

Emergency department activity		Jul-Sep 2017	Jul-Sep 2016	Difference	% change
All arrivals at ED by ambulance		5,542	5,255	287	5.5%
All ED presentations		17,749	16,429	1,320	8.0%
Emergency presentations		17,631	16,324	1,307	8.0%
Triage category	T1: Resuscitation	211	234	-23	-9.8%
	T2: Emergency	2,238	2,230	8	0.4%
	T3: Urgent	6,986	6,799	187	2.8%
	T4: Semi-urgent	7,700	6,614	1,086	16.4%
	T5: Non-urgent	496	447	49	11.0%
Admissions to hospital from EDs		6,386	6,322	64	1.0%
Admitted patient activity		Jul-Sep 2017	Jul-Sep 2016	Difference	% change
All admitted patient episodes		14,079	14,232	-153	-1.1%
All acute episodes		13,716	13,871	-155	-1.1%
Overnight episodes		8,439	8,521	-82	-1.0%
Same-day episodes		5,277	5,350	-73	-1.4%
Non-acute		363	361	2	0.6%
Average length of stay (days)	Acute	3.1	3.1	0.0	0.0%
	Acute overnight episodes	4.4	4.4	0	0.0%
	Non-acute	10.1	9.8	0.3	3.1%
Hospital bed days	All bed days	45,963	46,187	-224	-0.5%
	Acute	42,295	42,641	-346	-0.8%
	Non-acute	3,668	3,546	122	3.4%
Babies born in Gosford Hospital		731	698	33	4.7%
Elective surgery activity		Jul-Sep 2017	Jul-Sep 2016	Difference	% change
Elective surgery procedures performed		1,533	1,555	-22	-1.4%
Urgency category	Urgent	342	339	3	0.9%
	Semi-urgent	425	481	-56	-11.6%
	Non-urgent	594	562	32	5.7%
Patients on waiting list ready for elective surgery at the end of quarter		2,140	2,181	-41	-1.9%
Urgency category	Urgent	60	59	1	1.7%
	Semi-urgent	383	370	13	3.5%
	Non-urgent	1,697	1,752	-55	-3.1%

Emergency department performance			Jul-Sep 2017	Jul-Sep 2016	Difference
Time to treatment by triage category	T2: Emergency	Median time to treatment	7m	6m	1m
		90th percentile time to treatment	23m	22m	1m
		% started treatment on time	78.1%	78.1%	0.0 percentage points
	T3: Urgent	Median time to treatment	24m	24m	0m
		90th percentile time to treatment	1h 32m	1h 25m	7m
		% started treatment on time	59.7%	61.4%	-1.7 percentage points
	T4: Semi-urgent	Median time to treatment	42m	39m	3m
		90th percentile time to treatment	2h 14m	2h 05m	9m
		% started treatment on time	63.9%	65.7%	-1.8 percentage points
	T5: Non-urgent	Median time to treatment	28m	26m	2m
		90th percentile time to treatment	2h 02m	1h 56m	6m
		% started treatment on time	89.1%	90.4%	-1.3 percentage points
<b>Patients starting treatment on time %</b>			64.7%	66.2%	-1.5 percentage points
<b>Median time to leave the ED</b>			3h 23m	3h 21m	2m
<b>90th percentile time to leave the ED</b>			7h 02m	7h 05m	-3m
<b>Patients leaving the ED within four hours of presentation</b>			63.2%	62.4%	0.8 percentage points
Transfer of care	Median transfer of care time (minutes)		11m	10m	1
	90th percentile transfer of care time (minutes)		74m	72m	2m
	Percent on target		73.0%	76.6%	-3.6 percentage points
Elective surgery performance			Jul-Sep 2017	Jul-Sep 2016	Difference
Waiting time (days)	Urgent	Median	16 days	17 days	-1 days
		90th percentile	26 days	28 days	-2 days
	Semi-urgent	Median	48 days	53 days	-5 days
		90th percentile	83 days	84 days	-1 days
	Non-urgent	Median	278 days	297 days	-19 days
		90th percentile	359 days	360 days	-1 days
Elective surgery procedures performed on time	All procedures		97.7%	98%	-0.3 percentage points
	Urgent		100%	100%	0.0 percentage points
	Semi-urgent		99.3%	98.5%	0.8 percentage points
	Non-urgent		95.3%	96.3%	-1.0 percentage points

(\*) Suppressed due to small numbers and to protect patient privacy

(n/a) No elective surgeries performed