

## N98 – Rosedale-Moore Park Profile: Emergency Department Care

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	Males	Females	Both sexes	Males	Females	Both sexes	Males (95% CI)	Females (95% CI)	Both sexes (95% CI)	Rate Ratio**
<b>Demographics ***</b>										
Total Population Age 0-4	68,780	65,600	134,380	28,890	27,600	56,490	385	425	810	
Total Population Age 5-19	215,715	203,795	419,510	81,570	77,890	159,460	1,300	1,490	2,790	
Total Population Age 20-44	471,380	497,960	969,340	224,185	231,545	455,730	3,045	3,510	6,555	
Total Population Age 45-64	294,840	322,830	617,670	130,750	138,995	269,745	2,785	3,175	5,960	
<b>All Emergency Department (ED) visits (2009) ±</b>										
<b>Population Age 0-4</b>										
# of ED visits	36,999	28,846	65,845	15,132	11,909	27,041	150	135	285	
Rate of ED visits per 1,000 population per year	537.9	439.7	490.0	523.8	431.5	478.7	389.6 (340.9-438.3)	317.6 (273.4-361.9)	351.9 (319.0-384.7)	0.72 L
% of the population with one or more ED visits per year	34.1	29.2	31.7	33.2	28.6	31.0	28.3 (22.0-34.6)	21.9 (16.9-26.9)	24.9 (21.0-28.9)	0.79 L
<b>Population Age 5-19</b>										
# of ED visits	50,769	43,276	94,045	20,649	17,985	38,634	290	279	569	
Rate of ED visits per 1,000 population per year	235.4	212.4	224.2	253.1	230.9	242.3	223.1 (200.4-245.7)	187.2 (167.4-207.1)	203.9 (189.0-218.9)	0.91 L
% of the population with one or more ED visits per year	17.3	15.0	16.2	18.3	15.8	17.1	17.6 (15.1-20.1)	14.3 (12.2-16.4)	15.8 (14.2-17.5)	0.98 NS
<b>Population Age 20-44</b>										
# of ED visits	114,073	132,273	246,346	59,363	63,776	123,139	466	685	1,151	
Rate of ED visits per 1,000 population per year	242.0	265.6	254.1	264.8	275.4	270.2	153.0 (140.3-165.8)	195.2 (182.0-208.3)	175.6 (166.4-184.8)	0.69 L
% of the population with one or more ED visits per year	15.6	16.9	16.3	16.3	17.3	16.8	11.5 (10.2-12.8)	14.2 (12.9-15.6)	13.0 (12.0-13.9)	0.80 L
<b>Population Age 45-64</b>										
# of ED visits	88,281	89,222	177,503	45,062	40,194	85,256	585	604	1,189	
Rate of ED visits per 1,000 population per year	299.4	276.4	287.4	344.6	289.2	316.1	210.1 (194.9-225.2)	190.2 (176.6-203.9)	199.5 (189.4-209.6)	0.69 L
% of the population with one or more ED visits per year	17.8	17.6	17.7	18.9	17.6	18.2	13.6 (12.1-15.1)	13.9 (12.5-15.3)	13.8 (12.7-14.8)	0.78 L

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<b>Demographics ***</b>										
Total Population Age 65-74	80,785	98,145	178,930	31,755	38,280	70,035	825	985	1,810	
Total Population Age 75+	68,060	104,610	172,670	26,385	43,330	69,715	660	970	1,630	
Total Population	1,199,560	1,292,940	2,492,500	523,535	557,640	1,081,175	9,000	10,555	19,555	
<b>All Emergency Department (ED) visits (2009) ±</b>										
<b>Population Age 65-74</b>										
# of ED visits	28,857	32,242	61,099	12,838	13,486	26,324	200	311	511	
Rate of ED visits per 1,000 population per year	357.2	328.5	341.5	404.3	352.3	375.9	242.4 (213.2-271.7)	315.7 (286.7-344.8)	282.3 (261.6-303.1)	0.83 L
% of the population with one or more ED visits per year	20.7	20.1	20.4	22.4	21.0	21.7	18.5 (15.3-21.8)	21.4 (18.2-24.7)	20.1 (17.8-22.4)	0.99 NS
<b>Population Age 75+</b>										
# of ED visits	43,187	61,793	104,980	17,504	25,792	43,296	370	724	1,094	
Rate of ED visits per 1,000 population per year	634.5	590.7	608.0	663.4	595.2	621.0	560.6 (522.7-598.5)	746.4 (719.0-773.8)	671.2 (648.4-694.0)	1.10 H
% of the population with one or more ED visits per year	34.1	33.4	33.7	34.8	33.1	33.7	35.3 (29.7-40.9)	42.1 (36.7-47.4)	39.3 (35.4-43.2)	1.17 H
<b>Total Population</b>										
# of ED visits	362,166	387,652	749,818	170,548	173,142	343,690	2,061	2,738	4,799	
Rate of ED visits per 1,000 population per year	301.9	299.8	300.8	325.8	310.5	317.9	229.0 (217.7-240.3)	259.4 (248.1-270.7)	245.4 (237.4-253.4)	0.82 L
Age-Adjusted rate of visits per 1,000 †	293.9	292.3	293.1	319.1	303.5	311.2	215.8 (207.0-224.7)	240.9 (232.6-249.2)	228.5 (222.4-234.6)	0.78 L
% of the population with one or more ED visits per year	18.9	19.0	18.9	19.5	19.2	19.3	16.2 (16.8-18.6)	17.7 (15.2-17.1)	17.0 (16.3-17.6)	0.90 L
Age-Adjusted % of the population with an ED visit †	19.2	19.3	19.2	19.0	19.5	19.3	15.7 (14.9-16.5)	16.8 (16.1-17.6)	16.2 (15.7-16.8)	0.84 L

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<b>Low Triage <sup>a</sup></b>										
<b>Emergency Department (ED) visits (2009) <sup>±</sup></b>										
<b>Population Age 0-4</b>										
# of ED visits	36,999	28,846	65,845	15,132	11,909	27,041	150	135	285	
# of Low Triage visits	10,135	8,471	18,606	4,310	3,726	8,036	46	42	88	
Ratio of low to high Triage visits	0.38	0.42	0.40	0.41	0.46	0.43	0.47 (0.32-0.63)	0.47 (0.31-0.63)	0.47 (0.36-0.58)	1.18 NS
% of all ED visits that are Low Triage	27.4	29.4	28.3	28.5	31.3	29.7	30.7 (20.0-41.3)	31.1 (19.8-42.4)	30.9 (23.1-38.6)	1.09 NS
<b>Population Age 5-19</b>										
# of ED visits	50,769	43,276	94,045	20,649	17,985	38,634	290	279	569	
# of Low Triage visits	22,320	17,595	39,915	8,622	7,106	15,728	126	114	240	
Ratio of low to high Triage visits	0.79	0.69	0.75	0.73	0.66	0.70	0.79 (0.61-0.96)	0.71 (0.55-0.88)	0.75 (0.63-0.87)	1.01 NS
% of all ED visits that are Low Triage	44.0	40.7	42.4	41.8	39.5	40.7	43.4 (33.4-53.5)	40.9 (31.1-50.6)	42.2 (35.2-49.2)	0.99 NS
<b>Population Age 20-44</b>										
# of ED visits	114,073	132,273	246,346	59,363	63,776	123,139	466	685	1,151	
# of Low Triage visits	46,788	45,261	92,049	24,137	23,245	47,382	208	306	514	
Ratio of low to high Triage visits	0.70	0.52	0.60	0.69	0.58	0.63	0.81 (0.67-0.96)	0.82 (0.71-0.94)	0.82 (0.73-0.91)	1.36 H
% of all ED visits that are Low Triage	41.0	34.2	37.4	40.7	36.4	38.5	44.6 (36.5-52.8)	44.7 (37.9-51.4)	44.7 (39.5-49.8)	1.20 H
<b>Population Age 45-64</b>										
# of ED visits	88,281	89,222	177,503	45,062	40,194	85,256	585	604	1,189	
# of Low Triage visits	27,429	27,774	55,203	13,968	12,762	26,730	215	256	471	
Ratio of low to high Triage visits	0.45	0.46	0.45	0.45	0.47	0.46	0.59 (0.49-0.68)	0.74 (0.63-0.86)	0.66 (0.59-0.74)	1.46 H
% of all ED visits that are Low Triage	31.1	31.1	31.1	31.0	31.8	31.4	36.8 (30.6-42.9)	42.4 (35.5-49.2)	39.6 (35.0-44.2)	1.27 H

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<b>Low Triage <sup>a</sup> Emergency Department (ED) visits (2009) <sup>±</sup></b>										
<b>Population Age 65-74</b>										
# of ED visits	28,857	32,242	61,099	12,838	13,486	26,324	200	311	511	
# of Low Triage visits	6,215	7,807	14,022	2,844	3,278	6,122	67	97	164	
Ratio of low to high Triage visits	0.28	0.32	0.30	0.29	0.33	0.31	0.51 (0.37-0.65)	0.46 (0.36-0.56)	0.48 (0.39-0.56)	1.59 H
% of all ED visits that are Low Triage	21.5	24.2	22.9	22.2	24.3	23.3	33.5 (23.7-43.3)	31.2 (23.7-38.7)	32.1 (26.1-38.1)	1.40 H
<b>Population Age 75+</b>										
# of ED visits	43,187	61,793	104,980	17,504	25,792	43,296	370	724	1,094	
# of Low Triage visits	6,727	9,938	16,665	2,680	4,038	6,718	71	144	215	
Ratio of low to high Triage visits	0.19	0.19	0.19	0.18	0.19	0.19	0.24 (0.18-0.30)	0.26 (0.21-0.30)	0.25 (0.22-0.28)	1.31 H
% of all ED visits that are Low Triage	15.6	16.1	15.9	15.3	15.7	15.5	19.2 (14.2-24.2)	19.9 (16.3-23.5)	19.7 (16.7-22.6)	1.24 H
<b>Total Population</b>										
# of ED visits	362,166	387,652	749,818	170,548	173,142	343,690	2,061	2,738	4,799	
# of Low Triage visits	119,614	116,846	236,460	56,561	54,155	110,716	733	959	1,692	
Ratio of low to high Triage visits	0.50	0.44	0.47	0.50	0.46	0.48	0.56 (0.51-0.61)	0.55 (0.51-0.59)	0.56 (0.52-0.59)	1.19 H
Age-Adjusted ratio of low to high Triage visits <sup>‡</sup>	0.61	0.51	0.55	0.60	0.53	0.56	0.71 (0.63-0.79)	0.72 (0.65-0.79)	0.72 (0.66-0.77)	1.30 H
% of all ED visits that are Low Triage	33.0	30.1	31.5	33.2	31.3	32.2	35.6 (32.4-38.8)	35.0 (32.3-37.8)	35.3 (33.2-37.3)	1.12 H
Age-Adjusted % of all ED visits that are Low Triage <sup>†</sup>	36.3	33.2	34.6	36.2	33.9	34.9	40.0 (36.2-43.8)	40.6 (37.3-43.9)	40.5 (38.0-42.9)	1.17 H

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