

Individual trauma service summaries

Gosford Hospital

Table 24. Admissions and deaths for 2004
– Gosford Hospital

	Count	% of total
Total admissions	112	
Survived	104	93%
Died	8	7%
Direct admission	112	100%
Transfer in admission	0	0%
Monthly average	9	

Table 25. Admissions by age range for 2004
– Gosford Hospital

Age range	Count	% of total
0-14	6	5%
15-24	18	16%
25-34	17	15%
35-44	10	9%
45-54	8	7%
55-64	16	14%
65-74	10	9%
75-84	19	17%
85-94	6	5%
95 and older	2	2%

Table 26. Admissions by gender for 2004
– Gosford Hospital

Gender	Count	% of total
Female	40	36%
Male	72	64%

Figure 96. Trauma admissions to Gosford Hospital for 2004 by age and gender

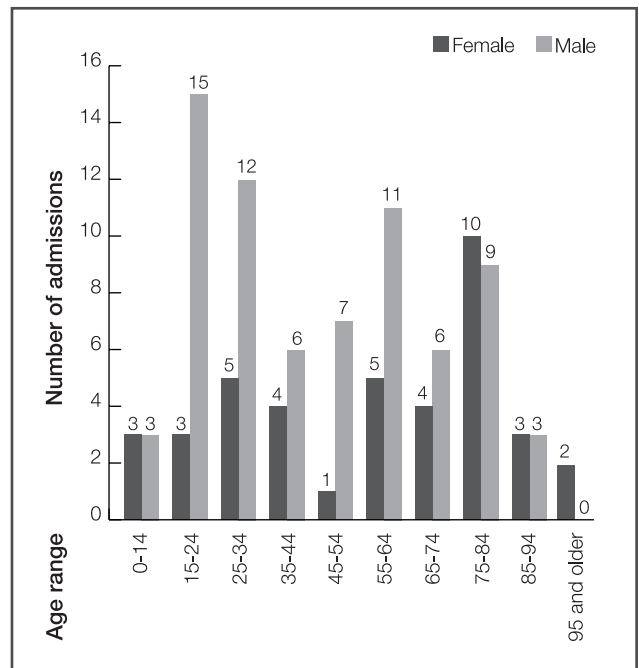


Table 27. Trauma admissions to Gosford Hospital for 2004 by mechanism of injury

Mechanism	Count	% of total
Assault	6	5%
Burns	7	6%
Fall <1m	28	25%
Fall >5m	3	3%
Fall 1-5m	14	12%
Industrial	1	< 1%
MBA rider	12	11%
MBA back passenger	1	< 1%
MVA driver	13	12%
MVA front passenger	5	4%
Other	4	4%
Pedestrian	14	12%
Recreation	2	2%
Sport	1	< 1%
Stabbing	1	< 1%

Table 28. Trauma admissions to Gosford Hospital for 2004 by arrival mode

Arrival mode	Count	% of total
Ambulance	93	83%
Helicopter	2	2%
Private vehicle	17	15%

Table 29. Trauma admissions at Gosford Hospital for 2004 by ICU admission

Admission to ICU	Number of admissions	% of total
Yes	37	33%
No	75	67%

Table 30. ICU average length of stay (LOS) at Gosford Hospital for 2004

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
3.30 days	3.36 days	1 day

Table 31. Hospital average LOS at Gosford Hospital for 2004

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
5.92 days	6.24 days	1.75 days

Table 32. Transfer in admissions to Gosford Hospital for 2004

Transferring hospital	Number of transfers
No transfer in admissions to Gosford Hospital were reported for 2004.	

John Hunter Hospital/ John Hunter Children's Hospital

**Table 33. Admissions and deaths for 2004 –
John Hunter Hospital/
John Hunter Children's Hospital**

	Count	% of total
Total admissions	402	
Survived	362	90%
Died	40	10%
Direct admission	308	77%
Transfer in admission	94	23%
Monthly average	33	

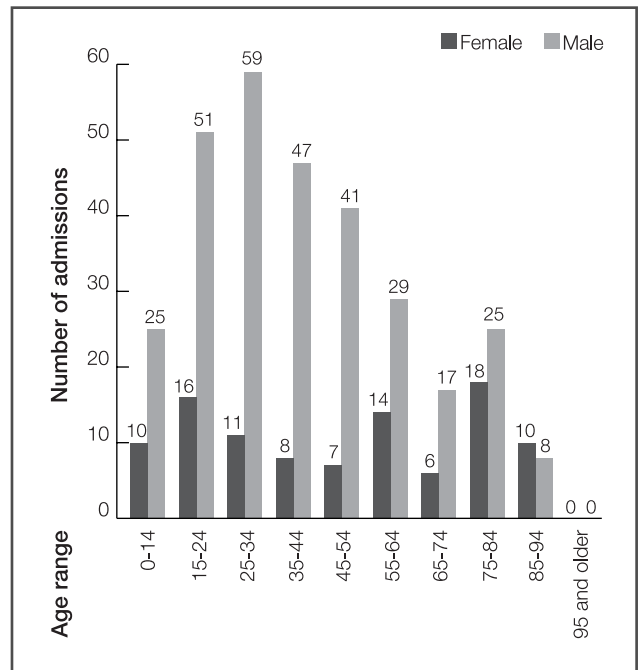
**Table 34. Admissions by age range for 2004 –
John Hunter Hospital/
John Hunter Children's Hospital**

Age range	Count	% of total
0-14	35	9%
15-24	67	17%
25-34	70	17%
35-44	55	14%
45-54	48	12%
55-64	43	11%
65-74	23	6%
75-84	43	10%
85-94	18	4%
95 and older	0	0%

**Table 35. Admissions by gender for 2004 –
John Hunter Hospital/
John Hunter Children's Hospital**

Gender	Count	% of total
Female	100	25%
Male	302	75%

**Figure 97. Trauma admissions to
John Hunter Hospital/
John Hunter Children's Hospital
for 2004 by age and gender**



**Figure 98. Paediatric trauma admissions to
John Hunter Children's Hospital
for 2004 by age and gender**

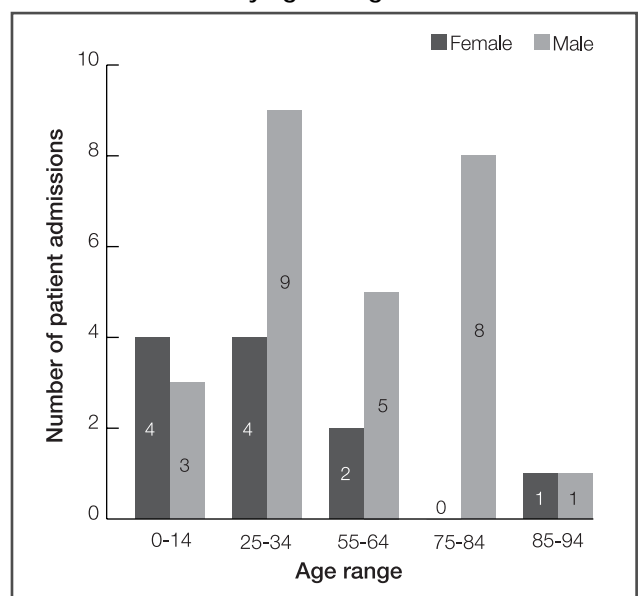


Table 36. Trauma admissions for 2004 to John Hunter Hospital/ John Hunter Children's Hospital by mechanism of injury

Mechanism	Count	% of total
Assault	32	8%
Burns	13	3%
Fall <1m	65	16%
Fall >5m	19	5%
Fall 1-5m	30	7%
Horse	9	2%
Industrial	3	<1%
MBA rider	44	11%
MVA back passenger	10	2%
MVA driver	76	19%
MVA front passenger	28	7%
Other	20	5%
Pedal cyclist	13	3%
Pedestrian	24	6%
Shooting	3	<1%
Stabbing	12	3%
Sport	1	<1%

Table 37. Trauma admissions for 2004 to John Hunter Hospital/ John Hunter Children's Hospital by arrival mode

Arrival mode	Count	% of total
Ambulance	258	65%
Helicopter	121	30%
Private vehicle	13	3%
Fixed wing	5	1%
NETS	1	< 1%
Other	1	< 1%

Table 38. Trauma admissions for 2004 to John Hunter Hospital/ John Hunter Children's Hospital by ICU admission

Admission to ICU	Number of admissions	% of total
Yes	107	27%
No	295	73%

Table 39. ICU average length of stay (LOS) for 2004 at John Hunter Hospital/ John Hunter Children's Hospital

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
5.76 days	5.96 days	4.71 days

Table 40. Hospital average LOS for 2004 at John Hunter Hospital/ John Hunter Children's Hospital

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
11.15 days	11.78 days	5.53 days

**Table 41. Transfer in admissions for 2004
to John Hunter Hospital/
John Hunter Children's Hospital**

Transferring hospital	Number of transfers
Armidale and New England Hospital	1
Belmont District Hospital	7
Cessnock District Hospital	4
Coffs Harbour and District Hospital	6
Gosford Hospital	1
Interstate Hospital	1
Inverell District Hospital	1
Kempsey District Hospital	4
Kurri Kurri District Hospital	2
Maitland Hospital	12
Manning River Base Hospital (Taree)	13
Merriwa District Hospital	1
Muswellbrook District Hospital	7
Newcastle Mater Misericordiae Hospital	5
Orange Base Hospital	1
Port Macquarie Base Hospital	14
Repatriation General Hospital (Concord)	1
Singleton District Hospital	2
Tamworth Base Hospital	9
Wagga Wagga Base Hospital	1
Wyong Hospital	2

Liverpool Hospital

**Table 42. Admissions and deaths for 2004
- Liverpool Hospital**

	Count	% of total
Total admissions	265	
Survived	233	88%
Died	32	12%
Direct admission	204	77%
Transfer in admission	61	23%
Monthly average	22	

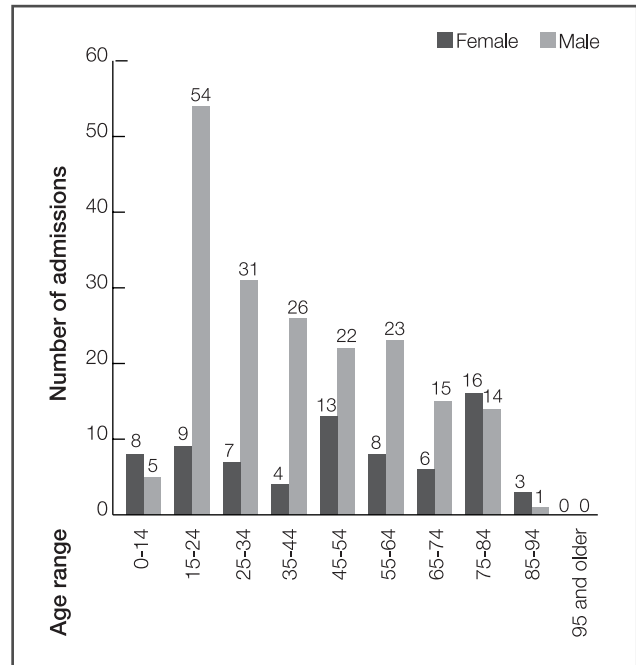
**Table 43. Admissions by age range for 2004
- Liverpool Hospital**

Age range	Count	% of total
0-14	13	5%
15-24	63	24%
25-34	38	14%
35-44	30	11%
45-54	35	13%
55-64	31	12%
65-74	21	8%
75-84	30	11%
85-94	4	1%
95 and older	0	0%

**Table 44. Admissions by gender for 2004
- Liverpool Hospital**

Gender	Count	% of total
Female	74	28%
Male	191	72%

**Figure 99. Trauma admissions to Liverpool Hospital
for 2004 by age and gender**



**Table 45. Trauma admissions to Liverpool Hospital
for 2004 by mechanism of injury**

Mechanism	Count	% of total
Assault	19	7%
Burns	5	2%
Fall <1m	42	16%
Fall >5m	7	3%
Fall 1-5m	24	9%
Horse	1	< 1%
Industrial	9	3%
MBA rider	32	12%
MVA back passenger	7	3%
MVA driver	41	15%
MVA front passenger	21	8%
Other	4	2%
Pedal cyclist	10	4%
Pedestrian	25	9%
Recreation	7	3%
Shooting	3	1%
Sport	2	< 1%
Stabbing	6	2%

Table 46. Trauma admissions to Liverpool Hospital for 2004 by arrival mode

Arrival mode	Count	% of total
Ambulance	187	86%
Helicopter	32	8%
Private vehicle	18	3%
Fixed wing	1	< 1%
Other	3	2%

Table 47. Trauma admissions to Liverpool Hospital for 2004 by ICU admission

Admission to ICU	Number of admissions	% of total
Yes	116	44%
No	149	56%

Table 48. ICU Average length of stay (LOS) for 2004 at Liverpool Hospital

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
8.59 days	9.27 days	4.94 days

Table 49. Hospital average LOS for 2004 at Liverpool Hospital

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
15.67 days	16.88 days	6.84 days

Table 50. Transfer in admissions for 2004 to Liverpool Hospital

Transferring hospital	Number of transfers
Armidale and New England Hospital	2
Bankstown-Lidcombe Hospital	6
Bowral and District Hospital	17
Camden Hospital	3
Campbelltown Hospital	16
Fairfield Hospital	7
Goulburn Base Hospital	1
Nepean Hospital	1
Port Macquarie Hospital	1
Shoalhaven District Memorial Hospital	1
St George Hospital	1
Tamworth Base Hospital	1
Westmead Hospital	1
Wollongong Hospital	1

Nepean Hospital

**Table 51. Admissions and deaths for 2004
- Nepean Hospital**

	Count	% of total
Total admissions	146	
Survived	133	91%
Died	13	9%
Direct admission	121	83%
Transfer in admission	25	17%
Monthly average	12	

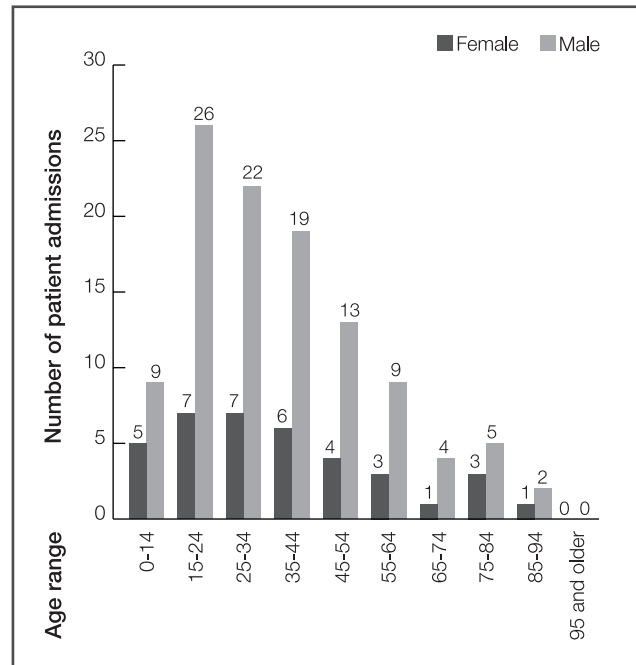
**Table 52. Admissions by age range for 2004
- Nepean Hospital**

Age range	Count	% of total
0-14	14	10%
15-24	33	23%
25-34	29	20%
35-44	25	17%
45-54	17	12%
55-64	12	8%
65-74	5	3%
75-84	8	5%
85-94	3	2%
95 and older	0	0%

**Table 53. Admissions by gender for 2004
- Nepean Hospital**

Gender	Count	% of total
Female	37	25%
Male	109	75%

**Figure 100. Trauma admissions to Nepean Hospital
for 2004 by age and gender**



**Table 54. Trauma admissions to Nepean Hospital
for 2004 by mechanism of injury**

Mechanism	Count	% of total
Assault	10	7%
Fall <1m	2	1%
Fall >5m	3	2%
Fall 1-5m	23	16%
Horse	2	1%
Industrial	3	2%
MBA pillion	2	1%
MBA rider	21	14%
MVA back passenger	3	2%
MVA driver	34	23%
MVA front passenger	15	10%
MVA passenger unknown	1	< 1%
Pedal cyclist	9	6%
Recreation	1	< 1%
Shooting	1	< 1%
Stabbing	2	1%
Train	1	< 1%

Table 55. Trauma admissions to Nepean Hospital for 2004 by arrival mode

Arrival mode	Count	% of total
Ambulance	125	86%
Helicopter	12	8%
Private vehicle	4	3%
Other	3	2%
Fixed Wing	1	1%

Table 56. Trauma admissions to Nepean Hospital for 2004 by ICU admission

Admission to ICU	Number of admissions	% of total
Yes	80	55%
No	66	45%

Table 57. ICU average length of stay (LOS) for 2004 at Nepean Hospital

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
6.79 days	6.44 days	9.56 days

Table 58. Hospital average LOS at Nepean Hospital for 2004

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
18.07 days	19.11 days	7.38 days

Table 57. Transfer in admissions to Nepean Hospital for 2004

Transferring hospital	Number of transfers
Bathurst Base Hospital	1
Blue Mountains District Anzac Memorial Hospital	11
Bowral and District Hospital	1
Forbes District Hospital	1
Hawkesbury District Health Service Private Hospital	4
Lithgow District Hospital	2
Mudgee Hospital	2
Orange Base Hospital	1
Overseas Hospital	1
Rylstone District Hospital	1

Prince of Wales Hospital

**Table 60. Admissions and deaths for 2004
– Prince of Wales Hospital**

	Count	% of total
Total admissions	114	
Survived	97	85%
Died	17	15%
Direct admission	69	61%
Transfer in admission	45	39%
Monthly average	9	

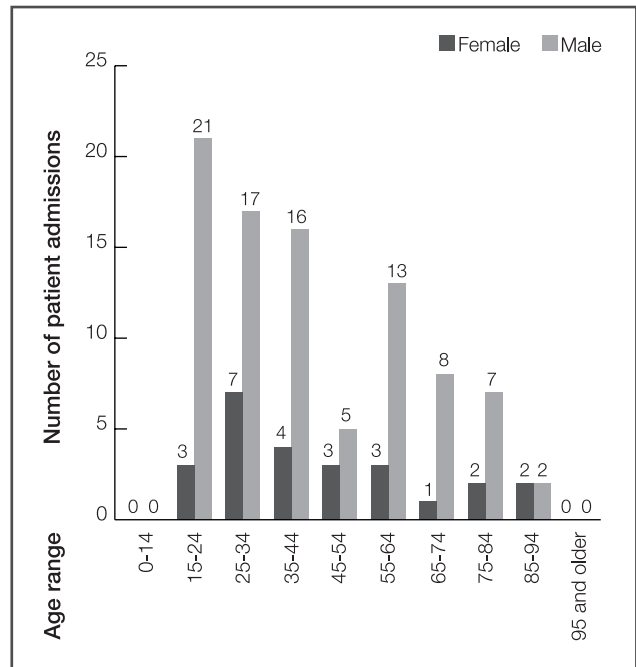
**Table 61. Admissions by age range for 2004
– Prince of Wales Hospital**

Age range	Count	% of total
15-24	24	21%
25-34	24	21%
35-44	20	18%
45-54	8	7%
55-64	16	14%
65-74	9	8%
75-84	9	8%
85-94	4	4%
95 and older	0	0%

**Table 62. Admissions by gender for 2004
– Prince of Wales Hospital**

Gender	Count	% of total
Female	25	22%
Male	89	78%

**Figure 101. Trauma admissions to Prince of Wales
Hospital for 2004 by age and gender**



**Table 63. Trauma admissions to Prince of Wales
Hospital for 2004 by mechanism of injury**

Mechanism	Count	% of total
Assault	6	5%
Burns	4	4%
Fall <1m	9	8%
Fall >5m	9	8%
Fall 1-5m	24	21%
Industrial	1	< 1%
MBA pillion	1	< 1%
MBA rider	11	10%
MVA back passenger	1	< 1%
MVA driver	14	12%
MVA front passenger	2	2%
MVA passenger unknown	1	< 1%
Other	6	5%
Pedal cyclist	2	2%
Pedestrian	9	8%
Recreation	3	3%
Shooting	2	2%
Stabbing	3	3%
Sport	4	4%

Table 64. Trauma admissions to Prince of Wales Hospital for 2004 by arrival mode

Arrival mode	Count	% of total
Ambulance	79	70%
Helicopter	24	21%
Fixed wing	9	8%
Other	1	< 1%

Table 65. Trauma admissions to Prince of Wales Hospital for 2004 by ICU admission

Admission to ICU	Number of admissions	% of total
Yes	56	49%
No	58	51%

Table 66. ICU average length of stay (LOS) for 2004 at Prince of Wales Hospital

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
9.14 days	9.3 days	8.62 days

Table 67. Hospital LOS for 2004 at Prince of Wales Hospital

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
20.22 days	21.48 days	13 days

Table 68. Transfer In admissions to Prince of Wales Hospital for 2004

Transferring hospital	Number of transfers
Bateman's Bay Hospital	1
Bowral and District Hospital	1
Coffs Harbour and District Hospital	2
Dubbo Base Hospital	1
Forbes Hospital	1
Gosford Hospital	5
Goulburn Base Hospital	1
Grenfell Multi-purpose Centre	1
John Hunter Hospital/ John Hunter Children's Hospital	1
Lismore Base Hospital	1
Liverpool Hospital	7
Manning River Base Hospital (Taree)	1
Milton-Ulladulla Hospital	1
Mona Vale District Hospital	1
Nepean Hospital	1
Shellharbour Hospital	1
Shoalhaven District Memorial Hospital	1
St George Hospital	3
St Vincent's Hospital	1
Sutherland Hospital	1
Sydney-Sydney Eye Hospital	1
Tamworth Base Hospital	1
Wagga Wagga Base Hospital	1
Westmead Hospital	1
Wollongong Hospital	8

Royal North Shore Hospital

**Table 69. Admissions and deaths for 2004
– Royal North Shore Hospital**

	Count	% of total
Total admissions	309	
Survived	260	84%
Died	49	16%
Direct admission	169	55%
Transfer in admission	140	45%
Monthly average	26	

**Table 70. Admissions by age range for 2004
– Royal North Shore Hospital**

Age range	Count	% of total
0-14	13	4%
15-24	58	19%
25-34	47	15%
35-44	35	11%
45-54	35	11%
55-64	30	10%
65-74	22	7%
75-84	46	15%
85-94	20	6%
95 and older	3	< 1%

**Table 71. Admissions by gender for 2004
– Royal North Shore Hospital**

Gender	Count	% of total
Female	106	34%
Male	203	66%

Figure 102. Trauma admissions to Royal North Shore Hospital for 2004 by age and gender

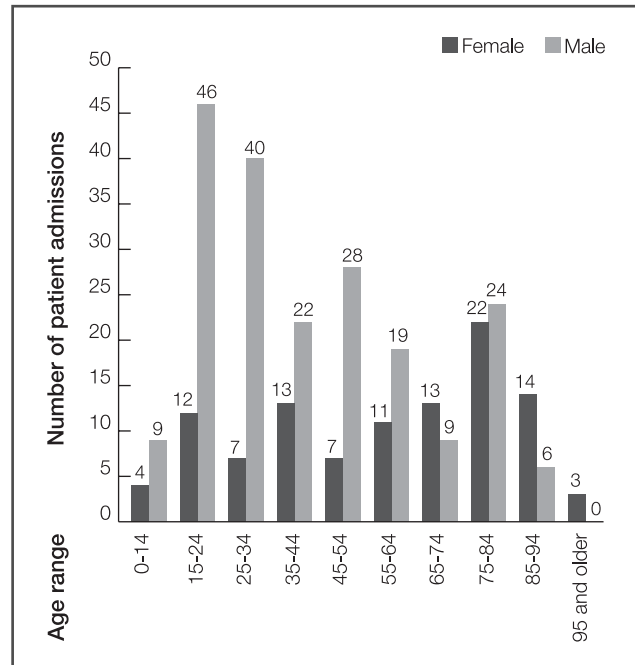


Table 72. Trauma admissions to Royal North Shore Hospital for 2004 by mechanism of injury

Mechanism	Count	% of total
Assault	10	3%
Burns	26	8%
Fall <1m	92	30%
Fall >5m	19	6%
Fall 1-5m	39	13%
MBA rider	18	6%
MVA back passenger	6	2%
MVA driver	35	11%
MVA front passenger	4	1%
MVA passenger unknown	2	< 1%
Other	14	5%
Pedal cyclist	8	3%
Pedestrian	25	8%
Recreation	3	< 1%
Shooting	1	< 1%
Stabbing	1	< 1%
Sport	5	2%
Unknown	1	< 1%

Table 73. Trauma admissions for 2004 to Royal North Shore Hospital by arrival mode

Arrival Mode	Count	% of total
Ambulance	203	65%
Helicopter	59	19%
Private vehicle	17	5%
Fixed wing	28	9%
Other	2	< 1%

Table 74. Trauma admissions for 2004 to Royal North Shore Hospital by ICU admission

Admission to ICU	Number of admissions	% of total
Yes	165	53%
No	144	47%

Table 75. ICU average length of stay (LOS) for 2004 at Royal North Shore Hospital

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
9.75 days	9.98 days	8.3 days

Table 76. Hospital average LOS for 2004 at Royal North Shore Hospital

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
23.01 days	25.92 days	7.61 days

Table 77. Transfer In admissions to Royal North Shore Hospital for 2004

Transferring hospital	Number of transfers
Armidale and New England Hospital	1
Balmain Hospital	1
Brisbane Waters Hospital	1
Coffs Harbour and District Hospital	6
Dubbo Base Hospital	1
Gosford Hospital	35
Gunnedah District Hospital	1
Hornsby and Ku-ring-gai Hospital	16
Interstate Hospital	2
Inverell District Hospital	2
John Hunter Hospital/John Hunter Children's Hospital	11
Kempsey District Hospital	1
Lismore Base Hospital	1
Liverpool Hospital	5
Manly District Hospital	6
Manning River Base Hospital (Taree)	1
Mona Vale District Hospital	4
Mudgee District Hospital	1
Nepean Hospital	2
Orange Base Hospital	2
Overseas Hospital	2
Port Macquarie Base Hospital	4
Prince of Wales Hospital	3
Ryde Hospital	12
Tamworth Base Hospital	8
Walcha District Hospital	1
Westmead Hospital	3
Wollongong Hospital	2
Wyong Hospital	4

Royal Prince Alfred Hospital

**Table 78. Admissions and deaths for 2004
– Royal Prince Alfred Hospital**

	202	% of total
Total admissions		
Survived	175	87%
Died	27	13%
Direct admission	144	71%
Transfer in admission	58	29%
Monthly average	17	

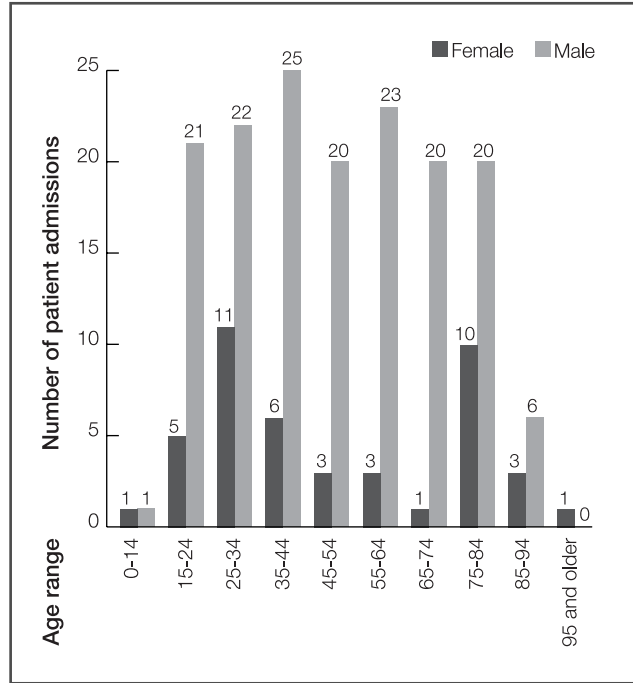
**Table 79. Admissions by age range for 2004
– Royal Prince Alfred Hospital**

Age range	Count	% of total
0-14	2	< 1%
15-24	26	13%
25-34	33	16%
35-44	31	15%
45-54	23	11%
55-64	26	13%
65-74	21	10%
75-84	30	15%
85-94	9	4%
95 and older	1	< 1%

**Table 80. Admissions by gender for 2004
– Royal Prince Alfred Hospital**

Gender	Count	% of total
Female	44	22%
Male	158	78%

Figure 103. Trauma admissions to Royal Prince Alfred Hospital for 2004 by age and gender



**Table 81. Trauma admissions for 2004
to Royal Prince Alfred Hospital
by mechanism of injury**

Mechanism	Count	% of total
Assault	28	14%
Burns	3	1%
Fall <1m	59	29%
Fall >5m	18	9%
Fall 1-5m	15	7%
Horse	2	< 1%
MBA rider	10	5%
MVA back passenger	2	< 1%
MVA driver	16	8%
MVA front passenger	6	3%
Other	9	4%
Pedestrian	24	12%
Shooting	1	< 1%
Stabbing	7	3%

Table 82. Trauma admissions for 2004 to Royal Prince Alfred Hospital by arrival mode

Arrival mode	Count	% of total
Ambulance	148	76%
Helicopter	34	17%
Private vehicle	12	6%
Other	1	< 1%
Fixed wing	1	< 1%

Table 83. Trauma admissions for 2004 to Royal Prince Alfred Hospital by ICU admission

Admission to ICU	Number of admissions	% of total
Yes	146	72%
No	56	28%

Table 84. ICU average length of stay (LOS) for 2004 at Royal Prince Alfred Hospital

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
6.79 days	7.12 days	4.75 days

Table 85. Hospital average LOS for 2004 at Royal Prince Alfred Hospital

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
13.33 days	14.8 days	3.78 days

Table 86. Transfer in admissions to Royal Prince Alfred Hospital for 2004

Transferring hospital	Number of transfers
Bathurst Base Hospital	2
Bourke District Hospital	1
Canterbury Hospital	10
Coffs Harbour and District Hospital	4
Coonabarabran District Hospital	1
Coonamble District Hospital	1
Dubbo Base Hospital	10
Griffith Base Hospital	2
Hornsby and Ku-ring-gai Hospital	1
Inverell District Hospital	2
Manly District Hospital	1
Mudgee District Hospital	1
Orange Base Hospital	2
Overseas Hospital	5
Repatriation General Hospital (Concord)	3
Shoalhaven District Memorial Hospital	3
St George Hospital	1
Sutherland Hospital	1
Wagga Wagga Base Hospital	2
Wellington District Hospital	1
Westmead Hospital	1
Wollongong Hospital	2
Wyong and District Hospital	1

St George Hospital

**Table 87. Admissions and deaths for 2004
– St George Hospital**

	Count	% of total
Total admissions	223	
Survived	199	89%
Died	24	11%
Direct admission	181	81%
Transfer in admission	42	19%
Monthly average	19	

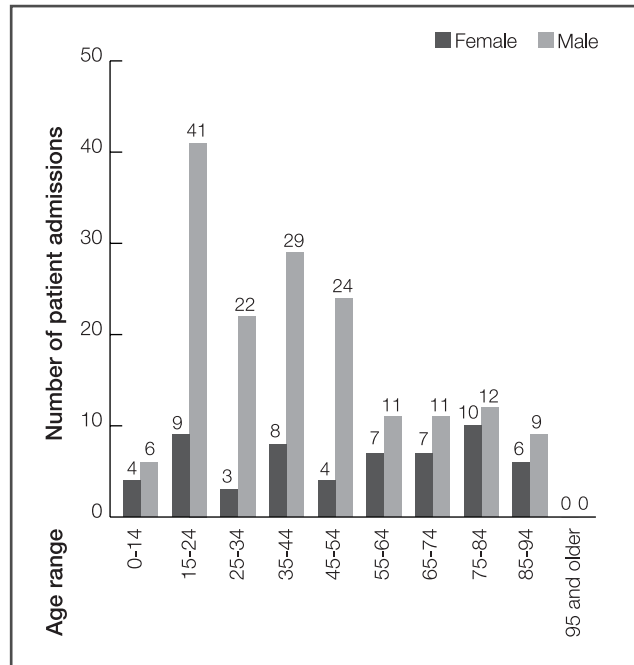
**Table 88. Admissions by age range for 2004
– St George Hospital**

Age range	Count	% of total
0-14	10	4%
15-24	50	22%
25-34	25	11%
35-44	37	17%
45-54	28	13%
55-64	18	8%
65-74	18	8%
75-84	22	10%
85-94	15	7%
95 and older	0	0%

**Table 89. Admissions by gender for 2004
– St George Hospital**

Gender	Count	% of total
Female	58	26%
Male	165	74%

**Figure 104. Trauma admissions to St George Hospital
for 2004 by age and gender**



**Table 90. Trauma admissions for 2004 to
St George Hospital by mechanism of injury**

Mechanism	Count	% of total
Assault	21	9%
Burns	3	1%
Fall < 1m	3	1%
Fall 1-5m	67	30%
MBA pillion	1	< 1%
MBA rider	11	5%
MVA driver	35	16%
MVA front passenger	10	5%
MVA passenger unknown	1	< 1%
Other	7	3%
Pedal cyclist	8	4%
Pedestrian	35	16%
Recreation	3	1%
Shooting	2	< 1%
Stabbing	5	2%

Table 91. Trauma admissions for 2004 to St George Hospital by arrival mode

Arrival mode	Count	% of total
Ambulance	171	77%
Helicopter	23	10%
Private vehicle	12	5%
Fixed wing	16	7%

Table 92. Trauma admissions for 2004 to St George Hospital by ICU admission

Admission to ICU	Number of admissions	% of total
Yes	80	36%
No	143	64%

Table 93. ICU average length of stay (LOS) for 2004 at St George Hospital

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
7.66 days	8.03 days	4.38 days

Table 94. Hospital average LOS for 2004 at St George Hospital

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
16.1 days	17.6 days	3.67 days

Table 95. Transfer in admissions to St George Hospital for 2004

Transferring hospital	Number of transfers
Bowral and District Hospital	1
Coffs Harbour and District Hospital	3
Gulgong District Hospital	1
Gunnedah District Hospital	1
Holbrook District Hospital	1
Inverell District Hospital	2
John Hunter Hospital/ John Hunter Children's Hospital	1
Kempsey District Hospital	1
Moree Hospital	1
Pambula District Hospital	1
Port Macquarie Base Hospital	1
Rylstone District Hospital	1
Shoalhaven District Memorial Hospital	2
St Vincent's Hospital	1
Sutherland Hospital	11
Tamworth Hospital	2
Walgett District Hospital	1
Wollongong Hospital	9
Wyalong and District Hospital	1

St Vincent's Hospital

**Table 96. Admissions and deaths for 2004
– St Vincent's Hospital**

	Total admissions	112	% of total
Survived	100		89%
Died	12		11%
Direct admission	94		84%
Transfer in admission	18		16%
Monthly average	9		

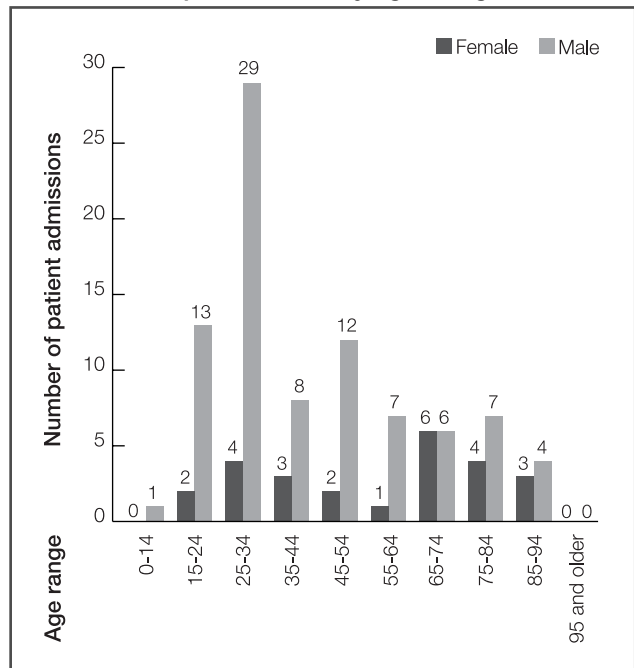
**Table 97. Admissions by age range for 2004
– St Vincent's Hospital**

Age range	Count	% of total
0-14	1	< 1%
15-24	15	13%
25-34	33	29%
35-44	11	10%
45-54	14	12%
55-64	8	7%
65-74	12	11%
75-84	11	10%
85-94	7	6%
95 and older	0	0%

**Table 98. Admissions by gender for 2004
– St Vincent's Hospital**

Gender	Count	% of total
Female	25	22%
Male	87	78%

**Figure 105. Trauma admissions to St Vincent's
Hospital for 2004 by age and gender**



**Table 99. Trauma admissions for 2004 to
St Vincent's Hospital by mechanism of injury**

Mechanism	Count	% of total
Assault	9	8%
Fall < 1m	3	3%
Fall 1-5m	57	51%
Industrial	1	< 1%
MBA rider	6	5%
MVA back passenger	1	< 1%
MVA driver	6	5%
MVA front passenger	2	2%
Other	2	2%
Pedal cyclist	2	2%
Pedestrian	16	14%
Shooting	1	< 1%
Sport	1	< 1%
Stabbing	4	4%
Unknown	1	< 1%

Table 100. Trauma admissions for 2004 to St Vincent's Hospital by arrival mode

Arrival mode	Count	% of total
Ambulance	97	87%
Helicopter	2	2%
Private vehicle	7	6%
Fixed wing	6	5%

Table 101. Trauma admissions for 2004 to St Vincent's Hospital by ICU admission

Admission to ICU	Number of admissions	% of total
Yes	56	50%
No	56	50%

Table 102. ICU average length of stay (LOS) for 2004 at St Vincent's Hospital

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
8.2 days	8.55 days	2 days

Table 103. Hospital average LOS for 2004 at St Vincent's Hospital

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
18.39 days	19.93 days	5.58 days

Table 104: Transfer In admissions to St Vincent's Hospital for 2004

Transferring hospital	Number of transfers
Bankstown-Lidcombe Hospital	1
Blue Mountains District Anzac Memorial Hospital	1
Griffith Base Hospital	2
Hornsby and Ku-ring-gai Hospital	1
Kempsey District Hospital	1
Overseas Hospital	2
Shoalhaven District Memorial Hospital	1
Sydney-Sydney Eye Hospital	5
Wagga Wagga Base Hospital	3
Wollongong Hospital	1

Sydney Children's Hospital

**Table 105. Admissions and deaths for 2004
- Sydney Children's Hospital**

Total admissions	57	% of total
Survived	53	93%
Died	4	7%
Direct admission	20	35%
Transfer in admission	37	65%
Monthly average	5	

**Table 106. Admissions by age range
(general age groups) for 2004
- Sydney Children's Hospital**

Age range	Count	% of total
0-14	51	89%
15-24	6	11%

**Table 107. Admissions by gender for 2004
- Sydney Children's Hospital**

Gender	Count	% of total
Female	18	32%
Male	39	68%

Figure 106. Trauma admissions to Sydney Children's Hospital for 2004 by age and gender

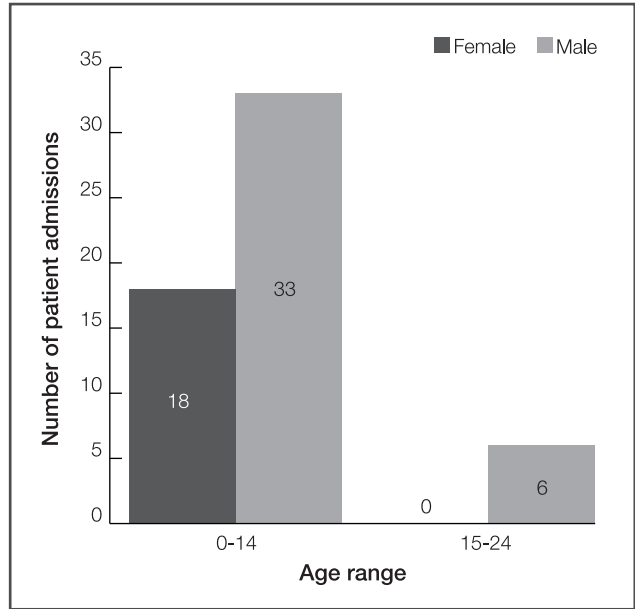


Figure 107. Paediatric trauma admissions to Sydney Children's Hospital for 2004 by age and gender

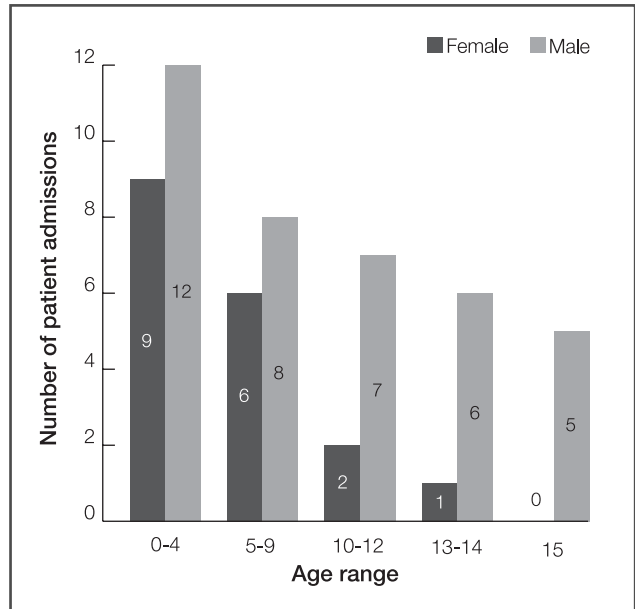


Table 108. Trauma admissions for 2004 to Sydney Children's Hospital by mechanism of injury

Mechanism	Count	% of total
Assault	1	2%
Assault	4	7%
Fall < 1m	8	14%
Fall > 5m	1	2%
Fall 1-5m	10	18%
Horse	3	5%
MBA pillion	1	2%
MBA rider	2	4%
MVA back passenger	2	4%
MVA driver	1	2%
Other	2	4%
Pedal cyclist	10	18%
Pedestrian	6	11%
Recreation	3	5%
Sport	2	4%
Stabbing	1	2%

Table 109. Trauma admissions for 2004 to Sydney Children's Hospital by arrival mode

Arrival mode	Count	% of total
Ambulance	22	39%
Helicopter	8	14%
Private vehicle	9	16%
Fixed wing	2	4%
NETS	16	28%

Table 110. Trauma admissions for 2004 to Sydney Children's Hospital by ICU admission

Admission to ICU	Number of admissions	% of total
Yes	29	50%
No	28	50%

Table 111. ICU average length of stay (LOS) for 2004 at Sydney Children's Hospital

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
5.21 days	5.48 days	1.5 days

Table 112. Hospital average LOS for 2004 at Sydney Children's Hospital

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
9 days	9.58 days	1.25 days

Table 113. Transfer In admissions to Sydney Children's Hospital for 2004

Transferring hospital	Number of transfers
Armidale Hospital	1
Bankstown-Lidcombe Hospital	1
Bathurst Base Hospital	1
Bulli Hospital	1
Camden Hospital	1
Coffs Harbour and District Hospital	1
Gosford Hospital	2
Inverell District Hospital	1
Liverpool Hospital	1
Milton-Ulladulla Hospital	3
Mount Druitt Hospital	1
Nepean Hospital	2
Oberon Multi-purpose Centre	1
Private Hospital	1
Royal North Shore Hospital	5
Royal Prince Alfred Hospital	1
Shellharbour Hospital	1
Shoalhaven District Memorial Hospital	2
St George Hospital	4
Wagga Wagga Base Hospital	1
Wollongong Hospital	4
Wyalong and District Hospital	1

The Children's Hospital at Westmead

**Table 114. Admissions and deaths for 2004
- The Children's Hospital at Westmead**

	Count	% of total
Total admissions	103	
Survived	95	91%
Died	8	9%
Direct admission	29	29%
Transfer in admission	74	71%
Monthly average	9	

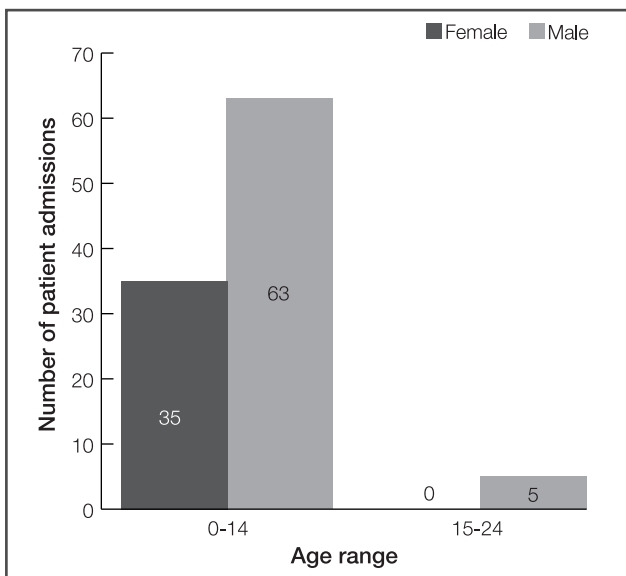
**Table 115. Admissions by age range
(general age groups) for 2004
- The Children's Hospital at Westmead**

Age range	Count	% of total
0-14	98	95%
15-24	5	5%

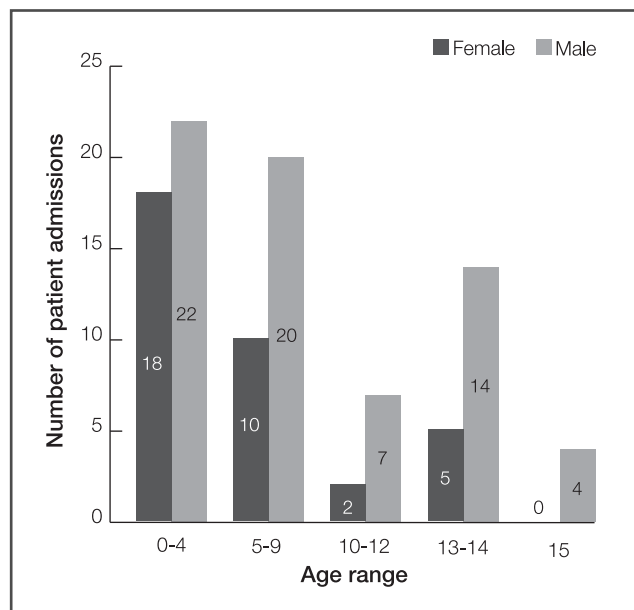
**Table 116. Admissions by gender for 2004
- The Children's Hospital at Westmead**

Gender	Count	% of total
Female	35	34%
Male	68	66%

**Figure 108. Trauma admissions to
The Children's Hospital at Westmead
by age and gender**



**Figure 109. Paediatric trauma admissions to
The Children's Hospital at Westmead
for 2004 by age and gender**



**Table 117. Trauma admissions for 2004 to
The Children's Hospital at Westmead
by mechanism of injury**

Mechanism	Count	% of total
Assault	2	2%
Burns	16	16%
Fall < 1m	14	14%
Fall > 5m	3	3%
Fall 1-5m	13	13%
Horse	2	2%
MBA rider	5	5%
MVA back passenger	3	3%
MVA front passenger	3	3%
MVA passenger unknown	8	8%
Other	13	13%
Pedal cyclist	5	5%
Pedestrian	12	12%
Recreation	3	3%
Sport	1	1%

**Table 118. Trauma admissions for 2004 to
The Children's Hospital at Westmead
by arrival mode**

Arrival mode	Count	% of total
Ambulance	45	45%
Helicopter	6	6%
Private vehicle	6	6%
Fixed wing	3	3%
NETS	40	40%

**Table 119. Trauma admissions for 2004 to
The Children's Hospital at Westmead
by ICU admission**

Admission to ICU	Number of admissions	% of total
Yes	50	49%
No	53	51%

**Table 120. ICU average length of stay (LOS) for 2004
at The Children's Hospital at Westmead**

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
5.68 days	5.89 days	4.17 days

**Table 121. Hospital average LOS for 2004 at
The Children's Hospital at Westmead**

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
12.89 days	13.66 days	3.75 days

**Table 122. Transfer In admissions to
The Children's Hospital at Westmead
for 2004**

Transferring hospital	Number of transfers
Auburn Hospital	1
Bankstown-Lidcombe Hospital	1
Bateman's Bay Hospital	1
Blacktown Hospital	1

Transferring hospital	Number of transfers
Bourke District Hospital	1
Brewarrina District Hospital	1
Camden Hospital	1
Canterbury Hospital	1
Coffs Harbour and District Hospital	1
Dubbo Base Hospital	3
Fairfield Hospital	2
Gosford Hospital	3
Goulburn Base Hospital	1
Hawkesbury District Health Service Private Hospital	4
Interstate Hospital	3
Inverell District Hospital	1
John Hunter Hospital/ John Hunter Children's Hospital	1
Liverpool Hospital	11
Moree Hospital	1
Mona Vale District Hospital	3
Moruya District Hospital	1
Mudgee District Hospital	1
Nepean Hospital	7
Orange Base Hospital	2
Overseas Hospital	1
Royal North Shore Hospital	8
Ryde Hospital	1
Shoalhaven District Memorial Hospital	2
St George Hospital	3
Sydney Children's Hospital	2
Tamworth Base Hospital	1
Wagga Wagga Base Hospital	2
Wollongong Hospital	1

Westmead Hospital

**Table 123. Admissions and deaths for 2004
- Westmead Hospital**

	Count	% of total
Total admissions	290	
Survived	265	92%
Died	25	8%
Direct admission	228	77%
Transfer in admission	62	23%
Monthly average	24	

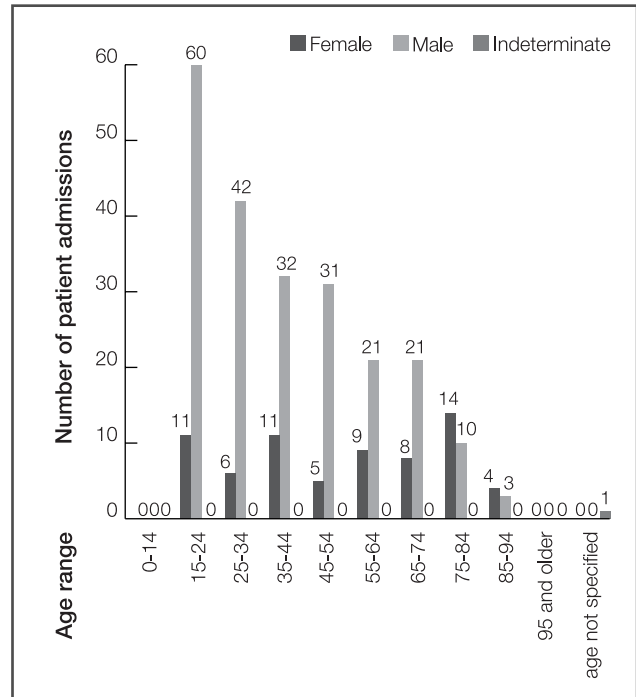
**Table 124. Admissions by age range for 2004
- Westmead Hospital**

Age range	Count	% of total
0-14	1	3%
15-24	71	24%
25-34	48	16%
35-44	43	14%
45-54	36	12%
55-64	30	10%
65-74	29	10%
75-84	24	8%
85-94	7	2%
95 and older	0	0%
Age not specified	1	< 1%

**Table 125. Admissions by gender for 2004
- Westmead Hospital**

Gender	Count	% of total
Female	68	25%
Male	221	74%
Indeterminate	1	< 1%

**Figure 110. Trauma admissions to Westmead Hospital
for 2004 by age and gender**



**Table 126. Trauma admissions for 2004 to
Westmead Hospital by mechanism of injury**

Mechanism	Count	% of total
Assault	17	6%
Burns	7	2%
Fall < 1m	41	14%
Fall > 5m	9	3%
Fall 1-5m	20	7%
Horse	2	< 1%
Industrial	13	4%
MBA pillion	1	< 1%
MBA rider	29	10%
MVA back passenger	8	3%
MVA driver	60	21%
MVA front passenger	19	7%
MVA passenger unknown	3	1%
Other	8	3%
Pedal cyclist	9	3%
Pedestrian	26	9%
Shooting	4	1%
Stabbing	10	3%
Sport	4	1%

Table 127. Trauma admissions for 2004 to Westmead Hospital by arrival mode

Arrival Mode	Count	% of total
Ambulance	216	77%
Helicopter	39	14%
Private vehicle	14	5%
Fixed wing	1	< 1%
Other	11	4%

Table 128. Trauma admissions for 2004 to Westmead Hospital by ICU admission

Admission to ICU	Number of admissions	% of total
Yes	107	37%
No	183	63%

Table 129. ICU average length of stay (LOS) for 2004 at Westmead Hospital

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
7.25 days	7.63 days	4.54 days

Table 130. Hospital average LOS for 2004 at Westmead Hospital

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
12.89 days	13.66 days	5.36 days

Table 129. Transfer In admissions to Westmead Hospital for 2004

Transferring hospital	Number of transfers
Albury Base Hospital	1
Auburn Hospital	9
Bathurst Base Hospital	2
Belmont District Hospital	1
Blacktown Hospital	14
Bowral and District Hospital	1
Coffs Harbour and District Hospital	1
Dubbo Base Hospital	2
Forbes District Hospital	1
Gosford Hospital	1
Goulburn Base Hospital	1
Griffith Base Hospital	1
Mount Druitt Hospital	9
Nepean Hospital	3
Orange Base Hospital	4
Parkes Hospital	1
Private Hospital	3
Shellharbour Hospital	1
Shoalhaven District Memorial Hospital	1
Sydney Adventist Hospital	1
Tamworth Base Hospital	1
The Hills Private Hospital	1
Wellington District Hospital	1
Wollongong Hospital	1
Wyong Hospital	1

Wollongong Hospital

**Table 132. Admissions and deaths for 2004
– Wollongong Hospital**

	Count	% of total
Total admissions	72	
Survived	63	87.5%
Died	9	12.5%
Direct admission	61	85%
Transfer in admission	11	15%
Monthly average	6	

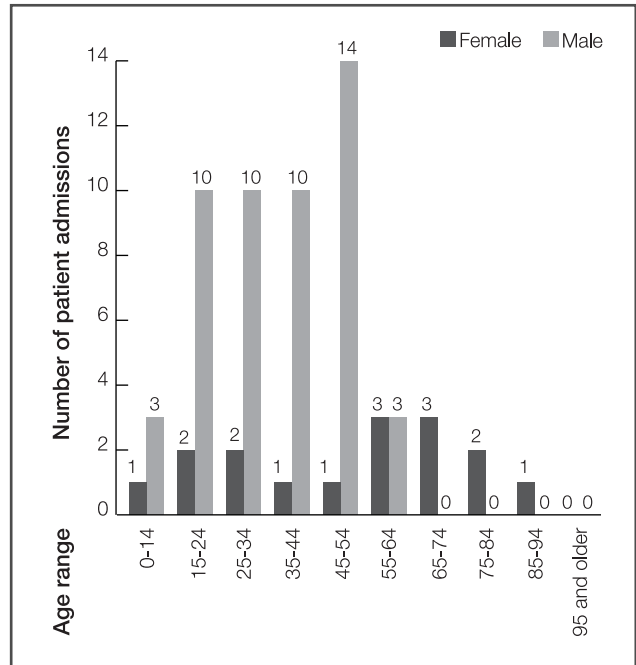
**Table 133. Admissions by age range for 2004
– Wollongong Hospital**

Age range	Count	% of total
0-14	4	6%
15-24	12	17%
25-34	12	17%
35-44	11	15%
45-54	15	21%
55-64	6	8%
65-74	3	4%
75-84	8	11%
85-94	1	1%
95-	0	0%

**Table 134. Admissions by gender for 2004
– Wollongong Hospital**

Gender	Count	% of total
Female	16	22%
Male	56	78%

**Figure 111. Trauma admissions to Wollongong
Hospital for 2004 by age and gender**



**Table 135. Trauma admissions for 2004
to Wollongong Hospital by
mechanism of injury**

Mechanism	Count	% of total
Assault	3	4%
Burns	1	1%
Fall < 1m	14	19%
Fall > 5m	4	6%
Fall 1-5m	6	8%
Industrial	1	1%
MBA pillion	1	1%
MBA rider	9	12%
MVA driver	14	19%
MVA front passenger	1	1%
MVA passenger unknown	4	6%
Other	2	3%
Pedal cyclist	3	4%
Pedestrian	4	6%
Recreation	1	1%
Shooting	2	3%
Stabbing	2	3%

Table 136. Trauma admissions for 2004 to Wollongong Hospital by arrival mode

Arrival Mode	Count	% of total
Ambulance	61	85%
Helicopter	4	6%
Private vehicle	5	7%
Other	2	3%

Table 137. Trauma admissions for 2004 to Wollongong Hospital by ICU admission

Admission to ICU	Number of admissions	% of total
Yes	21	29%
No	51	71%

Table 138. ICU average length of stay (LOS) for 2004 at Wollongong Hospital

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
8.14 days	8.5 days	1 day

Table 139. Hospital average LOS for 2004 at Wollongong Hospital

Outcome all	Outcome survived	Outcome died
12.33 days	13.68 days	2.98 days

Table 140. Transfer In admissions for 2004 to Wollongong Hospital

Transferring hospital	Number of transfers
Milton-Ulladulla	1
Shellharbour Hospital	5
Shoalhaven District Memorial Hospital	5