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# Quality Report



# Higgins General Hospital



DBA: Higgins General Hospital  
HCO ID: 367530  
200 Allen Memorial Drive  
Bremen, GA, 30110  
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## Summary of Quality Information

### Accreditation Programs

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#### [Critical Access Hospital](#)

**Accreditation Decision**  
[Accredited](#)

**Effective Date**  
6/28/2018

**Last Full Survey Date**  
6/27/2018

**Last On-Site Survey Date**  
6/27/2018

### Advanced Certification Programs

#### [View Certification History](#)



#### [Acute Stroke Ready Hospital](#)

**Certification Decision**

[Certification](#)

**Effective Date**

5/7/2019

**Last Full Survey Date**

5/6/2019

**Last On-Site Survey Date**

5/6/2019

### Sites

#### **Buchanan Medical Clinic**

DBA: Buchanan Medical Clinic  
30 Buchanan Bypass  
Buchanan, GA, 30113

#### **Available Services**

- Single Specialty Practitioner (Outpatient )

## **Higgins General Hospital**

200 Allen Memorial Drive  
Bremen, GA, 30110

### **Available Services**

- Acute Care
- CT Scanner (Imaging/Diagnostic Services )
- EEG/EKG/EMG Lab (Imaging/Diagnostic Services )
- Gastroenterology (Surgical Services )
- GI or Endoscopy Lab (Imaging/Diagnostic Services )
- Magnetic Resonance Imaging (Imaging/Diagnostic Services )
- Mammography (Imaging/Diagnostic Services )
- Medical /Surgical Unit (Inpatient )
- Ophthalmology (Surgical Services )
- Outpatient Clinics (Outpatient )
- Plastic Surgery (Surgical Services )
- Post Anesthesia Care Unit (PACU) (Inpatient )
- Swing Beds
- Teleradiology (Imaging/Diagnostic Services )
- Ultrasound (Imaging/Diagnostic Services )
- Urology (Surgical Services )

### **Certification Programs**

- Acute Stroke Ready Hospital

## **Primary Care of Bremen**

201 Allen Memorial Drive  
Bremen, GA, 30110

### **Available Services**

- Single Specialty Practitioner (Outpatient )

## **Tallapoosa Family Healthcare Center**

25 West Lyon Street  
Tallapoosa, GA, 30176

### **Available Services**

- Single Specialty Practitioner (Outpatient )

## **Tanner Physical Therapy**

405 Alabama Avenue  
Bremen, GA, 30110

### **Available Services**

- Outpatient Clinics (Outpatient )

**National Patient Safety Goals and National Quality Improvement Goals**

**Symbol Key**

- This organization achieved the best possible results
- This organization's performance is above the target range/value
- This organization's performance is similar to the target range/value
- This organization's performance is below the target range/value
- This measure is not applicable for this organization
- Not displayed

### Measures Footnote Key

1. The measure or measure set was not reported.
2. The measure set does not have an overall result.
3. The number is not enough for comparison purposes.
4. The measure meets the Privacy Disclosure Threshold rule.
5. The organization scored above 90% but was below most other organizations.
6. The measure results are not statistically valid.
7. The measure results are based on a sample of patients.
8. The number of months with measure data is below the reporting requirement.
9. The measure results are temporarily suppressed pending resubmission of updated data.
10. Test Measure: a measure being evaluated for reliability of the individual data elements or awaiting National Quality Forum Endorsement.
11. There were no eligible patients that met the denominator criteria.

The Joint Commission only reports measures endorsed by the [National Quality Forum](#).

\* This information can also be viewed at [Hospital Compare](#).

\*\* Indicates per 1000 hours of patient care.

\*\*\* The measure was not in effect for this quarter.

---- Null value or data not displayed.

<b>Critical Access Hospital</b>	<a href="#">2018 National Patient Safety Goals</a>	Nationwide Comparison:	Statewide Comparison:
	Reporting Period: October 2018 - September 2019		
	<a href="#">National Quality Improvement Goals:</a>		
	<a href="#">Emergency Department</a>	National Comparison:  2	Statewide Comparison:  2

### [New Changes to Quarterly Measure](#)

#### [Download Quarterly Measure Results](#)

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\* State results are not calculated for the National Patient Safety Goals.

## National Quality Improvement Goals:

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Measure Area	Nationwide	Statewide
Emergency Department Compared to Other Joint Commission Accredited Organizations	2	2
<a href="#">Read More</a>		

Measure	Hospital Results	Nationwide Top 10% Scored at Most	Weighted Median	Statewide Top 10% Scored at Most	Weighted Median	Average Rate	
Median Time from ED Arrival to ED Departure for Admitted ED Patients	245.00 minutes 314 eligible Patients	Nationwide Statewide	Top 10% Scored at Least	200.00	344.00	208.30	302.61
<a href="#">Read More</a>							
<a href="#">See Quarterly Results</a>							

## Quarterly Measure Results

Number of Eligible Patients  
 Weighted Median Minutes  
 Nationwide Weighted Median Minutes

### Oct - Dec 2018

314  
 234.00  
 315.43

### Jan - Mar 2019

314  
 256.00  
 353.29

### Apr - Jun 2019

314  
 238.00  
 344.37

### Jul - Sep 2019

314  
 250.00  
 334.67

Measure	Hospital Results	Nationwide Top 10% Scored at Most	Weighted Median	Statewide Top 10% Scored at Most	Weighted Median	Average Rate	
Admit Decision Time to ED	48.00 minutes	Nationwide Statewide	Top 10% Scored at Least	55.00	134.00	50.45	140.47
Departure Time for Admitted Patients	314 eligible Patients						
<a href="#">Read More</a> <a href="#">See Quarterly Results</a>							

## Quarterly Measure Results

Number of Eligible Patients  
 Weighted Median Minutes  
 Nationwide Weighted Median Minutes

### Oct - Dec 2018

314  
 50.00  
 134.85

### Jan - Mar 2019

314  
 48.00  
 148.85

### Apr - Jun 2019

314  
 50.00  
 129.03

### Jul - Sep 2019

314  
 41.00  
 123.40