Summary of results for people admitted to hospital with stroke

Stroke care providers

95,222
stroke admissions

250
hospitals

195
community services

184
6 month follow-up providers

Arrival at hospital

4h00m
median time from onset to arrival at first hospital

3h55m 2022/23

Acute interventions

11.6%
of all stroke patients received thrombolysis

10.7% 2022/23

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3.9%
of all stroke patients received a thrombectomy

3.1% 2022/23

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24.9%
of eligible patients received hyperacute intervention for intracerebral haemorrhage within 1 hour of hospital arrival

22.8% 2022/23

6 month follow-up

38.8%
of applicable patients received a 6 month follow-up

38.7% 2022/23

Hyperacute assessment

26.5%
of patients received brain imaging within 20 minutes of hospital arrival

24.9% 2022/23

22.5%
of patients were assessed by a stroke specialist consultant within 1 hour of hospital arrival

19.3% 2022/23

Specialist pathway

46.7%
of patients were directly admitted to a stroke unit within 4 hours of hospital arrival

40.2% 2022/23

75.9%
of patients spent at least 90% of their hospital stay on a specialist stroke unit

72.8% 2022/23

63.4%
of patients were discharged to a stroke/neurology specific community rehabilitation service

61.1% 2022/23

22.9%
of patients were discharged to a stroke/neurology specific combined ESD-CRT service

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Hyperacute intervention for intracerebral haemorrhage: for patients on anticoagulants eligible for reversal, given reversal agents within 1hr of arrival OR for patients with elevated systolic blood pressure (>150mmHg) on admission, given anti-hypertensives within 1hr of arrival.

Discharge to a combined ESD-CRT service can only be measured for the 2023/24 year and so there is no comparative data for 2022/23.
*From 2024/25, a new metric for the proportion of patients assessed by a **stroke-skilled clinician** within 1hr of arrival will be reported. In this report, the proportion of patients assessed by a **stroke specialist consultant** within 1hr of arrival has been used.*
***Key:** green icons show improvement against previous year, orange no change, and red worsening. Technical guidance on metrics available here.*