

Emergency department activity

	Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	% change	
All arrivals at ED by ambulance	6,579	5,961	618	10.4%	
All ED presentations	39,353	36,711	2,642	7.2%	
All emergency presentations	32,643	30,500	2,143	7.0%	
Emergency presentation by triage category	T1: Resuscitation	125	123	2	1.6%
	T2: Emergency	3,072	2,606	466	17.9%
	T3: Urgent	11,260	10,818	442	4.1%
	T4: Semi-urgent	13,001	12,083	918	7.6%
	T5: Non-urgent	5,185	4,870	315	6.5%
Admissions to hospital from EDs	7,317	7,010	307	4.4%	

Emergency department performance

	Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	NSW results		
Time to treatment by triage category	T2: Emergency	Median time to treatment	6m	6m	0m	9m
		90th percentile time to treatment	17m	16m	1m	28m
		% started treatment on time	81.9%	80.1%	1.8 percentage points	63.1%
	T3: Urgent	Median time to treatment	12m	11m	1m	21m
		90th percentile time to treatment	42m	39m	3m	1h 18m
		% started treatment on time	83.4%	85.5%	-2.1 percentage points	66.6%
	T4: Semi-urgent	Median time to treatment	12m	11m	1m	28m
		90th percentile time to treatment	1h 00m	59m	1m	1h 52m
		% started treatment on time	90%	90.6%	-0.6 percentage points	75.0%
	T5: Non-urgent	Median time to treatment	10m	9m	1m	24m
		90th percentile time to treatment	1h 01m	1h 00m	1m	1h 49m
		% started treatment on time	97.8%	97.6%	0.2 percentage points	92.0%
Patients starting treatment on time %	88.1%	89.0%	-0.9 percentage points	71.9%		
Median time to leave the ED	1h 34m	1h 25m	9m	2h 54m		
90th percentile time to leave the ED	5h 29m	5h 04m	25m	7h 34m		
Patients leaving the ED within four hours of presentation	83.1%	85.2%	-2.1 percentage points	70.6%		
Transfer of care	Median transfer of care time (minutes)	10m	9m	1m	12m	
	90th percentile transfer of care time (minutes)	26m	21m	5m	32m	
	Percent on target	91.8%	95.2%	-3.4 percentage points	88.8%	

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Elective surgery activity

	Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	% change
Elective surgery procedures performed	1,931	1,841	90	4.9%
Urgency category				
Urgent	311	308	3	1.0%
Semi-urgent	642	636	6	0.9%
Non-urgent	835	746	89	11.9%
Patients on waiting list ready for elective surgery at the end of quarter	3,263	3,028	235	7.8%
Urgency category				
Urgent	80	74	6	8.1%
Semi-urgent	508	474	34	7.2%
Non-urgent	2,675	2,480	195	7.9%

Elective surgery performance

		Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	NSW results	
Waiting time (days)	Urgent	Median	17 days	13 days	4 days	10 days
		90th percentile	28 days	26 days	2 days	26 days
	Semi-urgent	Median	54 days	49 days	5 days	47 days
		90th percentile	84 days	87 days	-3 days	85 days
	Non-urgent	Median	271 days	304 days	-33 days	231 days
		90th percentile	361 days	360 days	1 days	358 days
Elective surgery procedures performed on time	All procedures	96.5%	95%	1.5 percentage points	96.4%	
	Urgent	99.7%	94.8%	4.9 percentage points	99.9%	
	Semi-urgent	98.6%	93.2%	5.4 percentage points	95.8%	
	Non-urgent	93.7%	96.5%	-2.8 percentage points	95.2%	

Admitted patient activity

	Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	% change	
Episodes	All episodes	17,299	17,047	252	1.5%
	Acute	16,286	16,034	252	1.6%
	Acute Overnight	9,282	8,819	463	5.3%
	Acute Same Day	7,004	7,215	-211	-2.9%
	Non-acute	770	735	35	4.8%
	Mental health	243	278	-35	-12.6%
Average length of stay (days)	Acute	2.4	2.5	-0.1	
	Acute Overnight	3.5	3.6	-0.1	
	Non-acute	11.7	12.1	-0.4	
	Mental health	18.0	13.6	4.4	
Hospital bed days	All bed days	53,165	52,006	1,159	2.2%
	Acute	39,823	39,350	473	1.2%
	Non-acute	8,979	8,863	116	1.3%
	Mental health	4,363	3,793	570	15.0%
Babies born in Murrumbidgee public hospitals	503	521	-18	-3.5%	

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