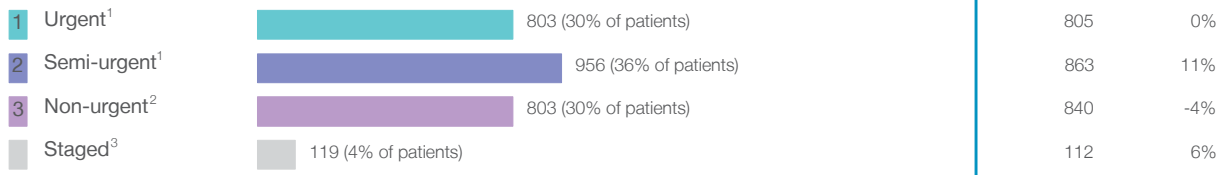


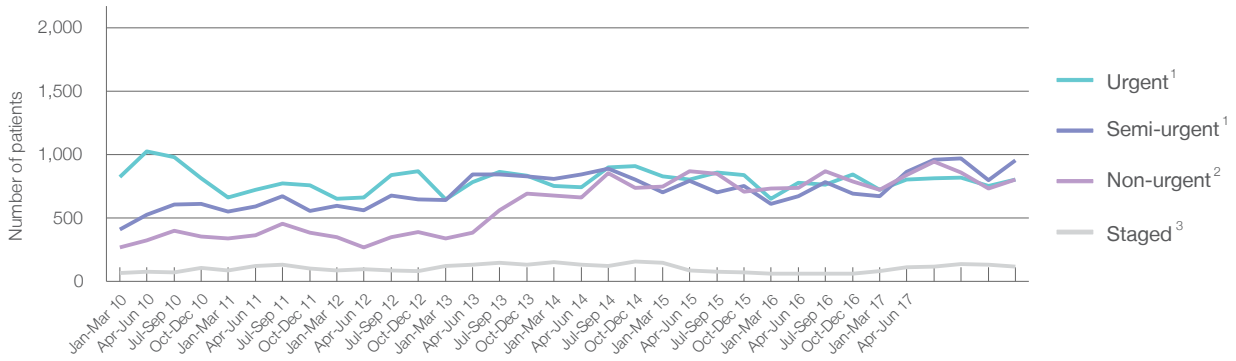
Westmead Hospital: Elective surgery performed

April to June 2018

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 2,681 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, April 2013 to June 2018



	Apr-Jun 2010	Apr-Jun 2011	Apr-Jun 2012	Apr-Jun 2013	Apr-Jun 2014	Apr-Jun 2015	Apr-Jun 2016	Apr-Jun 2017	Apr-Jun 2018
All categories	1,957	1,801	1,594	2,147	2,381	2,555	2,252	2,620	2,681
Urgent ¹	1,025	721	663	783	745	803	781	805	803
Semi-urgent ¹	527	593	563	844	842	795	671	863	956
Non-urgent ²	326	365	268	386	662	867	739	840	803
Staged ³	79	122	100	134	132	90	61	112	119

Westmead Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2018

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended: (days)	Percentage	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	99.3%	100%	99.8%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	95.2%	97.6%	95.2%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	93.6%	96.4%	91.4%

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 (days)	90th percentile time to receive surgery (days)	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent:	803 patients	9 days	26 days	9	10	10
2 Semi-urgent:	956 patients	41 days	83 days	43	38	42
3 Non-urgent:	803 patients	209 days	353 days	205	146	197

Westmead Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2018

Median⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon

Specialty	Median ⁵ waiting time (days) (n patients)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	37 days (134 patients)	41	23
Ear, nose and throat surgery	240 days (98 patients)	124	204
General surgery	26 days (416 patients)	25	30
Gynaecology	26 days (400 patients)	22	30
Medical	31 days (37 patients)	26	18
Neurosurgery	46 days (121 patients)	43	45
Ophthalmology	195 days (512 patients)	100	158
Orthopaedic surgery	78 days (165 patients)	55	74
Plastic surgery	7 days (137 patients)	7	21
Urology	35 days (532 patients)	34	36
Vascular surgery	8 days (129 patients)	12	20

Median⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures⁷

Procedure	Median ⁵ waiting time (days) (n patients)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	29 days (65 patients)	43	38
Cataract extraction	220 days (373 patients)	139	188
Cholecystectomy	45 days (55 patients)	39	52
Coronary artery bypass graft	51 days (48 patients)	30	32
Cystoscopy	32 days (190 patients)	64	31
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	63
Hysteroscopy	45 days (81 patients)	26	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	98 days (21 patients)	66	74
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (9 patients)	*	355
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	203
Other - General	26 days (43 patients)	21	22
Prostatectomy	63 days (23 patients)	74	71
Septoplasty	281 days (10 patients)	341	330
Tonsillectomy	366 days (12 patients)	281	321
Total hip replacement	* (< 5 patients)	*	173
Total knee replacement	247 days (18 patients)	109	257
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	*	138

Westmead Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

April to June 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 3,200 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 3,501 patients

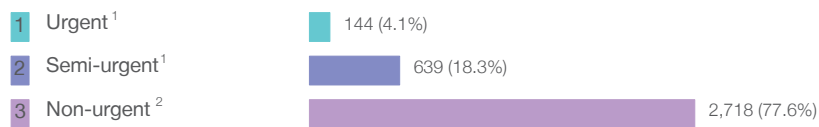
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 544 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	2,514	27%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	2,694	30%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	580	-6%

Westmead Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 3,501 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	108	33%
Semi-urgent ¹	579	10%
Non-urgent ²	2,007	35%

Westmead Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2018

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 3,501 patients

	As at 30 Jun 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	3,501	2,694	30%
Cardiothoracic surgery	78	68	15%
Ear, nose and throat surgery	241	237	2%
General surgery	289	310	-7%
Gynaecology	300	241	24%
Medical	15	17	-12%
Neurosurgery	198	127	56%
Ophthalmology	1,544	994	55%
Orthopaedic surgery	443	352	26%
Plastic surgery	46	37	24%
Urology	318	247	29%
Vascular surgery	29	64	-55%

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 30 Jun 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	40	33	21%
Cataract extraction	1,386	837	66%
Cholecystectomy	41	55	-25%
Coronary artery bypass graft	30	30	0%
Cystoscopy	83	59	41%
Haemorrhoidectomy	15	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	94	85	11%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	33	38	-13%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	20	22	-9%
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	34	46	-26%
Prostatectomy	17	25	-32%
Septoplasty	51	52	-2%
Tonsillectomy	36	34	6%
Total hip replacement	9	13	-31%
Total knee replacement	46	46	0%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Westmead Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 30th June 2018

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

As at 30 Jun 2018 Same time last year

	As at 30 Jun 2018	Same time last year
All specialties	41	10

* 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, January to March 2018*.

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 16 July 2018.).