation	89	55	34	61.8%
	T2: Emergency	1,869	1,699	170	10.0%
	T3: Urgent	4,372	3,740	632	16.9%
	T4: Semi-urgent	9,864	8,737	1,127	12.9%
	T5: Non-urgent	2,300	3,080	-780	-25.3%
Admissions to hospital from EDs	3,692	3,443	249	7.2%	

Emergency department performance

	Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	NSW results	
Time to treatment by triage category	Median time to treatment	7m	6m	1m	9m
	T2: Emergency 90th percentile time to treatment	13m	15m	-2m	28m
	% started treatment on time	84.8%	84.3%	0.5 percentage points	63.1%
	Median time to treatment	17m	17m	0m	21m
	T3: Urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	45m	44m	1m	1h 18m
	% started treatment on time	80.6%	80.6%	0.0 percentage points	66.6%
	Median time to treatment	24m	26m	-2m	28m
	T4: Semi-urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	1h 22m	1h 24m	-2m	1h 52m
	% started treatment on time	83.1%	83%	0.1 percentage points	75.0%
	Median time to treatment	32m	33m	-1m	24m
	T5: Non-urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	1h 41m	1h 51m	-10m	1h 49m
	% started treatment on time	94.1%	92%	2.1 percentage points	92.0%
Patients starting treatment on time %	84.0%	84.1%	-0.1 percentage points	71.9%	
Median time to leave the ED	2h 25m	2h 38m	-13m	2h 54m	
90th percentile time to leave the ED	5h 51m	5h 44m	7m	7h 34m	
Patients leaving the ED within four hours of presentation	79.7%	77.9%	1.8 percentage points	70.6%	
Transfer of care	Median transfer of care time (minutes)	7m	4m	3m	12m
	90th percentile transfer of care time (minutes)	32m	22m	10m	32m
	Percent on target	88.6%	93.6%	-5.0 percentage points	88.8%

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Elective surgery activity

	Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	% change	
Elective surgery procedures performed	1,910	1,913	-3	-0.2%	
Urgency category	Urgent	345	428	-83	-19.4%
	Semi-urgent	649	599	50	8.3%
	Non-urgent	908	877	31	3.5%
Patients on waiting list ready for elective surgery at the end of quarter	3,966	3,335	631	18.9%	
Urgency category	Urgent	88	74	14	18.9%
	Semi-urgent	503	463	40	8.6%
	Non-urgent	3,375	2,798	577	20.6%

Elective surgery performance

		Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	NSW results	
Waiting time (days)	Urgent	Median	11 days	11 days	0 days	10 days
		90th percentile	27 days	25 days	2 days	26 days
	Semi-urgent	Median	50 days	44 days	6 days	47 days
		90th percentile	84 days	79 days	5 days	85 days
	Non-urgent	Median	279 days	256 days	23 days	231 days
		90th percentile	360 days	357 days	3 days	358 days
Elective surgery procedures performed on time	All procedures	99.8%	100%	-0.2 percentage points	96.4%	
	Urgent	100%	100%	0.0 percentage points	99.9%	
	Semi-urgent	99.5%	100%	-0.5 percentage points	95.8%	
	Non-urgent	100%	100%	0.0 percentage points	95.2%	

Admitted patient activity

	Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	% change	
Episodes	All episodes	10,990	10,844	146	1.3%
	Acute	10,799	10,698	101	0.9%
	Acute Overnight	6,451	6,584	-133	-2.0%
	Acute Same Day	4,348	4,114	234	5.7%
	Non-acute	191	146	45	30.8%
	Mental health	0	0		
Average length of stay (days)	Acute	2.8	2.8	0.0	
	Acute Overnight	4.0	3.9	0.1	
	Non-acute	11.7	10.7	1.0	
	Mental health	n/a	n/a		
Hospital bed days	All bed days	32,474	31,322	1,152	3.7%
	Acute	30,240	29,766	474	1.6%
	Non-acute	2,234	1,556	678	43.6%
	Mental health	0	0	0	
Babies born in Ungrouped acute - tertiary referral public hospitals	937	999	-62	-6.2%	

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