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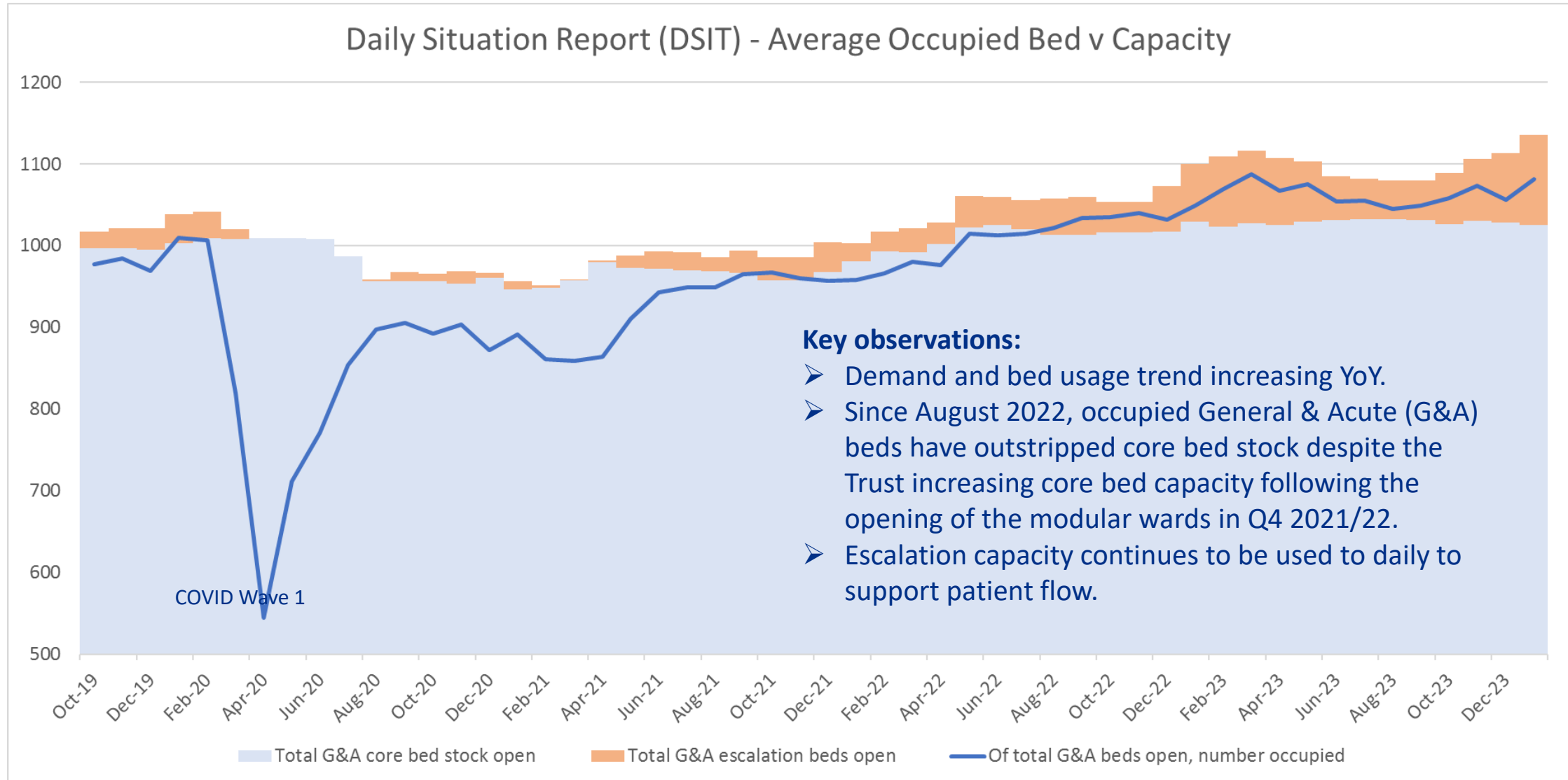
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The data in this pack gives insight into how:

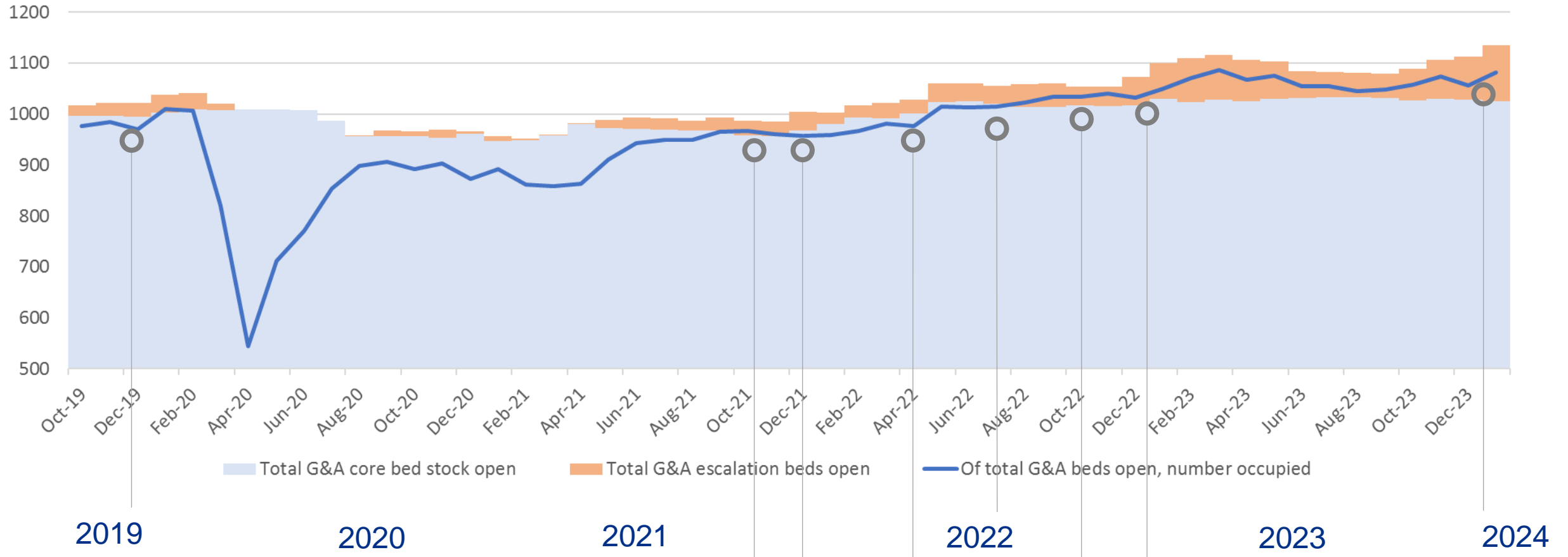
- Total General and Acute (G&A) beds which have increased over time.
- How the use of escalation and surge beds have increased.
- Total occupancy across the hospital which has increased consistently through the year.
- Within this data, how has this growth in occupancy aligned with demand and critical incidents being declared.

This graph shows the number of General and Acute beds which has grown over time



How that growth has coincided with critical incidents:

DIST - Average Occupied Bed v Capacity



4 to 13 December
High levels of patients presenting at the ED, long delays for those patients to be seen and to be treated.

None recorded due to pandemic

30th Oct – 2nd Nov & 9th – 19th Dec
Ongoing pressures of high numbers of patients arriving in the Emergency Department, lack of patient flow within the hospital to support timely movements of those patients being admitted into wards, which led to Ambulances being held.

6th – 8th Apr, Jul, 11th - 14th Oct & 20th Dec – 6th Jan 23
Demand on emergency services outstripping hospital capacity. System wide incident with extremely high demand for services across HIOW.

1st – 10th Nov & 13th – 21st Dec
Both incidents in 2022 were called due to the demand on emergency services outstripping hospital capacity.

3rd Jan - TBC
Emergency care demand following a known busy bank holiday period and high bed occupancy.

Total occupancy:

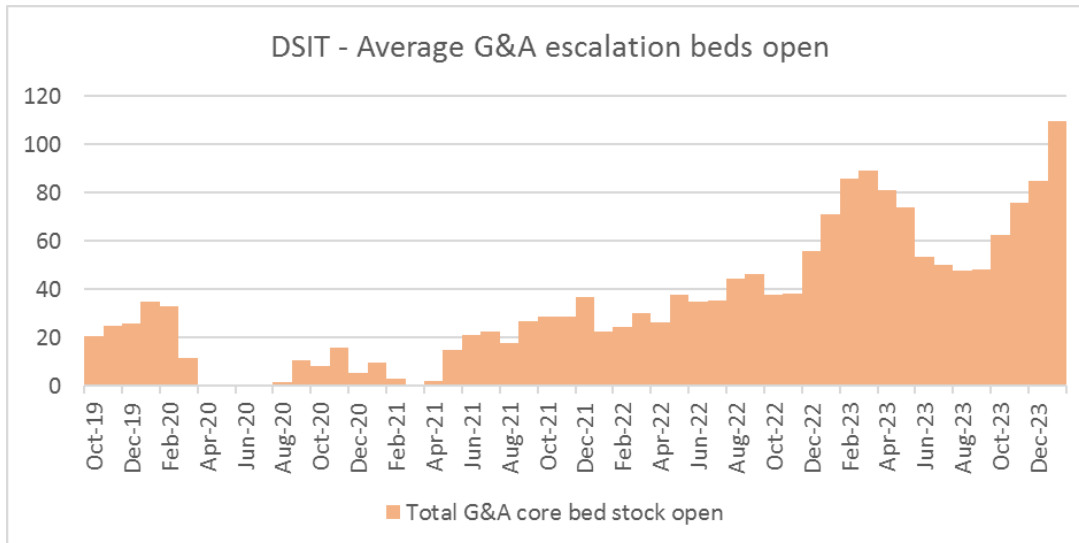
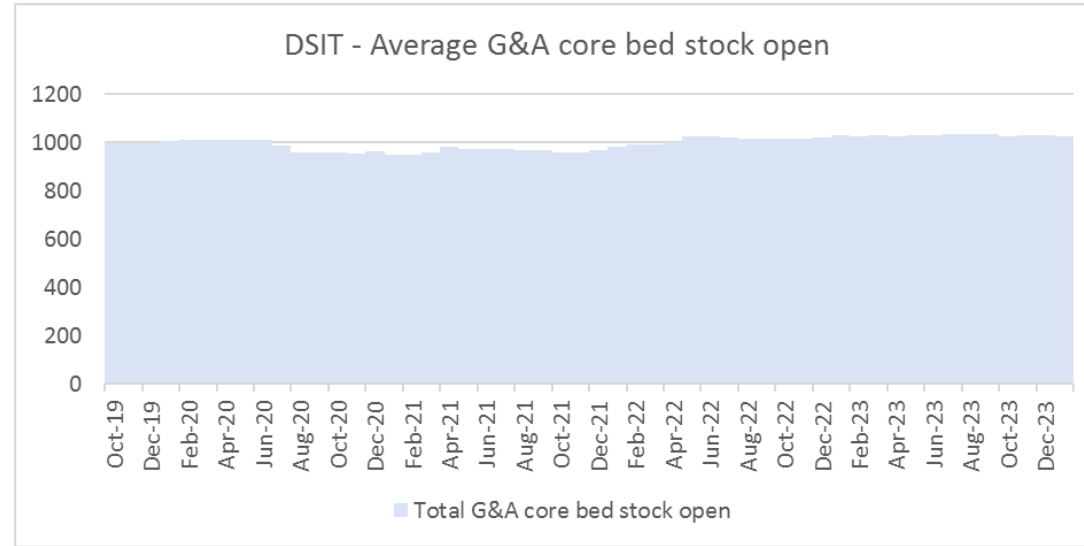
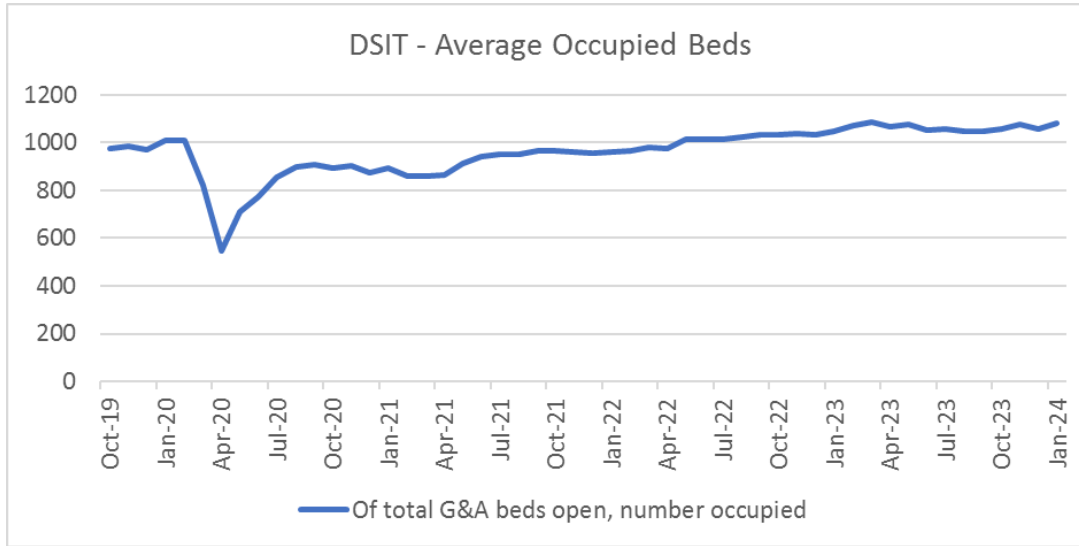
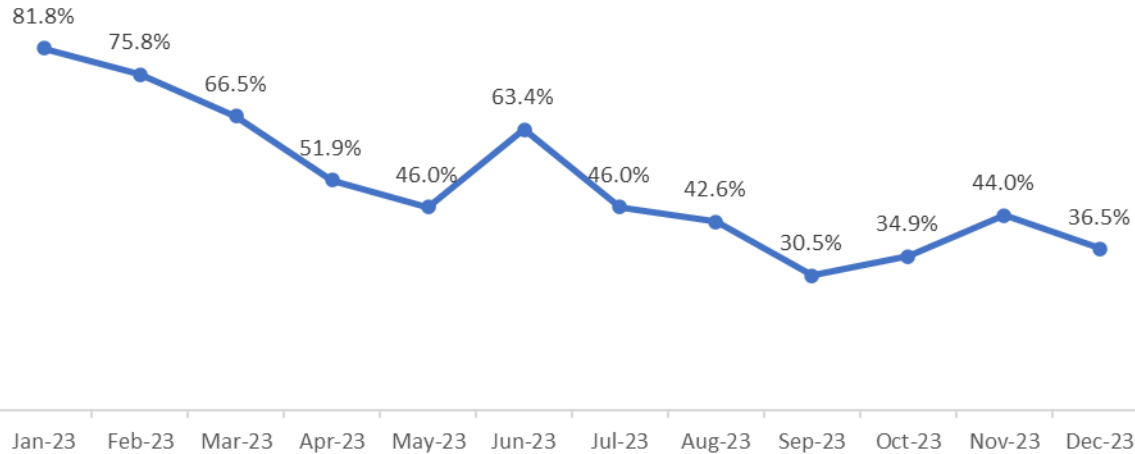


Table below compares January '20 (pre COVID) to January '24 (1st to 15th)

Measure	Jan-20	Jan-24	Change +/-
Total G&A core bed stock open*	1,003	1,026	+26 / +2%
Total G&A escalation beds open	35	110	+75 / +215%
Total Beds Open	1,038	1,136	+98 / +9%
Of total G&A beds open, number occupied	1,009	1,081	+72 / +7%

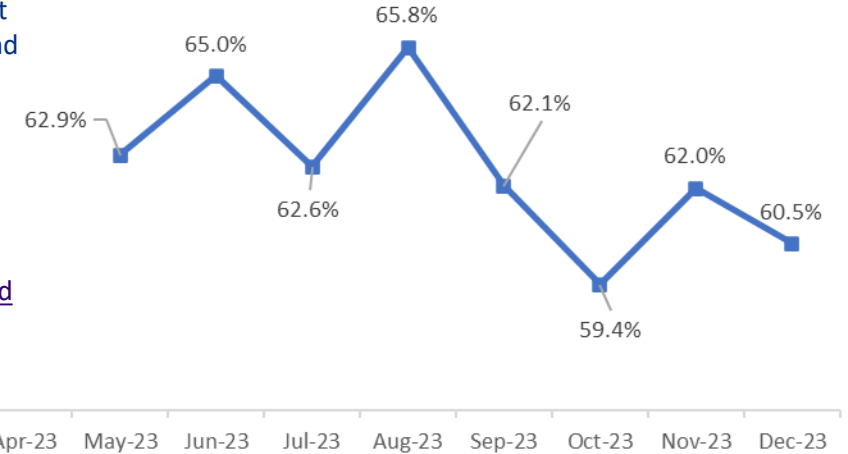
* Excludes core beds closed due to Infection Prevention Control (IPC) measures.

Percentage of patients arriving by ambulance handed over within 15 minutes



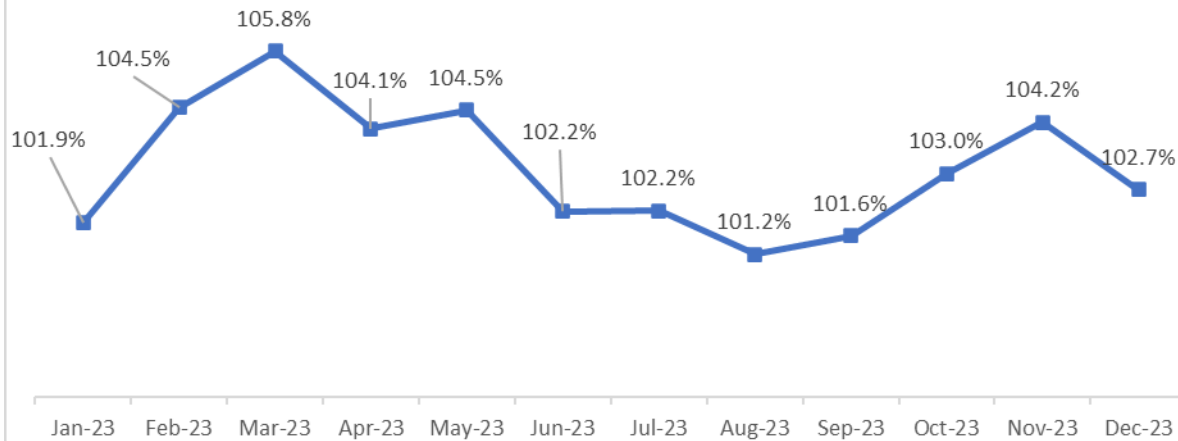
Trust 4 Hour Performance

Prior to May-23, the Trust was part of the Urgent and Emergency Care Clinical Review of Standards. As such, the Trust was not subject to the four-hour standard.



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DIST - Trust Bed Occupancy - G&A Core Bed Stock (Excludes Escalation)



Period	Percentage of patients arriving by ambulance handed over within 15 minutes	Trust 4 Hour Performance	DIST - Trust Bed Occupancy (G&A Core Bed Stock)
Jan-23	81.8%		101.9%
Feb-23	75.8%		104.5%
Mar-23	66.5%		105.8%
Apr-23	51.9%		104.1%
May-23	46.0%	62.9%	104.5%
Jun-23	63.4%	65.0%	102.2%
Jul-23	46.0%	62.6%	102.2%
Aug-23	42.6%	65.8%	101.2%
Sep-23	30.5%	62.1%	101.6%
Oct-23	34.9%	59.4%	103.0%
Nov-23	44.0%	62.0%	104.2%
Dec-23	36.5%	60.5%	102.7%

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