

## Elapsed entry times for Home Care Packages, by State and Territory, by remoteness, 2015-16

	<i>unit</i>	<i>NSW</i>	<i>Vic</i>	<i>Qld</i>	<i>WA</i>	<i>SA</i>
<b>Level 1</b>						
Major cities						
Within 1 month	%	32%	55%	16%	np	45%
Within 2 months	%	48%	66%	29%	55%	56%
Within 3 months	%	56%	73%	40%	71%	65%
Within 4 months	%	63%	80%	42%	71%	68%
Within 5 months	%	67%	83%	45%	71%	69%
Within 6 months	%	68%	87%	51%	71%	69%
More than 6 months	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Number of admissions	No.	336	214	74	13	65
Inner Regional						
Within 1 month	%	34%	60%	35%	np	np
Within 2 months	%	50%	69%	50%	np	np
Within 3 months	%	60%	79%	59%	np	np
Within 4 months	%	69%	87%	60%	np	np
Within 5 months	%	72%	92%	66%	np	np
Within 6 months	%	74%	93%	69%	np	70%
More than 6 months	%	100%	100%	100%	np	100%
Number of admissions	No.	107	98	86	np	10
Outer regional						
Within 1 month	%	43%	np	58%	-	np
Within 2 months	%	60%	np	66%	-	np
Within 3 months	%	61%	np	67%	-	np
Within 4 months	%	65%	67%	67%	-	np
Within 5 months	%	67%	67%	67%	-	np
Within 6 months	%	67%	67%	68%	-	np
More than 6 months	%	100%	100%	100%	-	np
Number of admissions	No.	21	9	14	-	np
Remote						
Within 1 month	%	np	np	np	np	np
Within 2 months	%	np	np	np	np	np
Within 3 months	%	np	np	np	np	72%
Within 4 months	%	np	np	np	np	72%
Within 5 months	%	np	np	np	np	86%
Within 6 months	%	np	np	np	np	86%
More than 6 months	%	np	np	np	np	100%
Number of admissions	No.	np	np	np	np	7
Very remote						
Within 1 month	%	-	-	np	np	np
Within 2 months	%	-	-	np	np	np
Within 3 months	%	-	-	np	np	np
Within 4 months	%	-	-	np	np	np
Within 5 months	%	-	-	np	np	np
Within 6 months	%	-	-	np	np	np
More than 6 months	%	-	-	np	np	np
Number of admissions	No.	-	-	np	np	np

## Level 2

**Major cities**

Within 1 month	%	34%	40%	27%	35%	38%
Within 2 months	%	47%	58%	39%	46%	52%
Within 3 months	%	56%	67%	48%	53%	62%
Within 4 months	%	62%	73%	53%	56%	72%
Within 5 months	%	66%	77%	56%	60%	78%
Within 6 months	%	69%	80%	60%	63%	81%
More than 6 months	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Number of admissions	No.	6,363	3,862	2,881	1,550	1,486

**Inner Regional**

Within 1 month	%	33%	30%	29%	25%	26%
Within 2 months	%	45%	49%	43%	38%	39%
Within 3 months	%	53%	58%	50%	46%	49%
Within 4 months	%	58%	67%	55%	49%	57%
Within 5 months	%	61%	72%	60%	53%	61%
Within 6 months	%	63%	75%	64%	57%	64%
More than 6 months	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Number of admissions	No.	2,630	1,218	1,367	316	420

**Outer regional**

Within 1 month	%	38%	27%	31%	28%	27%
Within 2 months	%	52%	47%	42%	46%	41%
Within 3 months	%	58%	57%	47%	52%	51%
Within 4 months	%	63%	64%	52%	58%	55%
Within 5 months	%	67%	69%	56%	66%	60%
Within 6 months	%	69%	73%	58%	67%	63%
More than 6 months	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Number of admissions	No.	690	369	714	132	285

**Remote**

Within 1 month	%	np	np	19%	37%	14%
Within 2 months	%	42%	np	31%	46%	20%
Within 3 months	%	45%	np	40%	53%	41%
Within 4 months	%	47%	np	46%	60%	52%
Within 5 months	%	47%	np	48%	64%	62%
Within 6 months	%	47%	np	51%	75%	63%
More than 6 months	%	100%	np	100%	100%	100%
Number of admissions	No.	17	np	46	54	46

**Very remote**

Within 1 month	%	np	-	50%	42%	np
Within 2 months	%	np	-	62%	58%	np
Within 3 months	%	np	-	62%	60%	np
Within 4 months	%	np	-	65%	65%	np
Within 5 months	%	np	-	65%	65%	np
Within 6 months	%	np	-	68%	71%	34%
More than 6 months	%	np	-	100%	100%	100%
Number of admissions	No.	np	-	41	28	16

**Level 3****Major cities**

Within 1 month	%	38%	26%	38%	40%	33%
Within 2 months	%	55%	44%	56%	61%	55%

Within 3 months	%	67%	56%	65%	73%	65%
Within 4 months	%	73%	62%	70%	77%	70%
Within 5 months	%	77%	67%	74%	81%	75%
Within 6 months	%	80%	70%	79%	85%	80%
More than 6 months	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Number of admissions	No.	616	451	326	270	124
<b>Inner Regional</b>						
Within 1 month	%	39%	21%	48%	41%	44%
Within 2 months	%	57%	34%	60%	58%	59%
Within 3 months	%	66%	49%	68%	70%	66%
Within 4 months	%	71%	57%	75%	73%	66%
Within 5 months	%	75%	61%	77%	83%	70%
Within 6 months	%	78%	66%	79%	86%	73%
More than 6 months	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Number of admissions	No.	234	125	122	63	27
<b>Outer regional</b>						
Within 1 month	%	40%	np	47%	36%	38%
Within 2 months	%	57%	36%	61%	37%	57%
Within 3 months	%	71%	48%	66%	54%	68%
Within 4 months	%	82%	54%	71%	59%	78%
Within 5 months	%	83%	60%	75%	68%	84%
Within 6 months	%	84%	60%	79%	73%	84%
More than 6 months	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Number of admissions	No.	76	17	56	22	37
<b>Remote</b>						
Within 1 month	%	np	np	np	np	np
Within 2 months	%	63%	np	np	np	49%
Within 3 months	%	78%	np	np	np	66%
Within 4 months	%	91%	np	np	np	66%
Within 5 months	%	91%	np	np	np	66%
Within 6 months	%	94%	np	np	np	66%
More than 6 months	%	100%	np	np	np	100%
Number of admissions	No.	9	np	np	np	12
<b>Very remote</b>						
Within 1 month	%	np	-	np	np	np
Within 2 months	%	np	-	np	np	np
Within 3 months	%	np	-	np	np	np
Within 4 months	%	np	-	np	np	np
Within 5 months	%	np	-	np	np	np
Within 6 months	%	np	-	np	np	np
More than 6 months	%	np	-	np	np	np
Number of admissions	No.	np	-	np	np	np
<b>Level 4</b>						
<b>Major cities</b>						
Within 1 month	%	31%	23%	24%	44%	23%
Within 2 months	%	45%	36%	41%	64%	38%
Within 3 months	%	54%	45%	51%	72%	46%
Within 4 months	%	60%	51%	58%	77%	54%
Within 5 months	%	65%	58%	63%	80%	62%

Within 6 months	%	70%	62%	69%	82%	67%
More than 6 months	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Number of admissions	No.	671	529	422	871	175
<b>Inner Regional</b>						
Within 1 month	%	34%	17%	32%	39%	32%
Within 2 months	%	49%	22%	45%	58%	44%
Within 3 months	%	62%	38%	56%	69%	54%
Within 4 months	%	66%	46%	62%	72%	65%
Within 5 months	%	70%	53%	68%	76%	75%
Within 6 months	%	73%	59%	72%	78%	76%
More than 6 months	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Number of admissions	No.	304	156	237	239	66
<b>Outer regional</b>						
Within 1 month	%	47%	24%	26%	33%	35%
Within 2 months	%	64%	29%	33%	46%	51%
Within 3 months	%	70%	38%	43%	56%	63%
Within 4 months	%	76%	44%	46%	67%	69%
Within 5 months	%	79%	49%	55%	74%	71%
Within 6 months	%	80%	56%	60%	82%	73%
More than 6 months	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Number of admissions	No.	122	22	98	170	53
<b>Remote</b>						
Within 1 month	%	np	np	np	40%	np
Within 2 months	%	np	np	np	58%	np
Within 3 months	%	np	np	np	63%	np
Within 4 months	%	np	np	np	73%	70%
Within 5 months	%	np	np	76%	80%	70%
Within 6 months	%	np	np	78%	80%	81%
More than 6 months	%	np	np	100%	100%	100%
Number of admissions	No.	np	np	7	27	9
<b>Very remote</b>						
Within 1 month	%	np	-	np	np	np
Within 2 months	%	np	-	np	np	np
Within 3 months	%	np	-	np	95%	np
Within 4 months	%	np	-	np	100%	np
Within 5 months	%	np	-	np	100%	np
Within 6 months	%	np	-	np	100%	np
More than 6 months	%	np	-	100%	100%	np
Number of admissions	No.	np	-	6	7	np
<b>All levels</b>						
<b>Major cities</b>						
Within 1 month	%	34%	38%	27%	39%	36%
Within 2 months	%	48%	55%	41%	54%	51%
Within 3 months	%	57%	64%	50%	61%	61%
Within 4 months	%	62%	70%	55%	65%	70%
Within 5 months	%	67%	75%	59%	69%	76%
Within 6 months	%	70%	77%	62%	71%	79%
More than 6 months	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Number of admissions	No.	7,986	5,056	3,703	2,704	1,849

Inner Regional						
Within 1 month	%	34%	30%	31%	32%	28%
Within 2 months	%	46%	46%	45%	48%	41%
Within 3 months	%	55%	57%	52%	57%	51%
Within 4 months	%	60%	66%	58%	60%	58%
Within 5 months	%	63%	71%	62%	65%	63%
Within 6 months	%	66%	74%	66%	68%	66%
More than 6 months	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Number of admissions	No.	3,275	1,596	1,812	619	523
Outer regional						
Within 1 month	%	40%	26%	32%	31%	30%
Within 2 months	%	54%	45%	42%	45%	44%
Within 3 months	%	61%	56%	48%	54%	55%
Within 4 months	%	66%	63%	53%	62%	60%
Within 5 months	%	70%	68%	57%	70%	64%
Within 6 months	%	72%	72%	60%	75%	67%
More than 6 months	%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Number of admissions	No.	910	418	882	325	378
Remote						
Within 1 month	%	29%	np	26%	39%	25%
Within 2 months	%	53%	np	36%	49%	33%
Within 3 months	%	60%	np	44%	58%	50%
Within 4 months	%	65%	np	49%	65%	58%
Within 5 months	%	65%	np	53%	70%	66%
Within 6 months	%	66%	np	55%	77%	68%
More than 6 months	%	100%	np	100%	100%	100%
Number of admissions	No.	28	np	57	88	73
Very remote						
Within 1 month	%	50%	-	49%	38%	9%
Within 2 months	%	74%	-	60%	49%	17%
Within 3 months	%	77%	-	65%	55%	20%
Within 4 months	%	77%	-	67%	59%	25%
Within 5 months	%	77%	-	67%	64%	25%
Within 6 months	%	77%	-	70%	71%	36%
More than 6 months	%	100%	-	100%	100%	100%
Number of admissions	No.	5	-	48	42	19

Notes:

Data only includes records where ACAT approval is before admission date. Data only includes first admissions in i  
Location is based on the postcode of the recipient's residence.

A small number of recipient postcodes are invalid and not able to be reported by remoteness area. Postcodes th  
Elapsed time data based on between 1 and 4 admissions have been suppressed to ensure confidentiality. The Au  
Data with unknown elapsed time are excluded.

Data for elapsed time by remoteness were sourced at a later date than the data for elapsed time by state/territo  
Data for residential care only includes permanent residents.

np Not Published – Nil or rounded to zero

Source: Department of Health (unpublished) Aged Care Assessment Program Minimum Data Set; Department of



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-	28%	-	48%
-	39%	-	57%
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51%	np	-	52%
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24%	np	-	31%
38%	np	-	45%
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54%	np	-	60%
59%	np	-	64%
63%	np	-	67%
100%	np	-	100%
576	np	-	8,410

23%	np	36%	32%
38%	np	44%	46%
50%	np	48%	54%
57%	np	55%	60%
61%	np	56%	64%
64%	np	60%	67%
100%	np	100%	100%
267	np	114	3,300

10%	-	42%	32%
29%	-	51%	42%
38%	-	52%	52%
48%	-	63%	59%
49%	-	70%	65%
56%	-	72%	68%
100%	-	100%	100%
14	-	56	330

np	-	55%	44%
np	-	64%	54%
np	-	69%	59%
np	-	71%	62%
np	-	78%	65%
np	-	79%	69%
np	-	100%	100%
np	-	47	170

the financial year.

that span more than one remoteness area are apportioned as per ABS 1270.0.55.006 - Australian Statistical Geographical Areas. Australian total in rows containing these cells have been rounded up to base 10.

vary and therefore may have slightly different total numbers of admissions.

of Health (unpublished) Aged Care Data Warehouse.









hy Standard (ASGS): Correspondences, July 2011. Some postcodes span more than one state or territory.