

Emergency department activity

	Oct-Dec 2020	Oct-Dec 2019	Difference	% change	
All arrivals at ED by ambulance	21	28	-7	-25.0%	
ED Attendances	622	900	-278	-30.9%	
Emergency presentations	551	799	-248	-31.0%	
Emergency presentation by triage category	T1: Resuscitation	<5	0		
	T2: Emergency	43	69	-26	-37.7%
	T3: Urgent	83	175	-92	-52.6%
	T4: Semi-urgent	297	408	-111	-27.2%
	T5: Non-urgent	128	147	-19	-12.9%
Admissions to hospital from EDs	6	6	0	0.0%	

Emergency department performance

	Oct-Dec 2020	Oct-Dec 2019	Difference	Peer group results	
Time to treatment by triage category	Median time to treatment	5m	6m	-1m	8m
	T2: Emergency 90th percentile time to treatment	(*)	(*)		23m
	% started treatment on time	90.3%	85.7%	4.6 percentage points	68.5%
	Median time to treatment	14m	9m	5m	18m
	T3: Urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	(*)	22m		59m
	% started treatment on time	94.9%	96.3%	-1.4 percentage points	73.5%
	Median time to treatment	12m	14m	-2m	25m
	T4: Semi-urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	43m	54m	-11m	1h 40m
	% started treatment on time	96.4%	93.5%	2.9 percentage points	78.1%
	Median time to treatment	9m	9m	0m	21m
	T5: Non-urgent 90th percentile time to treatment	(*)	(*)		1h 40m
	% started treatment on time	100.0%	98.9%	1.1 percentage points	93.3%
Patients starting treatment on time %	96.4%	94.5%	1.9 percentage points	77.8%	
Median time to leave the ED	0h 31m	0h 33m	-2m	1h 50m	
90th percentile time to leave the ED	2h 35m	2h 27m	8m	5h 10m	
Patients leaving the ED within four hours of presentation	93.9%	95.7%	-1.8 percentage points	83.5%	
Transfer of care	Median transfer of care time (minutes)	(*)	(*)		10m(*)
	90th percentile transfer of care time (minutes)	(*)	(*)		23m(*)
	Percent on target	(*)	(*)		94.5%(*)

Notes: ED attendances includes every patient visit to the ED during the defined period. The vast majority of ED attendances are classified as 'emergency presentations'. The remaining ED attendances include non-emergency visits such as planned returns, pre-arranged admissions, some outpatient visits and private referrals.

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Elective surgery activity

	Oct-Dec 2020	Oct-Dec 2019	Difference	% change
Elective surgery procedures performed	1,072	678	394	58.1%
Urgency category				
Urgent	81	50	31	62.0%
Semi-urgent	164	165	-1	-0.6%
Non-urgent	818	458	360	78.6%
Patients on waiting list ready for elective surgery at the end of quarter	1,688	1,593	95	6.0%
Urgency category				
Urgent	<5	0		
Semi-urgent	75	53	22	41.5%
Non-urgent	1,613	1,540	73	4.7%

Elective surgery performance

		Oct-Dec 2020	Oct-Dec 2019	Difference	Peer group results	
Waiting time (days)	Urgent	Median	7 days	8 days	-1 days	14 days
		90th percentile	(*)	(*)		27 days
	Semi-urgent	Median	41 days	42 days	-1 days	42 days
		90th percentile	68 days	71 days	-3 days	85 days
	Non-urgent	Median	344 days	185 days	159 days	285 days
		90th percentile	456 days	338 days	118 days	427 days
Elective surgery procedures performed on time	All procedures	66.6%	99.1%	-32.5 percentage points	83.0%	
	Urgent	100.0%	100.0%	0.0 percentage points	99.8%	
	Semi-urgent	100.0%	98.2%	1.8 percentage points	93.0%	
	Non-urgent	56.6%	99.3%	-42.7 percentage points	74.5%	

Admitted patient activity

	Oct-Dec 2020	Oct-Dec 2019	Difference	% change	
Episodes	All episodes	1,230	879	351	39.9%
	Acute	1,194	765	429	56.1%
	Acute Overnight	128	98	30	30.6%
	Acute Same Day	1,066	667	399	59.8%
	Non-acute	36	114	-78	-68.4%
	Mental health	0	0		
Average length of stay (days)	Acute	2.5	2.7	-0.2	
	Acute Overnight	15.1	14.6	0.5	
	Non-acute	25.0	18.3	6.7	
	Mental health	n/a	n/a		
Hospital bed days	All bed days	3,899	4,177	-278	-6.7%
	Acute	3,000	2,095	905	43.2%
	Non-acute	899	2,082	-1,183	-56.8%
	Mental health	0	0	0	
Babies born in Kurri Kurri Hospital	<5	<5			

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