

Emergency department activity		Jan-Mar 2018	Jan-Mar 2017	Difference	% change
All arrivals at ED by ambulance		501	500	1	0.2%
All ED presentations		2,153	2,131	22	1.0%
Emergency presentations		2,072	2,056	16	0.8%
Triage category	T1: Resuscitation	8	<5		
	T2: Emergency	204	263	-59	-22.4%
	T3: Urgent	655	607	48	7.9%
	T4: Semi-urgent	950	908	42	4.6%
	T5: Non-urgent	255	278	-23	-8.3%
Admissions to hospital from EDs		309	391	-82	-21.0%
Admitted patient activity		Jan-Mar 2018	Jan-Mar 2017	Difference	% change
All admitted patient episodes		1,280	**		
	All acute episodes	1,247	**		
	Overnight	505	**		
	Same-day	742	**		
	Non-acute	(*)	**		
	Mental health	(*)	**		
Average length of stay (days)	Acute	1.9	**		
	Acute overnight episodes	3.2	**		
	Non-acute	(*)	**		
	Mental health	(*)	**		
Hospital bed days	All bed days	2,560	**		
	Acute	2,357	**		
	Non-acute	(*)	**		
	Mental health	(*)	**		
Babies born in Inverell Hospital		50	54	-4	-7.4%
Elective surgery activity		Jan-Mar 2018	Jan-Mar 2017	Difference	% change
Elective surgery procedures performed		75	76	-1	-1.3%
Urgency category	Urgent	7	6	1	16.7%
	Semi-urgent	21	17	4	23.5%
	Non-urgent	47	52	-5	-9.6%
Patients on waiting list ready for elective surgery at the end of quarter		94	92	2	2.2%
Urgency category	Urgent	0	0	0	
	Semi-urgent	30	11	19	172.7%
	Non-urgent	64	81	-17	-21.0%

** These data are not reported due to a policy change in the definition of patient stay types that was phased-in between 1 July 2016 and 30 June 2017. Fair comparisons cannot be made with results during this period as a new mental health care stay type was introduced that comprises patients who were previously included in the acute and non-acute stay types.

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(n/a) not applicable

Emergency department performance			Jan-Mar 2018	Jan-Mar 2017	Difference
Time to treatment by triage category	T2: Emergency	Median time to treatment	4m	5m	-1m
		90th percentile time to treatment	15m	30m	-15m
		% started treatment on time	87.5%	79.6%	7.9 percentage points
	T3: Urgent	Median time to treatment	10m	14m	-4m
		90th percentile time to treatment	43m	55m	-12m
		% started treatment on time	84.1%	77.5%	6.6 percentage points
	T4: Semi-urgent	Median time to treatment	20m	25m	-5m
		90th percentile time to treatment	1h 10m	1h 25m	-15m
		% started treatment on time	87.8%	81.9%	5.9 percentage points
	T5: Non-urgent	Median time to treatment	10m	22m	-12m
		90th percentile time to treatment	1h 05m	1h 30m	-25m
		% started treatment on time	96.7%	95.7%	1.0 percentage points
Patients starting treatment on time %			87.5%	81.9%	5.6 percentage points
Median time to leave the ED			1h 25m	1h 39m	-14m
90th percentile time to leave the ED			3h 54m	4h 32m	-38m
Patients leaving the ED within four hours of presentation			90.8%	87.4%	3.4 percentage points
Transfer of care	Median transfer of care time (minutes)		5m**	6m**	-1m
	90th percentile transfer of care time (minutes)		17m**	22m**	-5m
	Percent on target		99.5%**	95.7%**	3.8 percentage points
Elective surgery perfomance			Jan-Mar 2018	Jan-Mar 2017	Difference
Waiting time (days)	Urgent	Median	(*)	(*)	
		90th percentile	(*)	(*)	
	Semi-urgent	Median	57 days	57 days	0 days
		90th percentile	(*)	(*)	
	Non-urgent	Median	237 days	174 days	63 days
		90th percentile	(*)	(*)	
Elective surgery procedures performed on time	All procedures		100%	100%	0.0 percentage points
	Urgent		(*)	(*)	
	Semi-urgent		100%	100%	0.0 percentage points
	Non-urgent		100%	100%	0.0 percentage points

** Caution - Transfer of care could not be calculated for more than 30% of records

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(n/a) No elective surgeries performed