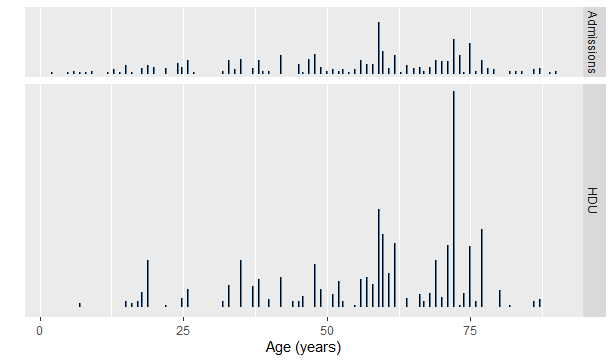
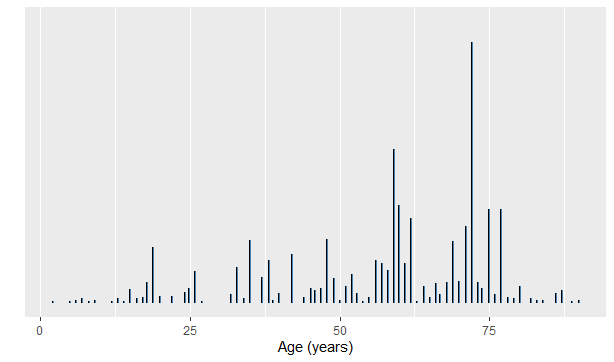
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| Age | N | Mean (StDev) | Median (IQR) |
| Admissions | 422 | 53.88 (19.65) | 59.00 (31.25) |
| HDU | 977` | 58.42 (16.87 | 61.00 (23.50) |



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| Age | N | Mean (StDev) | Median (IQR) |
| All patients | 1399 | 57.05 (17.87) | 60.00 (25.00) |



The distribution of age of the whole sample and also when considered, the two groups separately, is negatively skewed. Median was used to discuss the central tendency; interquartile range was used to discuss how dispersed (varied) the random variable is.