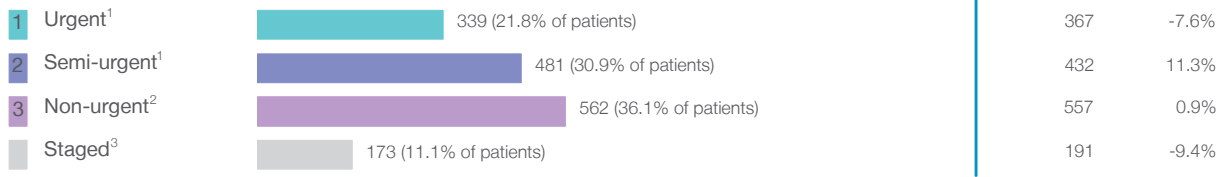


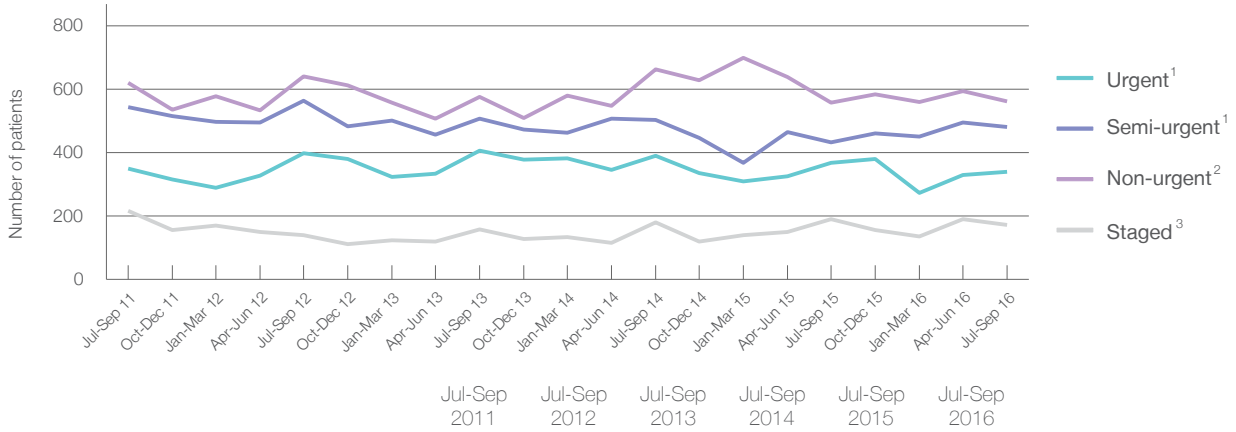
## Gosford Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2016

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 1,555 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, July 2011 to September 2016



	Jul-Sep 2011	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016
All categories	1,729	1,743	1,648	1,737	1,547	1,555
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	350	398	406	391	367	339
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	543	563	508	503	432	481
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	620	641	575	663	557	562
Staged <sup>3</sup>	216	141	159	180	191	173

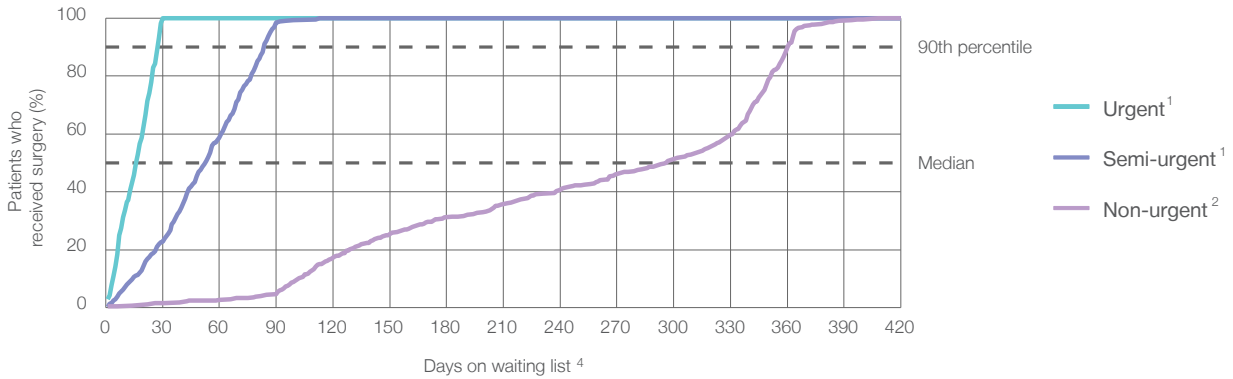
## Gosford Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2016

### Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

Urgency Category	Recommended Timeframe	Percentage	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent <sup>1</sup>	Recommended: 30 days	100%	100%	99.7%
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	Recommended: 90 days	98.5%	99.8%	96.6%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	Recommended: 365 days	96.3%	98.9%	96.2%

### Percentage of patients who received elective surgery by waiting time (days)



### Waiting time (days) for people who received surgery by urgency category

Urgency Category	Number of Patients	Median time to receive surgery	90th percentile time to receive surgery	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent: <sup>1</sup>	339 patients	17 days	28 days	9	15	9
2 Semi-urgent: <sup>1</sup>	481 patients	53 days	84 days	41	56	42
3 Non-urgent: <sup>2</sup>	562 patients	297 days	360 days	167	309	162

## Gosford Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2016

Median <sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	* (< 5 patients)	*	20
Ear, nose and throat surgery	314 days (314 patients)	313	105
General surgery	41 days (311 patients)	50	27
Gynaecology	84 days (177 patients)	81	30
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	*	17
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	43
Ophthalmology	139 days (100 patients)	63	100
Orthopaedic surgery	123 days (207 patients)	251	71
Plastic surgery	36 days (45 patients)	110	20
Urology	25 days (334 patients)	24	31
Vascular surgery	21 days (64 patients)	15	15

Median <sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures <sup>7</sup>		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	100 days (16 patients)	123	54
Cataract extraction	146 days (96 patients)	47	126
Cholecystectomy	55 days (36 patients)	60	48
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	26
Cystoscopy	25 days (128 patients)	24	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (5 patients)	*	64
Hysteroscopy	74 days (68 patients)	69	34
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	86 days (42 patients)	280	71
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	327
Myringotomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	67
Other - General	21 days (36 patients)	45	20
Prostatectomy	68 days (30 patients)	27	54
Septoplasty	353 days (34 patients)	354	326
Tonsillectomy	339 days (119 patients)	338	314
Total hip replacement	318 days (27 patients)	280	113
Total knee replacement	274 days (39 patients)	324	272
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	27 days (18 patients)	*	75

## Gosford Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 2,227 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 2,240 patients

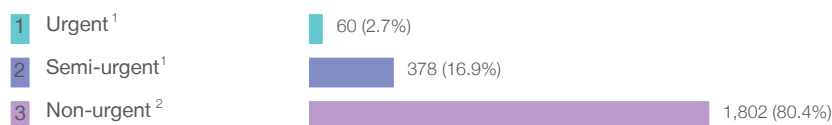
Patients not ready for surgery<sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter: 519 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	2,210	0.8%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	2,193	2.1%
Patients not ready for surgery <sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter	497	4.4%

## Gosford Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 2,240 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	67	-10.4%
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	369	2.4%
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	1,757	2.6%

**Gosford Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery**  
as at 30th September 2016

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 2,240 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	2,240	2,193	2.1%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	887	838	5.8%
General surgery	289	328	-11.9%
Gynaecology	350	232	50.9%
Medical	< 5	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	58	99	-41.4%
Orthopaedic surgery	446	494	-9.7%
Plastic surgery	67	80	-16.3%
Urology	126	101	24.8%
Vascular surgery	14	20	-30.0%

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures <sup>7</sup>

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	72	32	125.0%
Cataract extraction	35	82	-57.3%
Cholecystectomy	47	58	-19.0%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	40	23	73.9%
Haemorrhoidectomy	9	10	-10.0%
Hysteroscopy	78	62	25.8%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	58	62	-6.5%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	20	17	17.6%
Myringotomy	< 5	< 5	*
Other - General	20	16	25.0%
Prostatectomy	21	14	50.0%
Septoplasty	184	138	33.3%
Tonsillectomy	419	385	8.8%
Total hip replacement	82	86	-4.7%
Total knee replacement	140	171	-18.1%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	< 5	11	*

**Gosford Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery**  
as at 30th September 2016

Patients ready for elective surgery, on the waiting list for longer than 12 months

As at 30 Sep 2016      Same time last year

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year
All specialties	15	< 5

\* Suppressed due to small numbers and to protect privacy. Relevant graphs are also suppressed.

< 5 Less than five patients. For measures by urgency category, counts are included in an adjacent category. Relevant graphs are also suppressed.

1. Excluding staged procedures.
2. Excluding staged procedures and cystoscopy.
3. Including non-urgent cystoscopy.
4. Excludes the total number of days the patient was coded as 'not ready for surgery'.
5. This is the number of days it took for half of patients who received elective surgery during the period to be admitted and receive their surgery. The other half took equal to or longer than the median to be admitted for surgery.
6. This is the number of days it took for 90% of patients who received elective surgery during the period to be admitted and receive their surgery. The final 10% of patients took equal to or longer than the 90th percentile.
7. The procedures included in this list are procedures which are high volume; some may be associated with long waiting periods. For a description of these procedures see *Elective Surgery Glossary of Common Procedures, December 2012*.
8. Includes staged procedures, non-urgent cystoscopy, and patients currently not available for personal reasons.

For more information: For details of methods, see the *Technical Supplement: Elective surgery measures, July to September 2016*.

**Note:** All percentages rounded to whole numbers and therefore percentages may not add to 100%.

**Source:** Waiting List Collection On-Line System, NSW Health (extracted 17 October 2016.).