

Emergency department activity		Jul-Sep 2018	Jul-Sep 2017	Difference	% change
All arrivals at ED by ambulance		6,089	6,446	-357	-5.5%
All ED presentations		17,526	17,546	-20	-0.1%
Emergency presentations		17,288	17,256	32	0.2%
Triage category	T1: Resuscitation	152	191	-39	-20.4%
	T2: Emergency	2,421	2,464	-43	-1.7%
	T3: Urgent	6,970	7,607	-637	-8.4%
	T4: Semi-urgent	6,893	6,489	404	6.2%
	T5: Non-urgent	852	505	347	68.7%
Admissions to hospital from EDs		6,674	6,329	345	5.5%
Admitted patient activity		Jul-Sep 2018	Jul-Sep 2017	Difference	% change
All admitted patient episodes		13,546	13,311	235	1.8%
	All acute episodes	12,930	12,729	201	1.6%
	Acute overnight	8,338	8,113	225	2.8%
	Same-day	4,592	4,616	-24	-0.5%
	Non-acute	378	394	-16	-4.1%
	Mental health	238	188	50	26.6%
Average length of stay (days)	Acute	3.4	3.5	-0.1	
	Acute overnight	4.8	4.9	-0.1	
	Non-acute	6.6	6.4	0.2	
	Mental health	14.8	14.7	0.1	
Hospital bed days	All bed days	50,465	49,460	1,005	2.0%
	Acute	44,458	44,185	273	0.6%
	Non-acute	2,482	2,515	-33	-1.3%
	Mental health	3,525	2,760	765	27.7%
Babies born in Wollongong Hospital		671	668	3	0.4%
Elective surgery activity		Jul-Sep 2018	Jul-Sep 2017	Difference	% change
Elective surgery procedures performed		1,633	1,581	52	3.3%
Urgency category	Urgent	590	590	0	0.0%
	Semi-urgent	455	440	15	3.4%
	Non-urgent	430	393	37	9.4%
Patients on waiting list ready for elective surgery at the end of quarter		2,397	2,287	110	4.8%
Urgency category	Urgent	95	62	33	53.2%
	Semi-urgent	430	442	-12	-2.7%
	Non-urgent	1,872	1,783	89	5.0%

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(n/a) not applicable

Emergency department performance			Jul-Sep 2018	Jul-Sep 2017	Difference
Time to treatment by triage category	T2: Emergency	Median time to treatment	9m	9m	0m
		90th percentile time to treatment	27m	28m	-1m
		% started treatment on time	58.7%	57.1%	1.6 percentage points
	T3: Urgent	Median time to treatment	23m	23m	0m
		90th percentile time to treatment	1h 22m	1h 29m	-7m
		% started treatment on time	64.7%	64.7%	0.0 percentage points
	T4: Semi-urgent	Median time to treatment	23m	27m	-4m
		90th percentile time to treatment	1h 47m	1h 59m	-12m
		% started treatment on time	77.1%	75.2%	1.9 percentage points
	T5: Non-urgent	Median time to treatment	20m	29m	-9m
		90th percentile time to treatment	1h 58m	2h 13m	-15m
		% started treatment on time	90.7%	88.2%	2.5 percentage points
<b>Patients starting treatment on time %</b>			69.9%	68.0%	1.9 percentage points
<b>Median time to leave the ED</b>			3h 37m	3h 46m	-9m
<b>90th percentile time to leave the ED</b>			10h 52m	12h 27m	-95m
<b>Patients leaving the ED within four hours of presentation</b>			59.7%	56.2%	3.5 percentage points
Transfer of care	Median transfer of care time (minutes)		12m	14m	-2m
	90th percentile transfer of care time (minutes)		35m	43m	-8m
	Percent on target		86.1%	80.2%	5.9 percentage points
Elective surgery performance			Jul-Sep 2018	Jul-Sep 2017	Difference
Waiting time (days)	Urgent	Median	12 days	12 days	0 days
		90th percentile	28 days	27 days	1 days
	Semi-urgent	Median	48 days	51 days	-3 days
		90th percentile	89 days	93 days	-4 days
	Non-urgent	Median	337 days	348 days	-11 days
		90th percentile	379 days	381 days	-2 days
Elective surgery procedures performed on time	All procedures		92.5%	91.1%	1.4 percentage points
	Urgent		100%	99.8%	0.2 percentage points
	Semi-urgent		93%	88.9%	4.1 percentage points
	Non-urgent		81.6%	80.4%	1.2 percentage points

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(n/a) No elective surgeries performed