NEDOCS
(National Emergency Department Overcrowding Score)

**Total Patients in ED** - The number of total patients in the ED at the time the score is calculated. This includes all patients in all areas including waiting patients, Fast Track patients, etc.

**ED Beds** - The total number of ED beds including hallways, chairs, fast track and other beds that can be used to serve patients at the time the score is calculated.

**# Admits** - The number of holdovers/admits, in the ED, at the time the score is calculated.

**Total Hospital Beds** - The total number of hospital beds. Most implementations use the number of licensed beds that can be used in case of a disaster.

**# Vent patients in ED** - The number of patients on ventilators/respirators (including BiPAP) in the ED at the time the score is calculated.

**Longest Admit boarding time (in ED)** - The longest admit holdover/boarding (in hours) at the time the score was calculated (Example: 3.5 = 3 hours 30 minutes).

**Hrs longest wait in WR (Last Bed Time)** - The wait time (in hours) from arrival to bed for the last patient called for a bed (Example: 1.33 = 1 hour and 20 minutes).

**NEDOCS Score** – Calculated numeric score (5 Level)

**NEDOCS Level** – N/B/O/S/D (see below)

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**Hour estimates**

10 minutes after the hour – 0.17
20 minutes after the hour – 0.33
30 minutes after the hour – 0.50
40 minutes after the hour – 0.67
50 minutes after the hour – 0.83

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NEDOCS Tracking Log

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