

Emergency department activity

	Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	% change	
All arrivals at ED by ambulance	5,519	5,405	114	2.1%	
All ED presentations	18,419	17,764	655	3.7%	
All emergency presentations	18,201	17,525	676	3.9%	
Emergency presentation by triage category	T1: Resuscitation	90	89	1	1.1%
	T2: Emergency	3,242	2,965	277	9.3%
	T3: Urgent	5,800	5,384	416	7.7%
	T4: Semi-urgent	7,741	7,694	47	0.6%
	T5: Non-urgent	1,328	1,393	-65	-4.7%
Admissions to hospital from EDs	6,468	6,415	53	0.8%	

Emergency department performance

	Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	Peer group results	
Time to treatment by triage category	Median time to treatment	13m	13m	0m	9m
	T2: Emergency 90th percentile time to treatment	50m	53m	-3m	32m
	% started treatment on time	42.4%	40.4%	2.0 percentage points	56.6%
	Median time to treatment	44m	40m	4m	24m
	T3: Urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	2h 56m	2h 34m	22m	1h 28m
	% started treatment on time	37.7%	41.2%	-3.5 percentage points	61.6%
	Median time to treatment	43m	38m	5m	33m
	T4: Semi-urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	2h 52m	2h 28m	24m	1h 59m
	% started treatment on time	59.7%	64.2%	-4.5 percentage points	71.6%
	Median time to treatment	36m	34m	2m	33m
	T5: Non-urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	2h 44m	2h 11m	33m	2h 07m
	% started treatment on time	82.9%	87.2%	-4.3 percentage points	88.4%
Patients starting treatment on time %	50.8%	54.4%	-3.6 percentage points	65.7%	
Median time to leave the ED	3h 51m	3h 51m	0m	3h 36m	
90th percentile time to leave the ED	10h 47m	10h 43m	4m	9h 18m	
Patients leaving the ED within four hours of presentation	53.9%	54.3%	-0.4 percentage points	60.3%	
Transfer of care	Median transfer of care time (minutes)	12m	12m	0m	13m
	90th percentile transfer of care time (minutes)	27m	29m	-2m	38m
	Percent on target	91.7%	90.0%	1.7 percentage points	85.3%

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Elective surgery activity

	Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	% change
Elective surgery procedures performed	1,658	1,624	34	2.1%
Urgency category				
Urgent	368	377	-9	-2.4%
Semi-urgent	614	487	127	26.1%
Non-urgent	637	696	-59	-8.5%
Patients on waiting list ready for elective surgery at the end of quarter	2,909	2,930	-21	-0.7%
Urgency category				
Urgent	79	48	31	64.6%
Semi-urgent	419	501	-82	-16.4%
Non-urgent	2,411	2,381	30	1.3%

Elective surgery performance

		Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	Peer group results	
Waiting time (days)	Urgent	Median	10 days	12 days	-2 days	8 days
		90th percentile	25 days	26 days	-1 days	25 days
	Semi-urgent	Median	53 days	49 days	4 days	43 days
		90th percentile	92 days	88 days	4 days	86 days
	Non-urgent	Median	309 days	335 days	-26 days	190 days
		90th percentile	382 days	402 days	-20 days	362 days
Elective surgery procedures performed on time	All procedures	88.6%	85.6%	3.0 percentage points	94.9%	
	Urgent	100%	100%	0.0 percentage points	99.9%	
	Semi-urgent	88.3%	92.2%	-3.9 percentage points	93.6%	
	Non-urgent	82.3%	73.1%	9.2 percentage points	92.4%	

Admitted patient activity

	Jan-Mar 2019	Jan-Mar 2018	Difference	% change	
Episodes	All episodes	16,056	15,700	356	2.3%
	Acute	15,192	14,887	305	2.0%
	Acute Overnight	8,789	8,661	128	1.5%
	Acute Same Day	6,403	6,226	177	2.8%
	Non-acute	378	317	61	19.2%
	Mental health	486	496	-10	-2.0%
Average length of stay (days)	Acute	3.1	3.1	0.0	
	Acute Overnight	4.5	4.5	0.0	
	Non-acute	15.1	16.5	-1.4	
	Mental health	10.8	11.4	-0.6	
Hospital bed days	All bed days	57,328	56,510	818	1.4%
	Acute	46,364	45,593	771	1.7%
	Non-acute	5,724	5,240	484	9.2%
	Mental health	5,240	5,677	-437	-7.7%
Babies born in Nepean Hospital	973	985	-12	-1.2%	

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