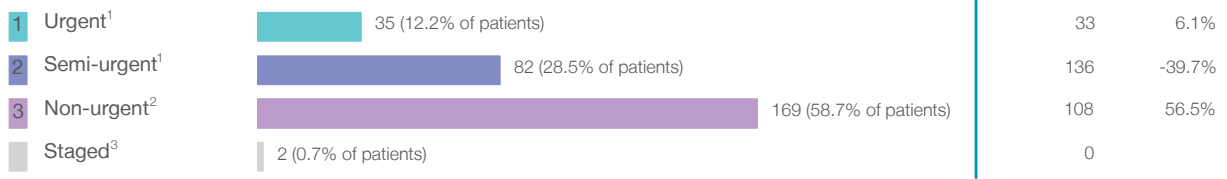


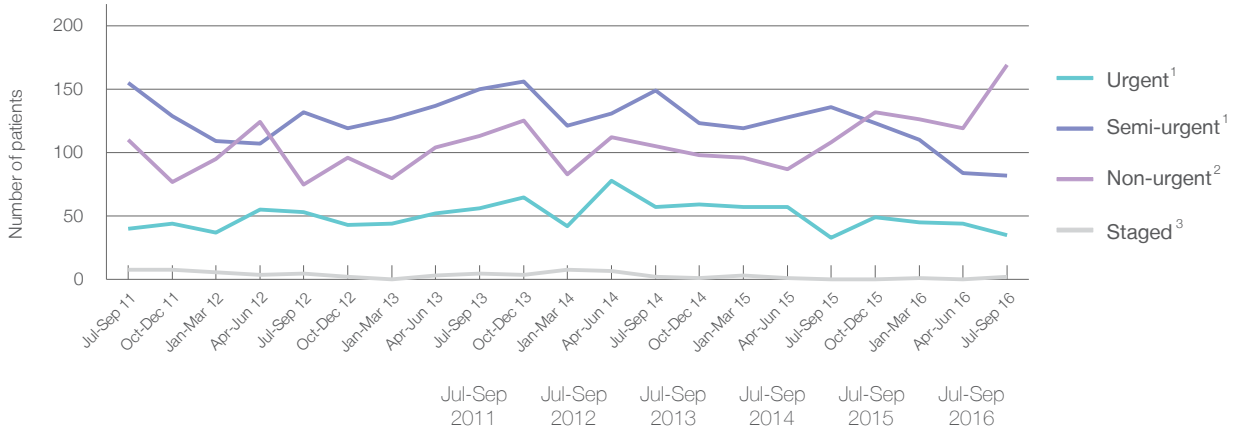
## Armidale and New England Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2016

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 288 patients



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



Urgency Category	Jul-Sep 2011	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016
All categories	313	265	324	313	277	288
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	40	53	56	57	33	35
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	155	132	150	149	136	82
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	110	75	113	105	108	169
Staged <sup>3</sup>	8	5	5	2	0	2

## Armidale and New England Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery July to September 2016

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

	Recommended:		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
<b>1 Urgent<sup>1</sup></b>	30 days	100%	93.9%	99.7%
<b>2 Semi-urgent<sup>1</sup></b>	90 days	100%	98.5%	99.4%
<b>3 Non-urgent<sup>2</sup></b>	365 days	100%	98.1%	98.2%

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



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

		Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
<b>1 Urgent:</b> <sup>1</sup> 35 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	15 days	15	19	14
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	27	*	26
<b>2 Semi-urgent:</b> <sup>1</sup> 82 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	47 days	47	65	49
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	80	84	80
<b>3 Non-urgent:</b> <sup>2</sup> 169 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	231 days	247	318	264
90th percentile time to receive surgery	352 days	349	358	342

## Armidale and New England 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	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	141
General surgery	31 days (58 patients)	58	43
Gynaecology	69 days (46 patients)	71	44
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	*	11
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	185 days (96 patients)	315	270
Orthopaedic surgery	101 days (79 patients)	111	147
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	51
Urology	* (8 patients)	n/a	28
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	78

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	* (5 patients)	*	77
Cataract extraction	185 days (95 patients)	315	271
Cholecystectomy	* (6 patients)	43	52
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	* (7 patients)	n/a	30
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	65
Hysteroscopy	31 days (11 patients)	36	32
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (7 patients)	68	71
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	211
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	27
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	44
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	294
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	212
Total hip replacement	155 days (15 patients)	88	206
Total knee replacement	286 days (12 patients)	87	252
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	84

## Armidale and New England Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 448 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 442 patients

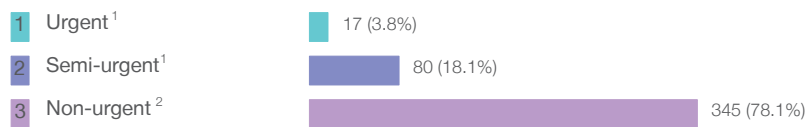
Patients not ready for surgery<sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter: 36 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	476	-5.9%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	497	-11.1%
Patients not ready for surgery <sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter	27	33.3%

## Armidale and New England Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 442 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	7	142.9%
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	115	-30.4%
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	375	-8.0%

## Armidale and New England Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2016

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 442 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	442	497	-11.1%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	54	73	-26.0%
Gynaecology	55	49	12.2%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	186	211	-11.8%
Orthopaedic surgery	141	164	-14.0%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	6	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

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	10	12	-16.7%
Cataract extraction	183	210	-12.9%
Cholecystectomy	6	14	-57.1%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	5	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	8	< 5	*
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	15	17	-11.8%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	0	< 5	n/a
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	26	21	23.8%
Total knee replacement	44	56	-21.4%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

## Armidale and New England 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	0	< 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.).