

Bed Management Indicator Descriptions

Note: The indicators below can be stratified by region, sub-region, facility/site, service/bed type, and date updated daily.

Data source:

Daily Bed Census Survey, provided to Ontario Health by the Ministry of Health daily

Indicator Name	Description	Refresh Frequency
Occupancy Rate	<p>Numerator: The number of patients admitted (<i>includes patients admitted into conventional and unconventional spaces</i>).</p> <p>Denominator: The number of operational beds available for occupancy.</p> <p>Calculation: (numerator divided by the denominator), multiplied by 100.</p> <p><i>Note:</i></p> <p><i>Operational beds refers to beds in conventional spaces that are available for occupancy, and includes physical/budgeted, incremental/pandemic and unbudgeted staffed beds, but excludes closed/blocked beds.</i></p>	Daily
Number of Empty Beds	Number of operational beds available for occupancy, subtract the number of patients occupying a bed.	Daily
ICU Occupancy Rate	<p>Numerator: Number of patients admitted to ICU (<i>includes patients admitted into conventional and unconventional spaces</i>).</p>	Daily

	<p>Denominator: Number of ICU beds, subtract closed/blocked beds.</p> <p>Calculation: (numerator divided by the denominator), multiplied by 100.</p>	
Surgical and Combined Medical/Surgical Occupancy Rate	<p>Numerator: Number of surgical and combined medical/surgical patients admitted (<i>includes patients admitted into conventional and unconventional spaces</i>).</p> <p>Denominator: Number of surgical and combined medical/surgical beds subtract closed/blocked beds.</p> <p>Calculation: (numerator divided by the denominator), multiplied by 100.</p>	Daily
Surgical, Medical, and Combined Medical/Surgical Occupancy Rate	<p>Numerator: Number of surgical, medical, and combined medical/surgical patients admitted (<i>includes patients admitted into conventional and unconventional spaces</i>).</p> <p>Denominator: Number of surgical, medical, and combined medical/surgical beds, subtract closed/blocked beds.</p> <p>Calculation: (numerator divided by the denominator), multiplied by 100.</p>	Daily
Throughput	Number of patients admitted, subtract discharges and deaths.	Daily
Admits in ED	The number of patients admitted into ED conventional and into ED unconventional spaces.	Daily