

Using linked ieMR data to support operational and clinical decisions

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Outline

1. Operational Decision Support: Patient flow @ Logan Hospital

- Ambulance-ED interface - Linked QAS, EDC and QHAPDC data from Statistical Services Branch
- Patient journey through the ED
- The effect of inpatient occupancy
- Inpatient bed configuration
- Discharge timing

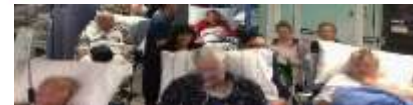
ieMR data from Metro South Clinical Informatics

25 Biggest hospitals
6 years

- QH
- QAS
- UQ
- CSIRO

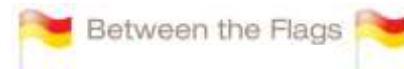


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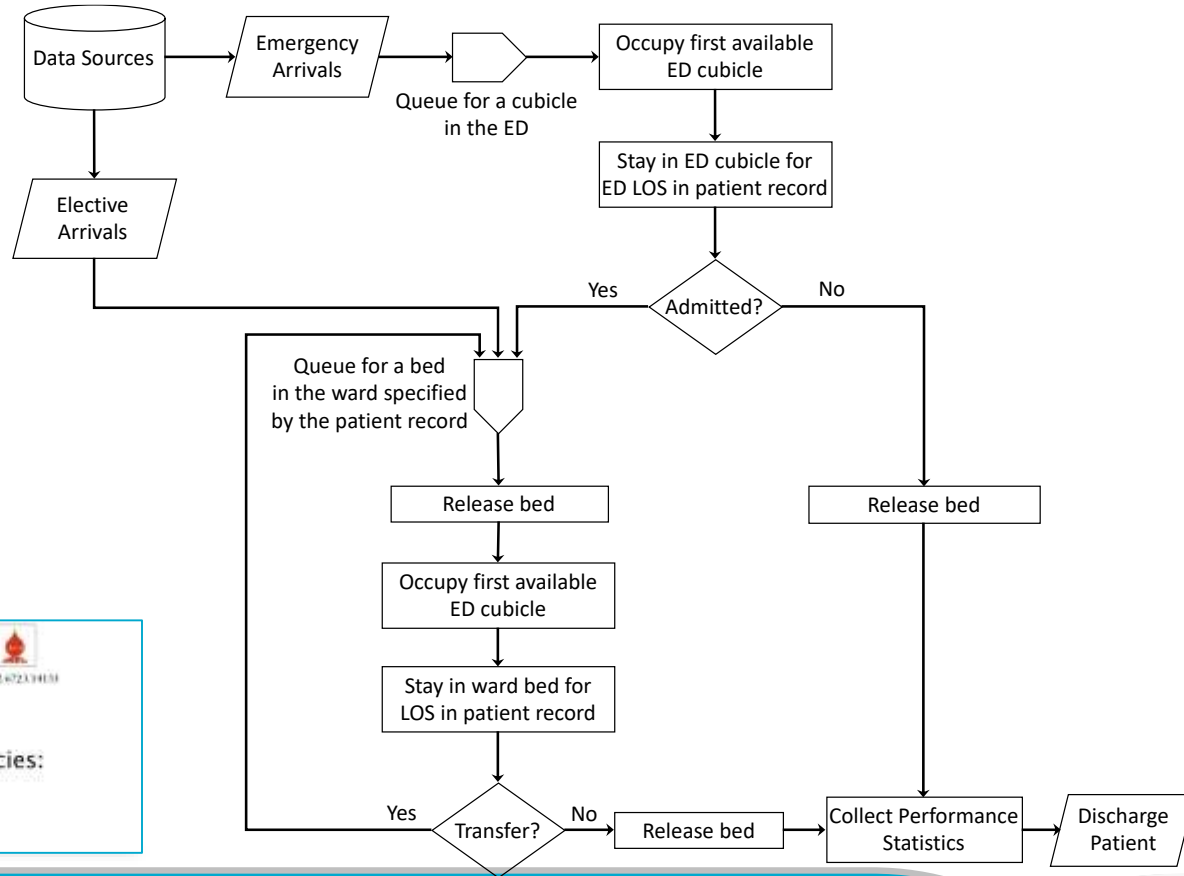
2. Clinical decision support: Predicting Patient Deterioration

- Predicting the “Between The Flags” clinical deterioration criteria
- ieMR data from Metro South Clinical Informatics



Bed Configurations

- Simulation modelling for bed allocation strategies and ward capacities

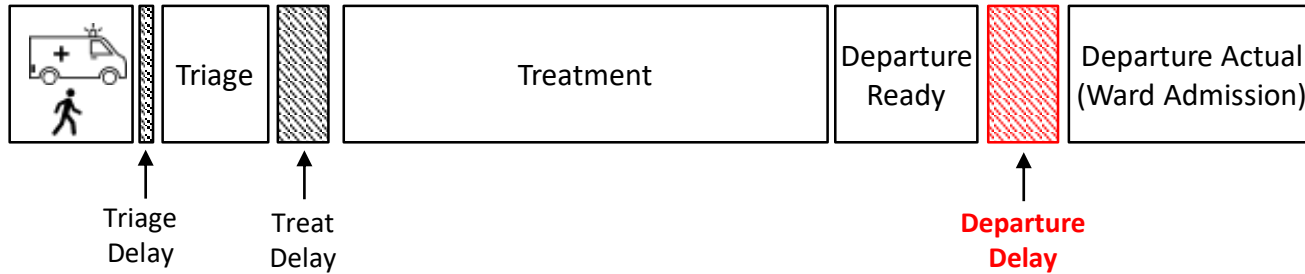


Bed Configurations

- Performance Measures:
 - NEAT (4hr ED LOS compliance)
 - Average and Total ED LOS
 - Average waiting time in ED
 - Bed utilisation = $\frac{\text{Actual Bed Days}}{\text{Available Bed Days}}$

Focus


- ED Timeline for admitted patients



Baseline vs Zero Departure Delays

- ED-related performance measures
- How removing the recorded departure delays in the data affects the simulation:

	Baseline Departure Delay	Zero Departure Delay
NEAT	68.98%	69.49%
Total ED LOS	9323 days and 11h:19m	7340 days and 13h:18m
Average ED LOS	04h:45m	03h:44m
Average Waiting Time	1 Hour	0



Baseline vs Clustering Wards

SCENARIO	Beds	Bed Utilisation	NEAT	Avg EDLOS	Total EDLOS (minutes)	Avg Waiting Time (minutes)
BASELINE	427	80%	69%	285 mins	9323 days	60 mins
Achieving baseline Performance with cluster-level capacity Management	411	82%	69%	264 mins	8640 days	40 mins

Cluster ID	Cluster Name	Wards
1	Medical	3A, 3B, 3C, AMU, MAPU, 3CCARD
2	Surgical	2H, 2I, SURGSS
3	Mental Health	2B, 2C, 2J, 2K, 2L, 2A
4	(Adult) ED Short Stay	EDSSW, EDCDU
5	Children	CIU, EDSSC

Medical Cluster



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Ward	Beds	Actual Bed Days	Available Bed Days	Bed Utilisation	# ED2IP Encounters	# Discharged <= 4hr	NEAT
3A	30	913.6	930	98.24%	98	2	2.04%
3B	30	772.38	930	83.05%	101	9	8.91%
3C	16	483.54	496	97.49%	46	3	6.52%
3CCARD	5	91.11	155	58.78%	7	3	42.86%
AMU	8	254.93	248	102.79%	26	1	3.85%
MAPU	16	380.84	496	76.78%	101	20	19.80%
TOTAL	105	2896.4	3255	88.98%	379	38	10.03%
Cluster 1	100	2893.99	3100	93.35%	379	39	10.29%

Surgical Cluster



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2H	30	820.69	930	88.25%	33	10	30.30%
2I	12	337.52	372	90.73%	23	8	34.78%
SURGSS	14	341.69	434	78.73%	19	2	10.53%
TOTAL	56	1499.9	1736	86.40%	75	20	26.67%
Cluster 2	54	1499.33	1674	89.57%	75	20	26.67%

Mental Health Cluster



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Ward	Beds	Actual Bed Days	Available Bed Days	Bed Utilisation	# ED2IP Encounters	# Discharged <= 4hr	NEAT
2A	10	134.89	310	43.51%	6	4	66.67%
2B	20	666.55	620	107.51%	19	0	0.00%
2C	19	512.15	589	86.95%	22	0	0.00%
2J	11	219.29	341	64.31%	6	1	16.67%
2K	10	266.09	310	85.83%	13	2	15.38%
2L	5	101.58	155	65.54%	4	0	0.00%
TOTAL	75	1900.55	2325	81.74%	70	7	10.00%
Cluster 3	66	1761.95	2046	86.12%	70	7	10.00%

ED Short Stay Wards



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EDSSW	20	442.22	620	71.33%	1352	928	68.64%
EDCDU	20	391.36	620	63.12%	1250	1229	98.32%
TOTAL	40	833.58	1240	67.22%	2602	2157	82.89%
Cluster 4	39	808.64	1209	66.88%	2602	2157	82.89%

Childrens Cluster

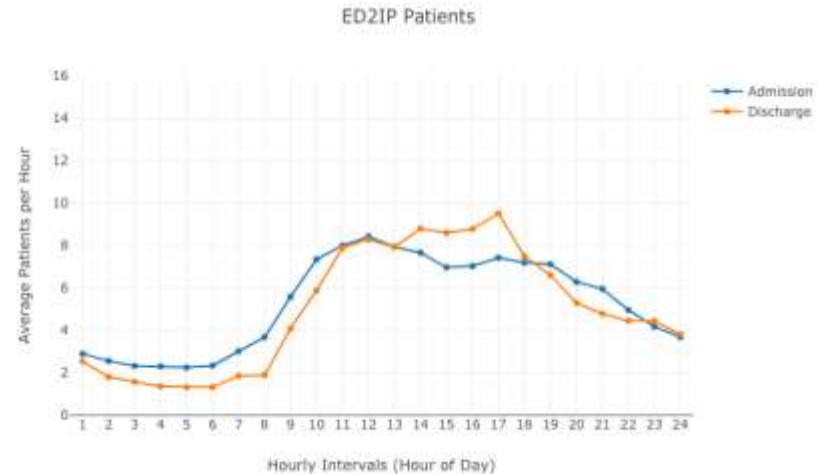
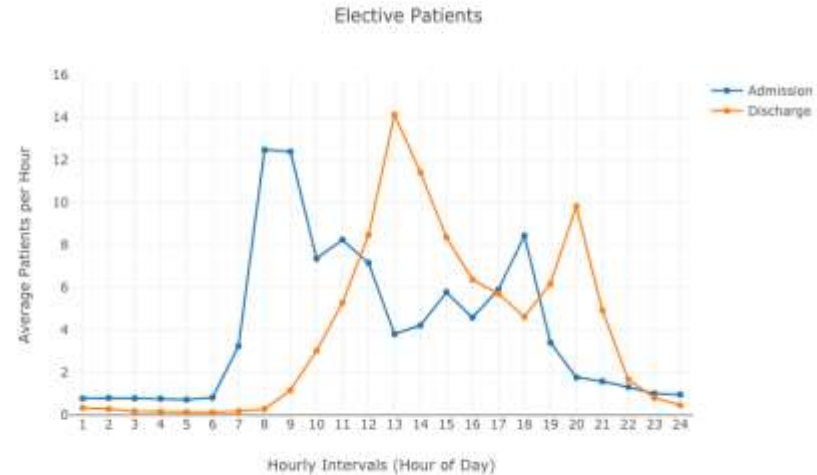
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CIU	20	368.85	620	59.49%	95	52	54.74%
EDSSC	8	111.6	248	45.00%	521	473	90.79%
TOTAL	28	480.45	868	55.35%	616	525	85.23%
Cluster 5	25	482.33	775	62.24%	616	525	85.23%

Early Discharging

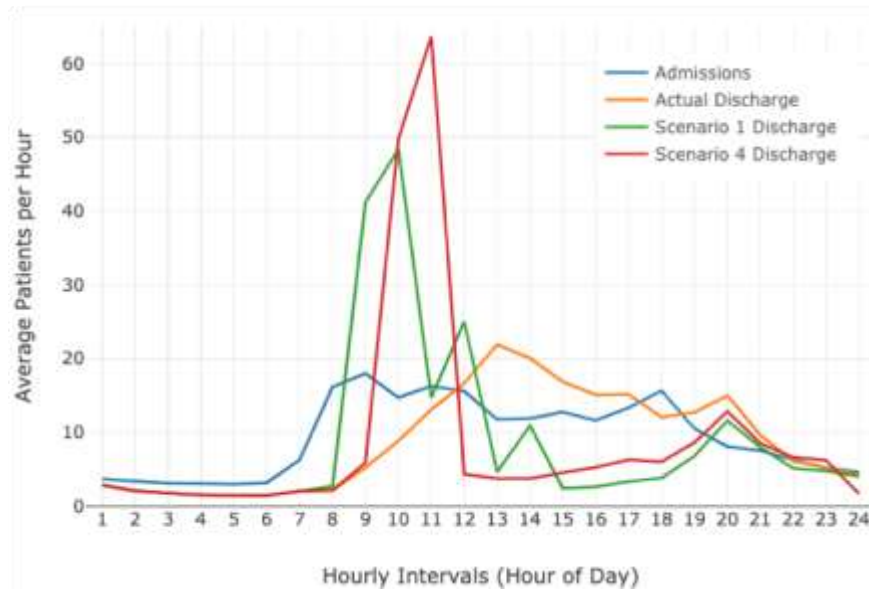
- Quantifying the impact of inpatient discharge timing
- Flow parameters:
 - Ø NEAT
 - Ø Average and Total ED LOS
 - Ø Average waiting time
 - Ø Bed utilisation = $\frac{\text{Actual Bed Days}}{\text{Available Bed Days}}$



Early Discharging Scenarios

- Seven discharge scenarios investigated

Scenario	Discharge Target
Scenario 1	50% by 10am, 80% by 12pm, 100% by 2pm
Scenario 2	35% by 11am, 70% by 2pm, 100% by 5pm
Scenario 3	50% by 11am, 70% by 2pm, 100% by 5pm
Scenario 4	80% by 11am
Scenario 5	40% by 10am, 70% by 2pm, 90% by 5pm, 100% by 10pm
Scenario 6	Discharge all patients 1 hour earlier
Scenario 7	Discharge all patients 2 hours earlier



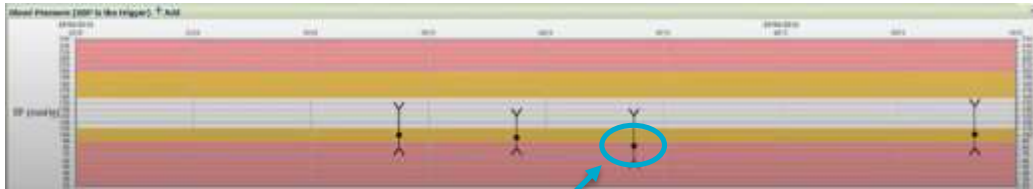
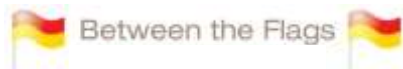
Results

	NEAT	Average EDLOS (minutes)	Average Waiting Time (minutes)	Bed Utilisation
BASELINE	69.0%	285	60	80%
SCENARIO 1 (50% BY 10AM, 80% BY 12PM, 100% BY 2PM)	69.3% (0.4%)	239 (-16%)	15 (-75%)	75% (-6%)
SCENARIO 2 (35% BY 11AM, 70% BY 2PM, 100% BY 5PM)	69.2% (0.4%)	251 (-12%)	27 (-55%)	77% (-4%)
SCENARIO 3 (50% BY 11AM, 70% BY 2PM, 100% BY 5PM)	69.3% (0.4%)	244 (-14%)	20 (-67%)	76% (-5%)
SCENARIO 4 (80% AT 11AM)	69.2% (0.4%)	241 (-15%)	17 (-72%)	75% (-6%)
SCENARIO 5 (40% BY 10AM, 70% BY 2PM, 90% BY 5PM, 100% BY 10PM)	69.3% (0.4%)	243 (-14%)	19 (-68%)	76% (-5%)
SCENARIO 6 (1 HOUR EARLIER)	69.2% (0.3%)	257 (-10%)	32 (-47%)	78% (-2%)
SCENARIO 7 (2 HOURS EARLIER)	69.3% (0.4%)	250 (-12%)	25 (-58%)	76% (-5%)



Clinical decision support: Predicting Patient Deterioration

- Predicting risk of Between The Flag (BTF) alert 2-8 hours before alert



Data Source

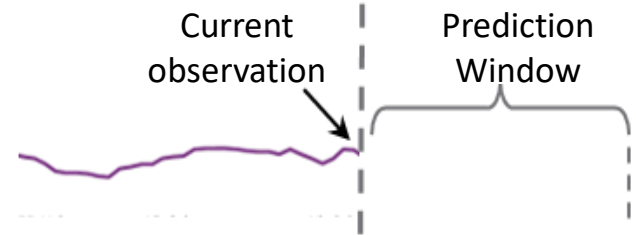
- ieMR data from the PA Hospital Informatics
 - Encounters, Vital Signs, Deteriorating Alerts, etc.
- Inpatients, adults, acute care, in hospital for more than 24 hours
- Challenges
 - Big data (more than 10M rows in the vital signs table and more than 70M rows in the deterioration alerts table)
 - Considering as many risk factors as possible
 - Keeping the real-time aspect
 - Preparing ground truths (response variables)

ieMR data from Metro South Clinical

180	CM_CCL_Deteriorating_Alerts.csv
3.9M	CM_CCL_Deteriorating_RRT_Orders.csv
2.80	CM_CCL_EncounterExtract.csv
3.70	CM_CCL_Encounter_Location_Extract.csv
150M	CM_CCL_FN_EDRealTime_Extract.csv
539M	CM_CCL_FN_Extract.csv
826M	CM_MRR_ADL_Assessment.csv
609M	CM_MRR_Alerts_Problems.csv
235M	CM_MRR_Allergy.csv
37M	CM_MRR_Allergy_Reaction.csv
41M	CM_MRR_Anaesthesia.csv
1.30	CM_MRR_Anaesthesia_Action_Detail.csv
526M	CM_MRR_Anaesthesia_Actions.csv
430	CM_MRR_Anaesthesia_Parameter_Values.csv
19M	CM_MRR_Blood_Transfusion_Information.csv
928M	CM_MRR_Consult_Orders.csv
281M	CM_MRR_Diagnosis.csv
129M	CM_MRR_Falls_Assessment.csv
19M	CM_MRR_IV_Immunoglobulins.csv
308M	CM_MRR_Measurements.csv
370	CM_MRR_Med_Orders.csv
3.40	CM_MRR_Pain_Assessment.csv
3.70	CM_MRR_Path_Orders.csv
2.30	CM_MRR_PrePostop_Assessment.csv
571M	CM_MRR_Rad_Orders.csv
774M	CM_MRR_Radnet_Orders.csv
115M	CM_MRR_SN_Cases.csv
108M	CM_MRR_SN_Procedures.csv
1.00	CM_MRR_Surgical_Safety_Checklist.csv
3.90	CM_MRR_Vital_Signs.csv
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6.8M	RRTDataNew.csv

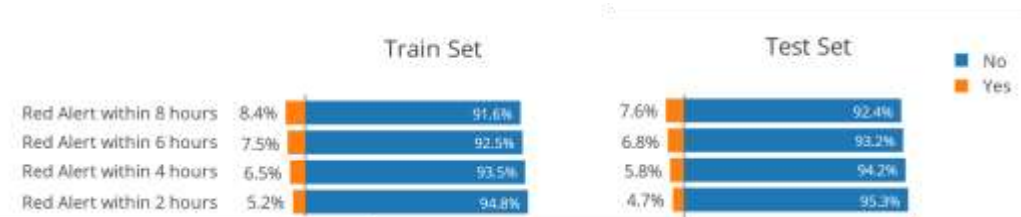
Risk Factors Identification

- Real-time availability of data for modelling
- Selected Vital Signs:
 - Systolic & Diastolic BP, Mean arterial pressure, Heart Rate, Temperature, Respiratory Rate, Oxygen Saturation (SpO2), O2 flow rate, and AVPU
- Looking back past 24 hours
 - Min, Max, Mean, Median, Standard Deviation, and Frequency
 - Last (most recent) valid value
 - Slope: between the two most recent observations
 - Interval in between the last two observations
 - Number of currently measured vital signs
 - Number of overall observations (past 24hr)
 - LOS since admission (in minutes)
 - Demographic/admin information: gender, age, admission mode



Training/Validation Periods

- Training period:
 - Jan 2016 to Dec 2018
- Validation period:
 - Jan 2019 to September 2019
- Number of observations:
 - Training period: 2,418,646
 - Testing Period: 598,757



Results

- Performance Measures:
 - Area Under the Curve of the Receiver Operating Characteristic (AUC-ROC), Precision, Recall, F1-Measure, Area Under the Curve of the Precision and Recall (AUC-PR)

Model	AUC-ROC	Precision	Recall	F1	AUC-PR
RF 2hr	0.90	0.72	0.59	0.64	0.63
4hr	0.87	0.70	0.50	0.58	0.58
6hr	0.85	0.70	0.44	0.54	0.55
8hr	0.84	0.71	0.41	0.52	0.54



<https://www.nature.com/articles/s41598-022-15877-1>

Future Plan

- Model improvements
 - Include other risk factors: pathology results, medications, procedures, wards movements
 - Overarching patient representation (embedding)
 - Including QADDS as response variable
- Proof of concept trial
 - Feasibility study with ICU clinicians
 - Implementation plan covering trial design, training, support and evaluation currently being drafted for ethics



Key messages

- Share beds across wards in clusters
- Time-based early discharge reduced ED LOS and patient wait time
- Early detection of clinical deterioration as a clinical decision support tool helps improving care delivery

Thank You

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