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Elective Surgery

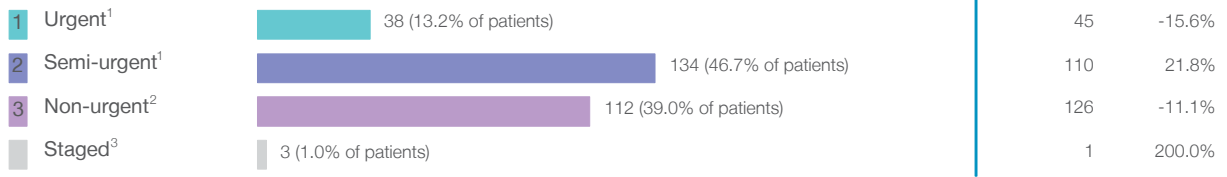
Hunter New England Local Health District

January to March 2017

Armidale and New England Hospital: Elective surgery performed

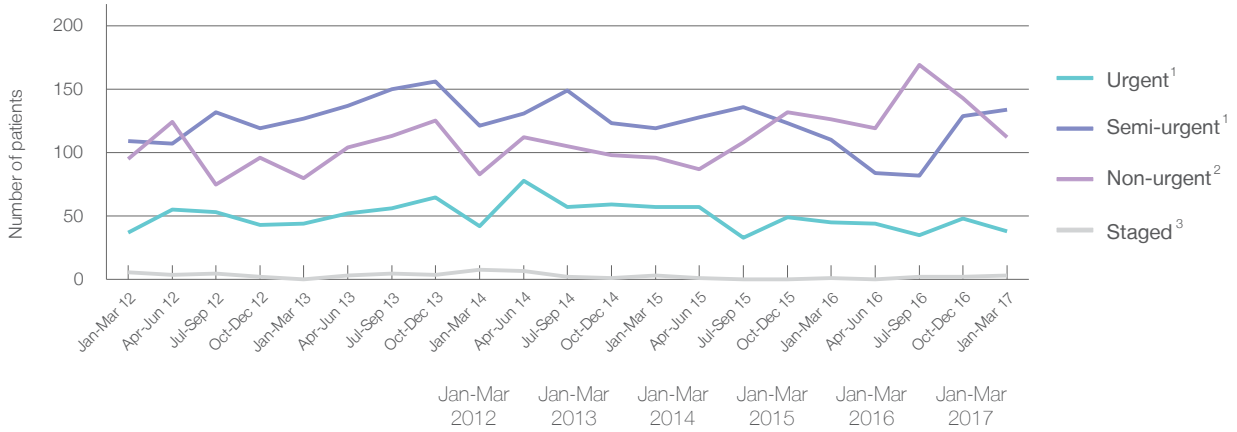
January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 287 patients



Urgency Category	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent ¹	45	-15.6%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	110	21.8%
3 Non-urgent ²	126	-11.1%
Staged ³	1	200.0%

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2012 to March 2017



Urgency Category	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Jan-Mar 2017
All categories	247	251	254	275	282	287
Urgent ¹	37	44	42	57	45	38
Semi-urgent ¹	109	127	121	119	110	134
Non-urgent ²	95	80	83	96	126	112
Staged ³	6	0	8	3	1	3

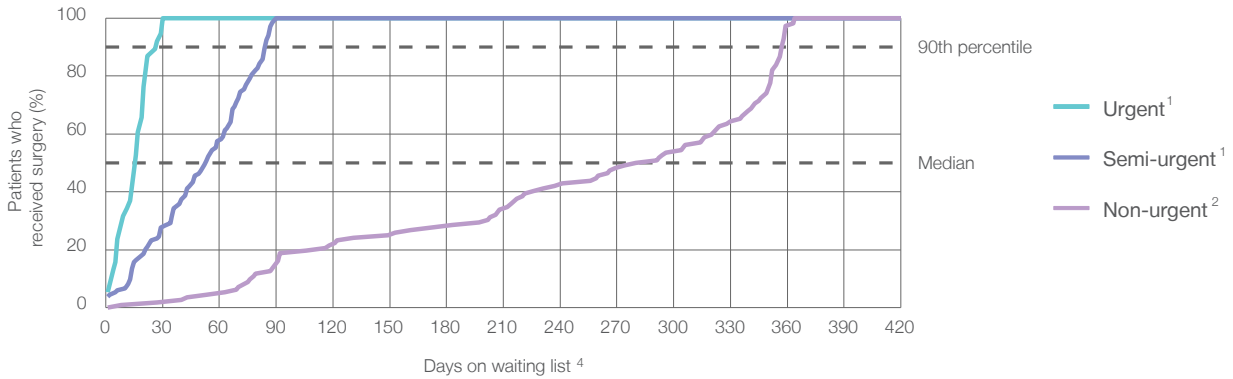
Armidale and New England Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended: (days)	100%	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	100%	100%	99.9%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	100%	99.1%	98.7%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	100%	100%	98.5%

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)
1 Urgent: ¹ 38 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	16 days	13	15
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	26	* 27
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 134 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	53 days	50	64
90th percentile time to receive surgery	85 days	83	86
3 Non-urgent: ² 112 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	286 days	254	322
90th percentile time to receive surgery	357 days	351	358

Armidale and New England Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Median ⁵ 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	138
General surgery	27 days (67 patients)	34	48
Gynaecology	42 days (57 patients)	56	46
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	*	6
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	296 days (63 patients)	338	290
Orthopaedic surgery	183 days (81 patients)	250	150
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	56
Urology	67 days (19 patients)	n/a	33
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	68

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	114
Cataract extraction	254 days (62 patients)	338	295
Cholecystectomy	62 days (18 patients)	68	52
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	67 days (16 patients)	n/a	31
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	*	63
Hysteroscopy	40 days (20 patients)	46	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (9 patients)	49	84
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	35
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	41
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	313
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	154
Total hip replacement	88 days (11 patients)	*	231
Total knee replacement	238 days (22 patients)	328	259
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	87

Armidale and New England Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 433 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 458 patients

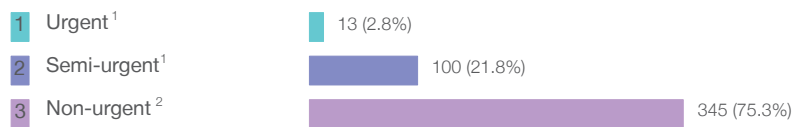
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 37 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	470	-7.9%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	454	0.9%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	15	146.7%

Armidale and New England Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 458 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	9	44.4%
Semi-urgent ¹	68	47.1%
Non-urgent ²	377	-8.5%

Armidale and New England Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 458 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	458	454	0.9%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	47	63	-25.4%
Gynaecology	51	52	-1.9%
Medical	< 5	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	188	208	-9.6%
Orthopaedic surgery	155	131	18.3%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	14	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	8	10	-20.0%
Cataract extraction	187	206	-9.2%
Cholecystectomy	7	19	-63.2%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	6	< 5	*
Haemorrhoidectomy	0	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	14	10	40.0%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	10	15	-33.3%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	0	< 5	n/a
Prostatectomy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	19	26	-26.9%
Total knee replacement	54	39	38.5%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	*

Armidale and New England Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

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

As at 31 Mar 2017 Same time last year

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	0	0

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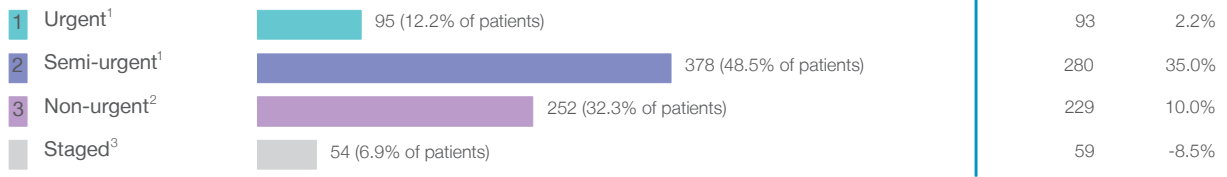
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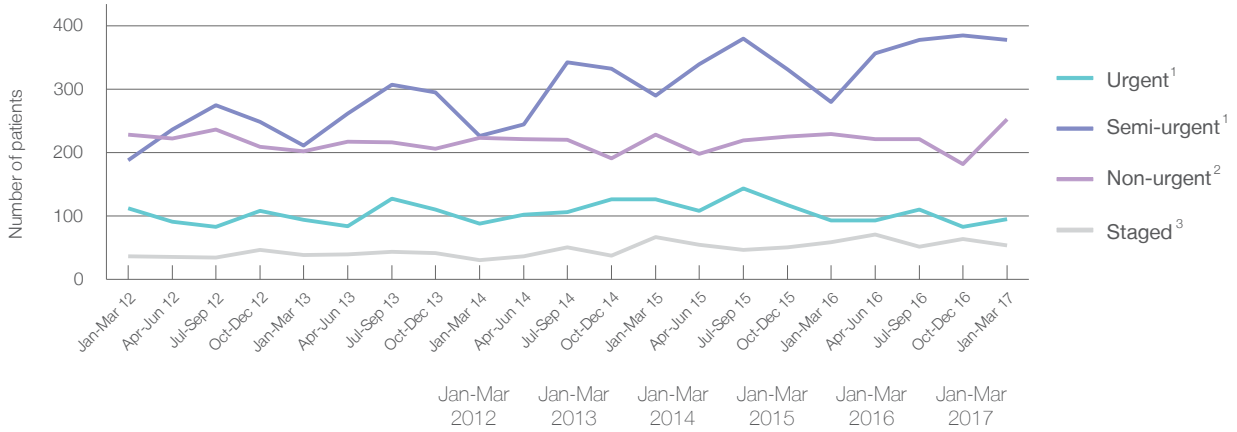
Belmont Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 779 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2012 to March 2017



Urgency Category	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Jan-Mar 2017
All categories	565	546	568	711	661	779
Urgent ¹	112	94	88	126	93	95
Semi-urgent ¹	188	211	226	290	280	378
Non-urgent ²	228	202	223	228	229	252
Staged ³	37	39	31	67	59	54

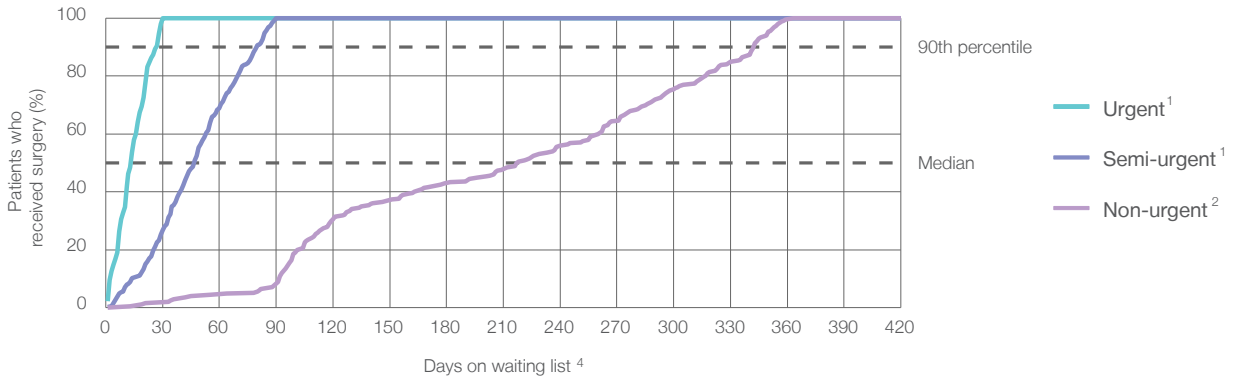
Belmont Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended:	100%	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	100%	100%	99.9%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	100%	100%	98.7%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	100%	100%	98.5%

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)
1 Urgent: ¹ 95 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	14 days	13	14
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	*	27
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 378 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	47 days	50	51
90th percentile time to receive surgery	80 days	83	83
3 Non-urgent: ² 252 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	218 days	254	272
90th percentile time to receive surgery	343 days	351	348

Belmont Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Median ⁵ 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	48 days (23 patients)	163	138
General surgery	70 days (149 patients)	77	48
Gynaecology	52 days (166 patients)	49	46
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	6
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	*	290
Orthopaedic surgery	99 days (185 patients)	120	150
Plastic surgery	56 days (83 patients)	63	56
Urology	34 days (173 patients)	30	33
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	68

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (6 patients)	*	114
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	*	295
Cholecystectomy	48 days (33 patients)	84	52
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	35 days (148 patients)	30	31
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	63
Hysteroscopy	41 days (64 patients)	43	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	120 days (35 patients)	191	84
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	54 days (11 patients)	*	35
Prostatectomy	* (5 patients)	*	41
Septoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	313
Tonsillectomy	* (9 patients)	148	154
Total hip replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	231
Total knee replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	259
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	87

Belmont Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 870 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 864 patients

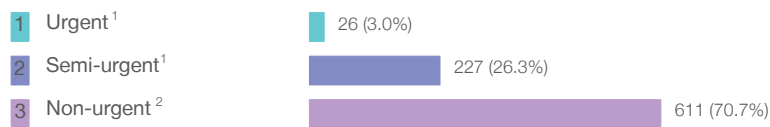
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 199 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	743	17.1%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	729	18.5%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	198	0.5%

Belmont Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 864 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	16	62.5%
Semi-urgent ¹	239	-5.0%
Non-urgent ²	474	28.9%

Belmont Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 864 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	864	729	18.5%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	19	22	-13.6%
General surgery	159	162	-1.9%
Gynaecology	148	149	-0.7%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	427	254	68.1%
Plastic surgery	64	56	14.3%
Urology	47	86	-45.3%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	6	< 5	*
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	30	33	-9.1%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	38	53	-28.3%
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	41	43	-4.7%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	46	56	-17.9%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	< 5	< 5	*
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	13	6	116.7%
Prostatectomy	< 5	8	*
Septoplasty	< 5	< 5	*
Tonsillectomy	7	12	-41.7%
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Belmont Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

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

As at 31 Mar 2017 Same time last year

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	0	0

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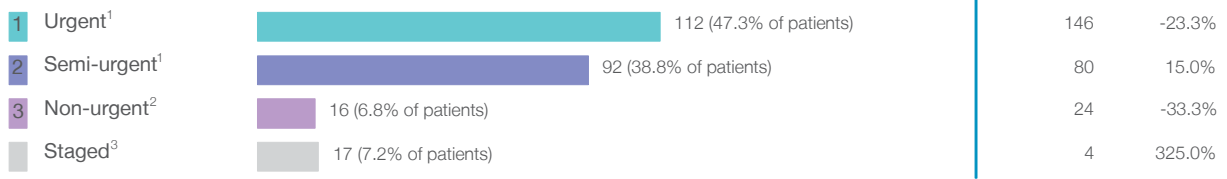
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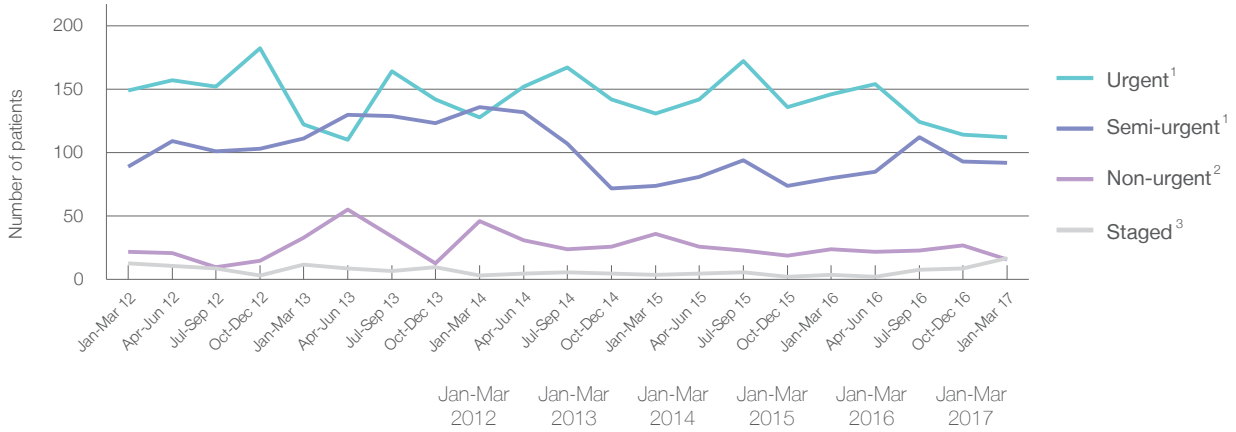
Calvary Mater Newcastle: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 237 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2012 to March 2017



	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Jan-Mar 2017
All categories	273	278	313	245	254	237
Urgent ¹	149	122	128	131	146	112
Semi-urgent ¹	89	111	136	74	80	92
Non-urgent ²	22	33	46	36	24	16
Staged ³	13	12	3	4	4	17

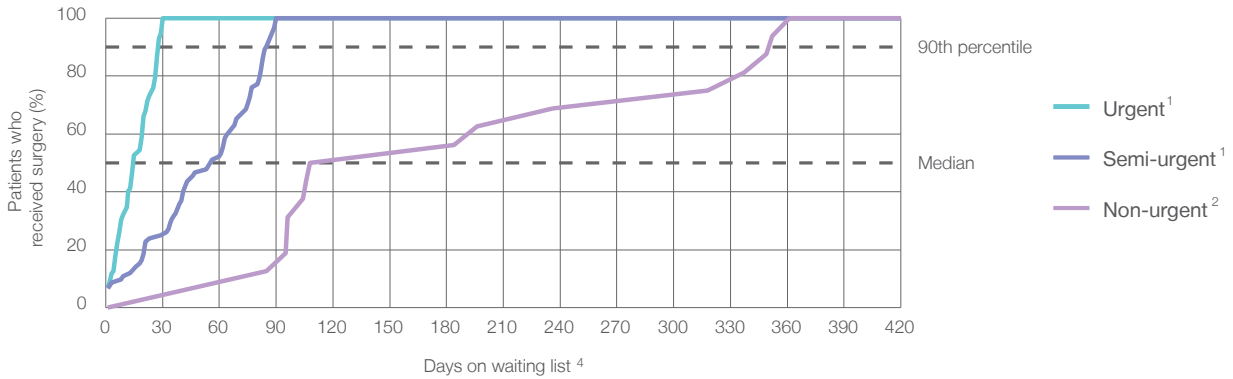
Calvary Mater Newcastle: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended:		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	100%	98.6%	100%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	100%	95.0%	100%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	100%	95.8%	100%

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)
1 Urgent: ¹ 112 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	10	17	11
90th percentile time to receive surgery	26	28	25
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 92 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	49	43	44
90th percentile time to receive surgery	84	*	83
3 Non-urgent: ² 16 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	270	141	247
90th percentile time to receive surgery	353	*	356

Calvary Mater Newcastle: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	* (8 patients)	*	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	315
General surgery	 26 days (206 patients)	22	27
Gynaecology	n/a (0 patients)	*	28
Medical	 26 days (19 patients)	*	26
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	148
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	72
Plastic surgery	* (< 5 patients)	*	*
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	19
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	240
Cholecystectomy	 82 days (16 patients)	86	82
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	*
Hysteroscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	36
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (8 patients)	86	*
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Other - General	 21 days (22 patients)	17	21
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	337
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Total hip replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Total knee replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a

Calvary Mater Newcastle: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 133 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 147 patients

Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 52 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	120	10.8%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	116	26.7%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	30	73.3%

Calvary Mater Newcastle: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 147 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	27	63.0%
Semi-urgent ¹	39	48.7%
Non-urgent ²	50	-10.0%

Calvary Mater Newcastle: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 147 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	147	116	26.7%
Cardiothoracic surgery	13	< 5	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	134	105	27.6%
Gynaecology	0	< 5	*
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	0	0	n/a
Plastic surgery	0	7	-100.0%
Urology	0	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	19	23	-17.4%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	17	14	21.4%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	13	6	116.7%
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Calvary Mater Newcastle: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

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

As at 31 Mar 2017 Same time last year

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	0	0

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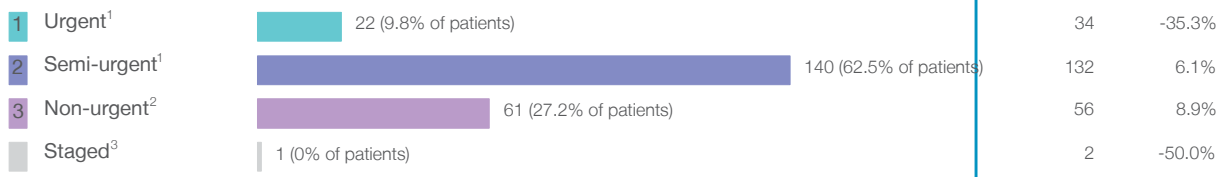
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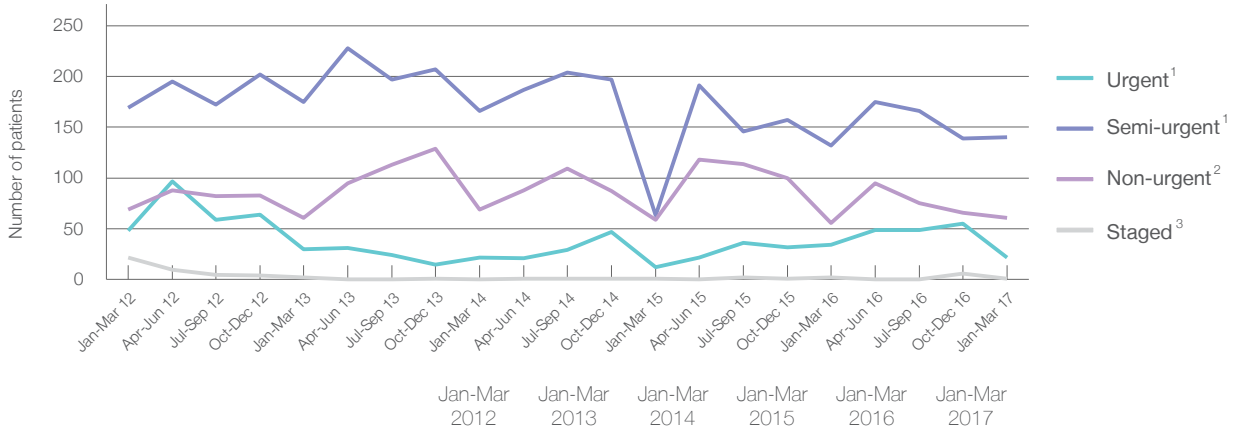
Cessnock District Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 224 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2012 to March 2017



	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Jan-Mar 2017
All categories	308	268	257	135	224	224
Urgent ¹	48	30	22	12	34	22
Semi-urgent ¹	169	175	166	63	132	140
Non-urgent ²	69	61	69	59	56	61
Staged ³	22	2	0	1	2	1

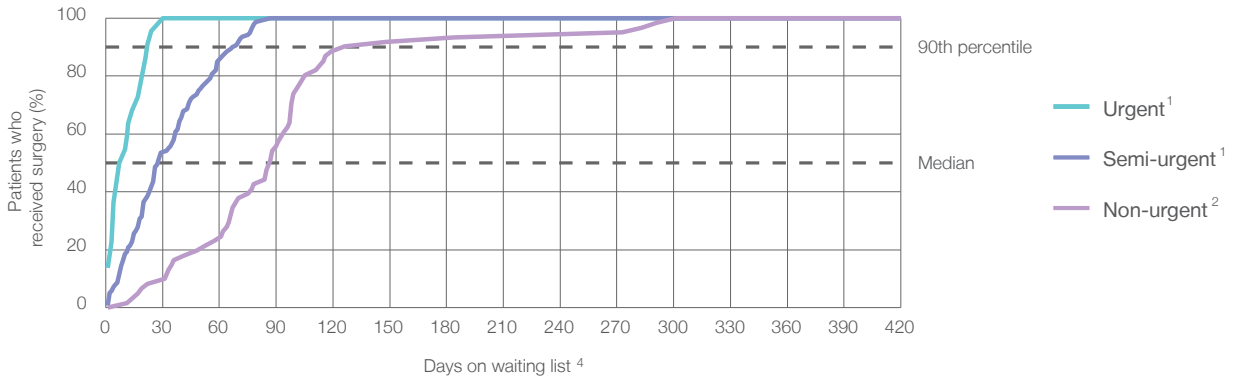
Cessnock District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended:	100%	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	100%	100%	99.8%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	100%	100%	99.4%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	100%	100%	99.6%

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


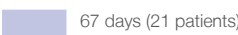
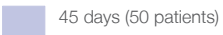



Waiting time (days) for people who received surgery by urgency category

	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent: ¹ 22 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	9 days	13	12
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	25	25
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 140 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	28 days	41	38
90th percentile time to receive surgery	68 days	77	78
3 Non-urgent: ² 61 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	87 days	179	202
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	329	334

Cessnock District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Median ⁵ 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	114
General surgery	 27 days (143 patients)	18	36
Gynaecology	* (9 patients)	n/a	35
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	*	10
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	191
Orthopaedic surgery	 67 days (21 patients)	137	89
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	 45 days (50 patients)	16	52
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	158

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	45
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	196
Cholecystectomy	* (5 patients)	*	39
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	 36 days (20 patients)	13	37
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	73
Hysteroscopy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	30
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (6 patients)	*	70
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	* (5 patients)	*	27
Prostatectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	71
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	227
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	167
Total hip replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Total knee replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)	*	163

Cessnock District Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 79 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 119 patients

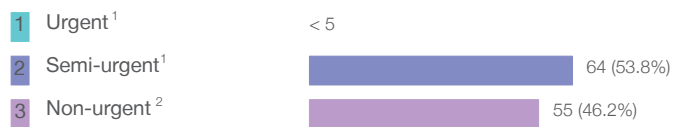
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 16 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	72	9.7%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	107	11.2%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	6	166.7%

Cessnock District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 119 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	6	*
Semi-urgent ¹	31	103.2%
Non-urgent ²	70	-21.4%

Cessnock District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 119 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	119	107	11.2%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	62	61	1.6%
Gynaecology	< 5	7	*
Medical	0	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	18	31	-41.9%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	35	7	400.0%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	7	< 5	*
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	16	5	220.0%
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	< 5	< 5	*
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	7	5	40.0%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	< 5	5	*
Prostatectomy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	< 5	< 5	n/a

Cessnock District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

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

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	0	0

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Gunnedah District Hospital: Elective surgery performed

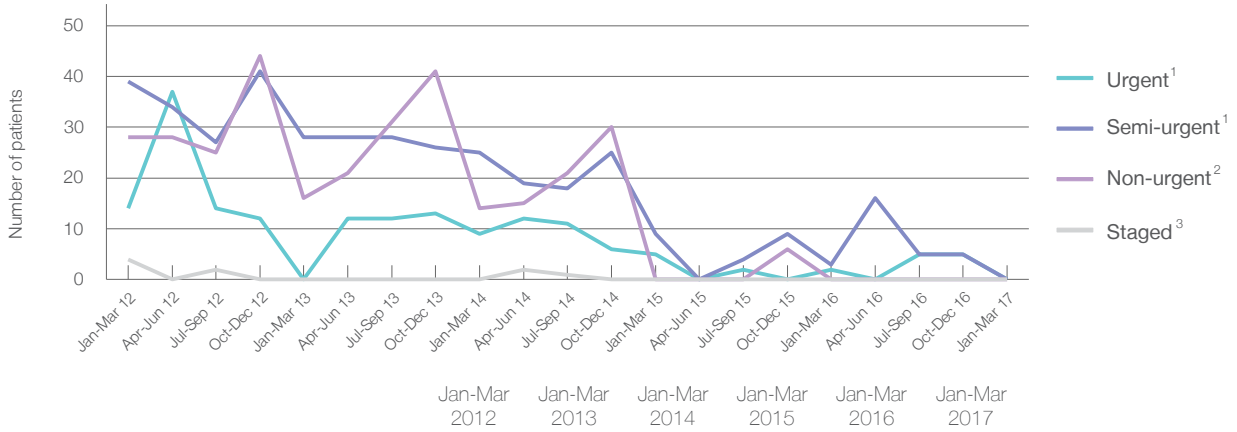
January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 0 patients

1	Urgent ¹	0
2	Semi-urgent ¹	0
3	Non-urgent ²	0
	Staged ³	0

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1	< 5	< 5
2	< 5	< 5
3	0	0
	0	0

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2012 to March 2017



	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Jan-Mar 2017
All categories	85	44	48	14	5	0
Urgent ¹	14	< 5	9	5	< 5	0
Semi-urgent ¹	39	28	25	9	< 5	0
Non-urgent ²	28	16	14	0	0	0
Staged ³	4	0	0	0	0	0

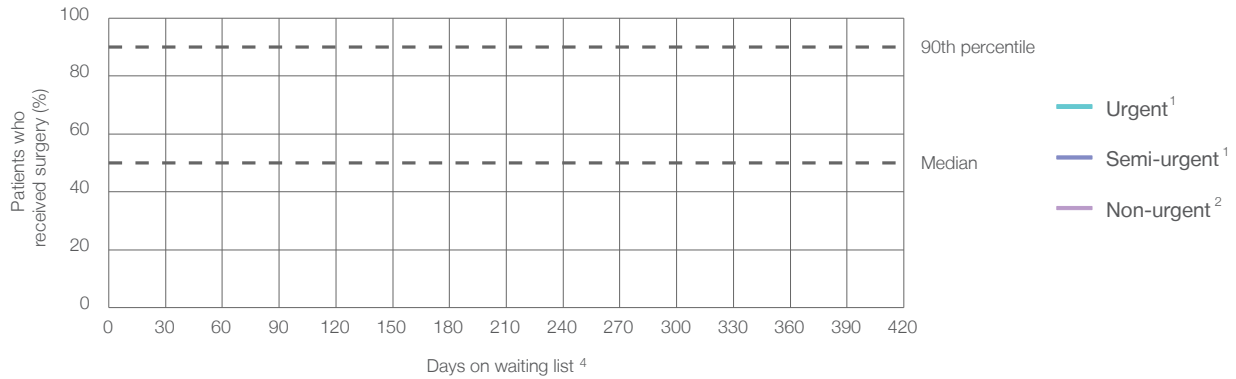
Gunnedah District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

			Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1	Urgent ¹	Recommended: 30 days	*	99.8%
2	Semi-urgent ¹	Recommended: 90 days	*	99.4%
3	Non-urgent ²	Recommended: 365 days	*	99.6%

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)
1	Urgent: ¹ 0 patients			
	Median time to receive surgery	*	13	*
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	25	*
2	Semi-urgent: ¹ 0 patients			
	Median time to receive surgery	*	41	*
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	77	*
3	Non-urgent: ² 0 patients			
	Median time to receive surgery	*	179	*
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	329	*

Gunnedah District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Median ⁵ 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	114
General surgery	n/a (0 patients)	*	36
Gynaecology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	35
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	10
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	191
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	89
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	52
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	158

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	45
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	196
Cholecystectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	39
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	37
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	73
Hysteroscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	30
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	70
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)	*	27
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	71
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	227
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	167
Total hip replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Total knee replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	163

Gunnedah District Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 0 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 11 patients

Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 1 patients

Same period last year	Change since one year ago
< 5	-100.0%
9	22.2%
0	

Gunnedah District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 11 patients

1	Urgent ¹	0 (0%)
2	Semi-urgent ¹	0 (0%)
3	Non-urgent ²	11 (100%)

Same period last year	Change since one year ago
< 5	*
9	-100.0%
< 5	*

Gunnedah District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 11 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	11	9	22.2%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	11	9	22.2%
Gynaecology	0	0	n/a
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	0	0	n/a
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	0	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	0	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	< 5	< 5	*
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	< 5	< 5	n/a
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Gunnedah District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

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

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	0	0

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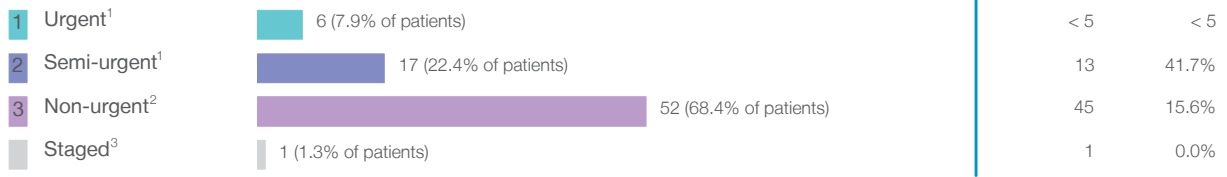
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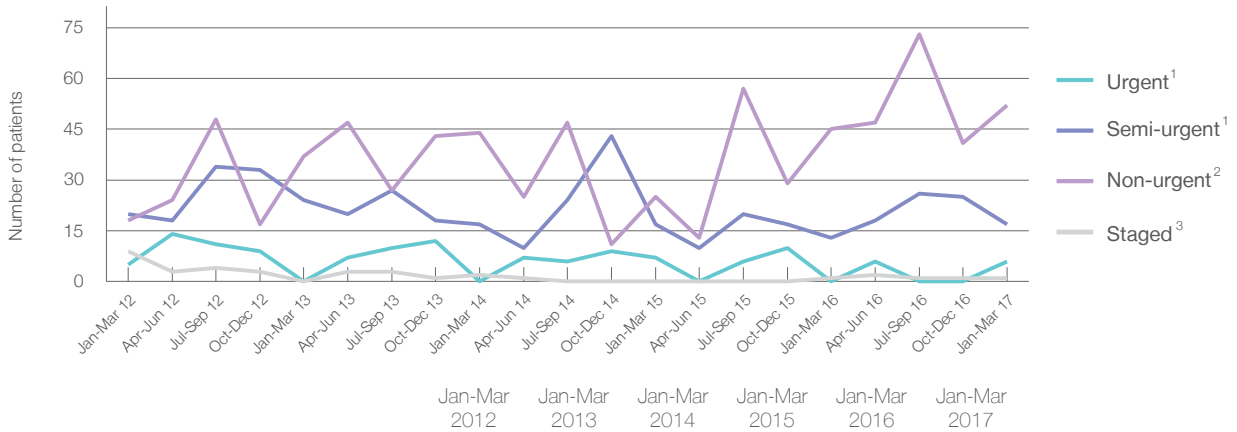
Inverell District Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 76 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2012 to March 2017



	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Jan-Mar 2017
All categories	52	61	63	49	59	76
Urgent ¹	5	< 5	< 5	7	< 5	6
Semi-urgent ¹	20	24	17	17	13	17
Non-urgent ²	18	37	44	25	45	52
Staged ³	9	0	2	0	1	1

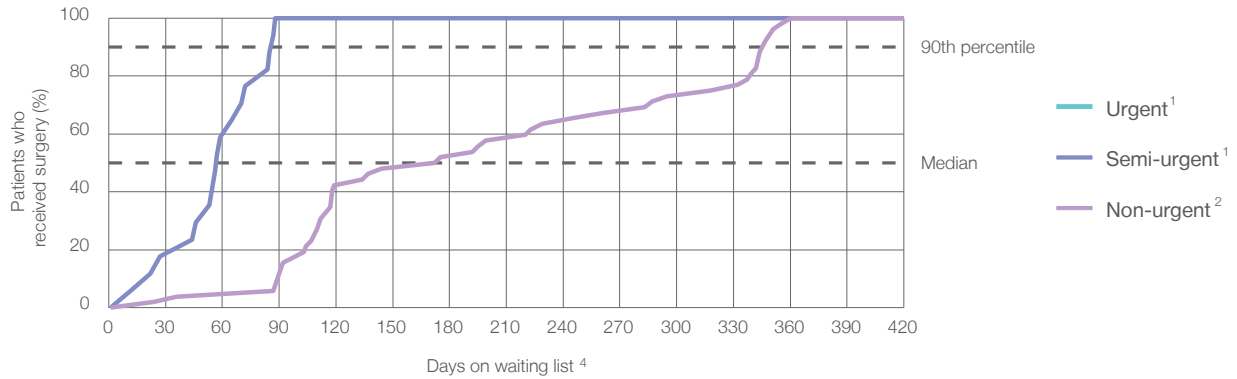
Inverell District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

Urgency Category	Recommended Timeframe	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	Recommended: 30 days	*	99.8%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	Recommended: 90 days	100%	99.4%
3 Non-urgent ²	Recommended: 365 days	100%	99.6%

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





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

Urgency Category	Median	90th percentile	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent: ¹ 6 patients	*	*	13	*	12
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 17 patients	57 days	*	41	27	38
3 Non-urgent: ² 52 patients	174 days	*	179	165	202

Inverell District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Median ⁵ 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	114
General surgery	* (9 patients)	*	36
Gynaecology	* (7 patients)	*	35
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	*	10
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	 119 days (60 patients)	165	191
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	89
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	52
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	158

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	45
Cataract extraction	 119 days (60 patients)	165	196
Cholecystectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	39
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	37
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	73
Hysteroscopy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	30
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	70
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	27
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	71
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Total hip replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Total knee replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	163

Inverell District Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 126 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 92 patients

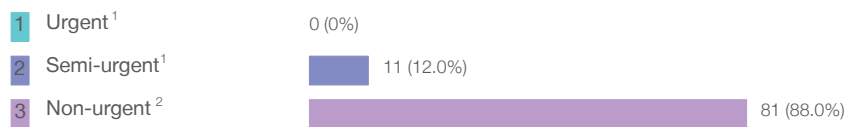
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 16 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	161	-21.7%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	132	-30.3%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	26	-38.5%

Inverell District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 92 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	< 5	*
Semi-urgent ¹	12	0.0%
Non-urgent ²	120	-32.5%

Inverell District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 92 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	92	132	-30.3%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	< 5	< 5	*
Gynaecology	< 5	6	*
Medical	< 5	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	83	123	-32.5%
Orthopaedic surgery	0	0	n/a
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	0	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	83	123	-32.5%
Cholecystectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Hysteroscopy	0	< 5	*
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	0	< 5	n/a
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	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Inverell District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 31st March 2017

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

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	0	0

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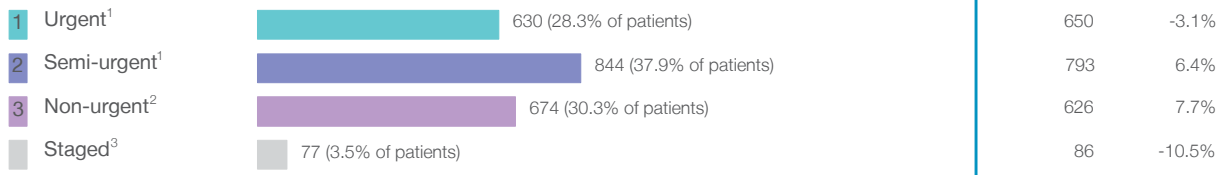
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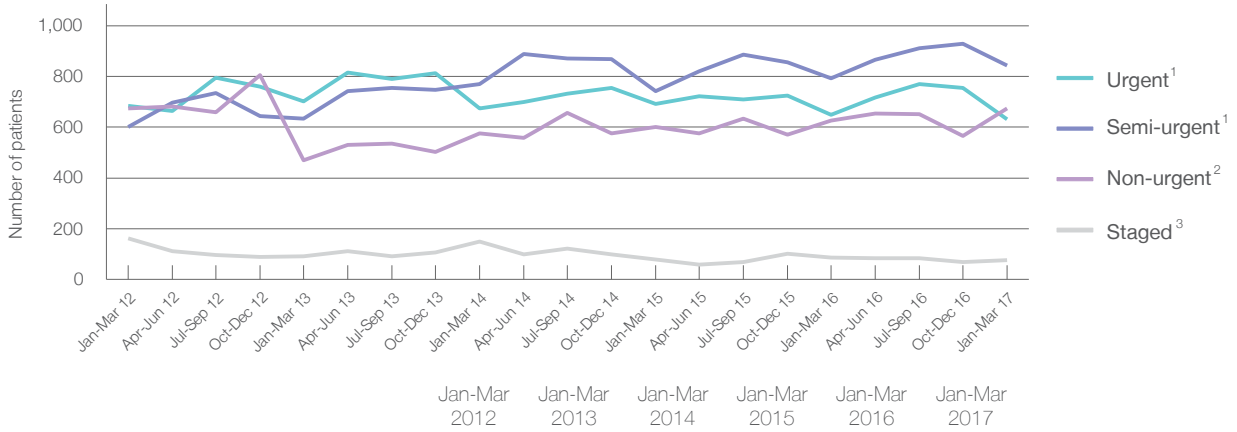
John Hunter Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 2,225 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2012 to March 2017



	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Jan-Mar 2017
All categories	2,121	1,896	2,167	2,113	2,155	2,225
Urgent ¹	684	701	674	691	650	630
Semi-urgent ¹	602	633	769	742	793	844
Non-urgent ²	673	469	575	600	626	674
Staged ³	162	93	149	80	86	77

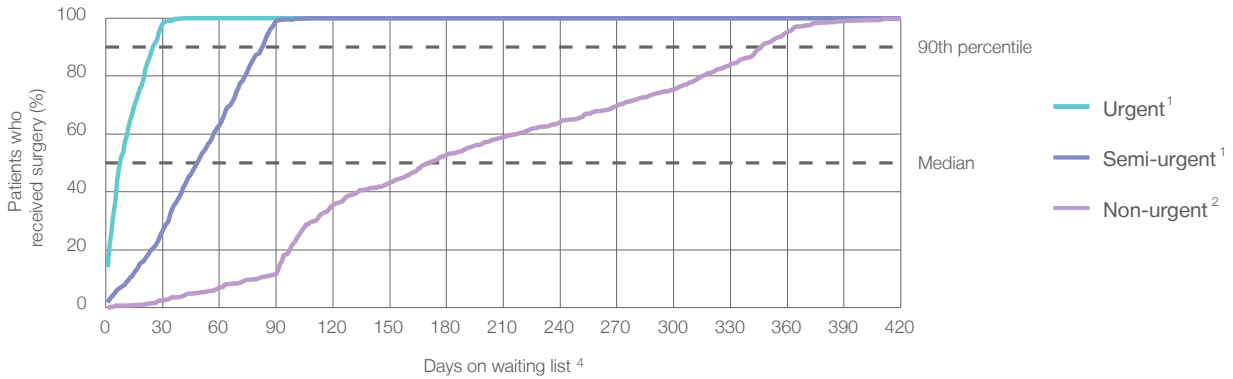
John Hunter Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

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	98.3%	99.7%	99.5%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	99.1%	94.3%	94.5%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	97.0%	94.7%	95.0%

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 (days)	90th Percentile (days)	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent	630	8	25	8	8	8
2 Semi-urgent	844	49	83	42	46	44
3 Non-urgent	674	171	347	177	213	176

John Hunter Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Specialty	Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	28 days (63 patients)	19	28
Ear, nose and throat surgery	70 days (176 patients)	70	158
General surgery	38 days (392 patients)	35	30
Gynaecology	49 days (317 patients)	39	32
Medical	42 days (91 patients)	44	22
Neurosurgery	57 days (230 patients)	55	56
Ophthalmology	56 days (121 patients)	47	126
Orthopaedic surgery	85 days (526 patients)	72	86
Plastic surgery	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	23
Urology	37 days (199 patients)	33	34
Vascular surgery	24 days (107 patients)	20	21

Procedure	Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	32 days (23 patients)	47	49
Cataract extraction	63 days (49 patients)	123	156
Cholecystectomy	63 days (39 patients)	88	42
Coronary artery bypass graft	28 days (19 patients)	20	42
Cystoscopy	31 days (140 patients)	32	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	90
Hysteroscopy	57 days (59 patients)	57	34
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	74 days (31 patients)	70	69
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	269
Myringotomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	88
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	22
Prostatectomy	* (< 5 patients)	54	69
Septoplasty	* (6 patients)	43	337
Tonsillectomy	90 days (55 patients)	169	333
Total hip replacement	104 days (69 patients)	268	102
Total knee replacement	321 days (91 patients)	299	249
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (8 patients)	*	111

John Hunter Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 2,615 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 2,597 patients

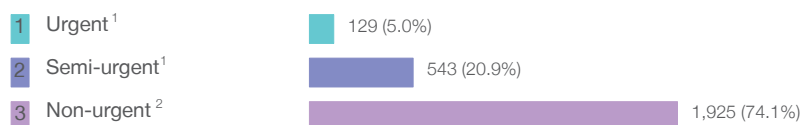
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 454 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	2,416	8.2%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	2,237	16.1%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	515	-11.8%

John Hunter Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 2,597 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	91	41.8%
Semi-urgent ¹	482	12.7%
Non-urgent ²	1,664	15.7%

John Hunter Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 2,597 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	2,597	2,237	16.1%
Cardiothoracic surgery	19	28	-32.1%
Ear, nose and throat surgery	255	353	-27.8%
General surgery	367	285	28.8%
Gynaecology	352	256	37.5%
Medical	73	59	23.7%
Neurosurgery	257	116	121.6%
Ophthalmology	80	128	-37.5%
Orthopaedic surgery	1,040	884	17.6%
Plastic surgery	< 5	0	n/a
Urology	116	102	13.7%
Vascular surgery	35	26	34.6%

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	15	17	-11.8%
Cataract extraction	40	48	-16.7%
Cholecystectomy	57	36	58.3%
Coronary artery bypass graft	< 5	8	*
Cystoscopy	59	44	34.1%
Haemorrhoidectomy	7	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	45	31	45.2%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	51	38	34.2%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	11	17	-35.3%
Myringotomy	5	< 5	*
Other - General	0	< 5	*
Prostatectomy	8	< 5	*
Septoplasty	36	33	9.1%
Tonsillectomy	71	92	-22.8%
Total hip replacement	174	155	12.3%
Total knee replacement	357	281	27.0%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	< 5	< 5	*

John Hunter Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 31st March 2017

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

As at 31 Mar 2017 Same time last year

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	12	31

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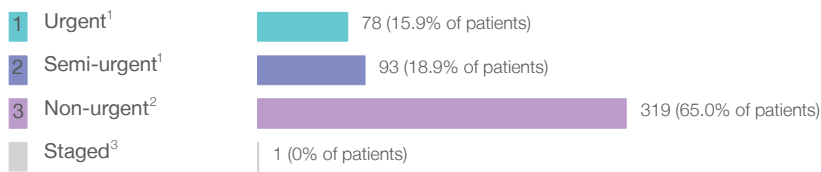
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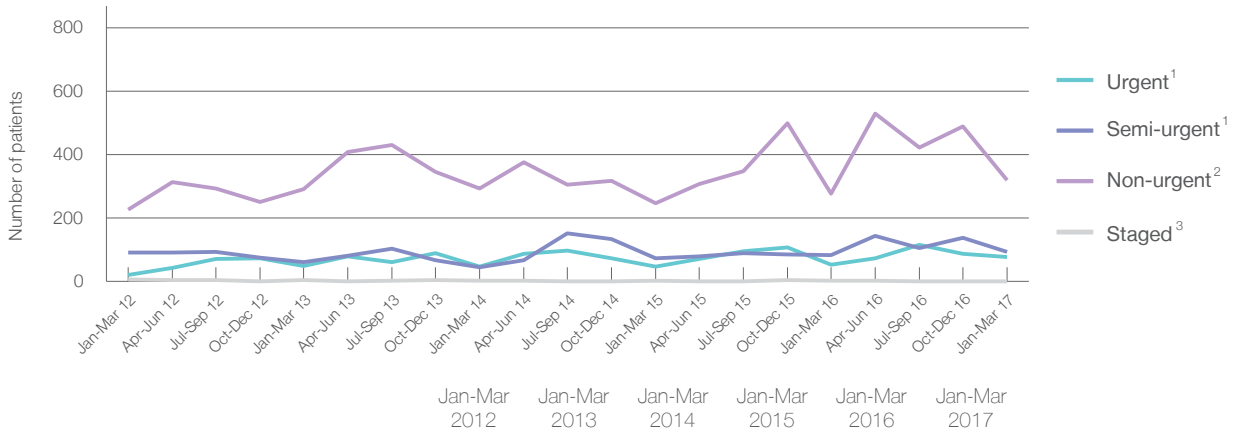
January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 491 patients



Urgency Category	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent ¹	54	44.4%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	84	10.7%
3 Non-urgent ²	278	14.7%
Staged ³	3	-66.7%

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2012 to March 2017



Urgency Category	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Jan-Mar 2017
All categories	345	407	390	371	419	491
Urgent ¹	22	49	47	48	54	78
Semi-urgent ¹	91	61	46	74	84	93
Non-urgent ²	226	292	294	247	278	319
Staged ³	6	5	3	2	3	1

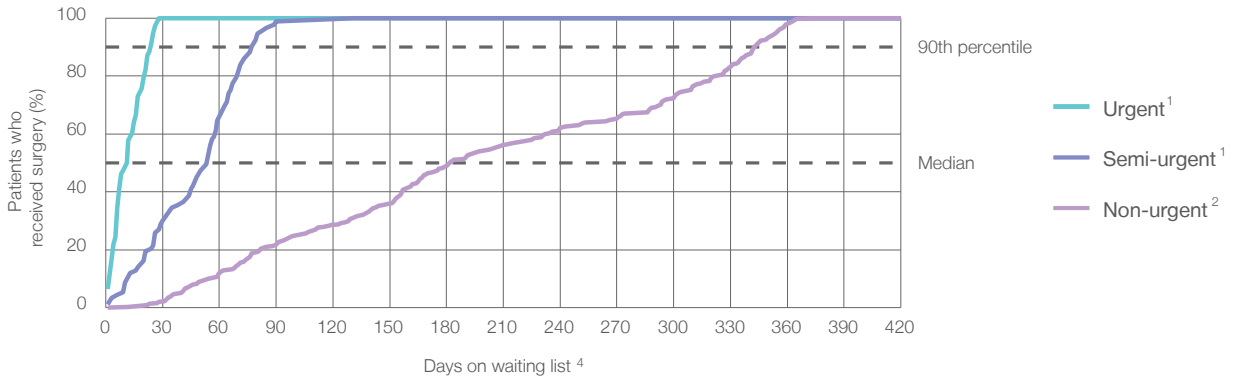
Kurri Kurri District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended:		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	100%	100%	99.8%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	98.9%	100%	99.4%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	99.7%	98.2%	99.6%

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)
1 Urgent: ¹ 78 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	12 days	13	13	12
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	25	*	25
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 93 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	55 days	41	57	38
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	77	*	78
3 Non-urgent: ² 319 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	182 days	179	262	202
90th percentile time to receive surgery	343 days	329	341	334

Kurri Kurri District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Median ⁵ 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	 97 days (32 patients)	49	114
General surgery	 55 days (20 patients)	*	36
Gynaecology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	35
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	10
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	 112 days (439 patients)	201	191
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	89
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	52
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	158

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	45
Cataract extraction	 162 days (322 patients)	246	196
Cholecystectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	39
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	37
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	73
Hysteroscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	30
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	70
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	27
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	71
Septoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	227
Tonsillectomy	* (5 patients)	*	167
Total hip replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Total knee replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	163

Kurri Kurri District Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,013 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,056 patients

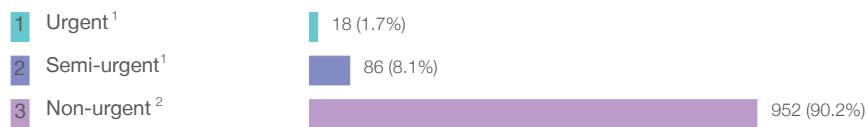
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 61 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	920	10.1%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	990	6.7%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	39	56.4%

Kurri Kurri District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,056 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	5	260.0%
Semi-urgent ¹	76	13.2%
Non-urgent ²	909	4.7%

Kurri Kurri District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,056 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,056	990	6.7%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	59	128	-53.9%
General surgery	24	< 5	*
Gynaecology	0	0	n/a
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	973	860	13.1%
Orthopaedic surgery	0	0	n/a
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	0	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	805	768	4.8%
Cholecystectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Hysteroscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	0	< 5	n/a
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	< 5	< 5	*
Myringotomy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Other - General	0	< 5	n/a
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	20	43	-53.5%
Tonsillectomy	8	12	-33.3%
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Kurri Kurri District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

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

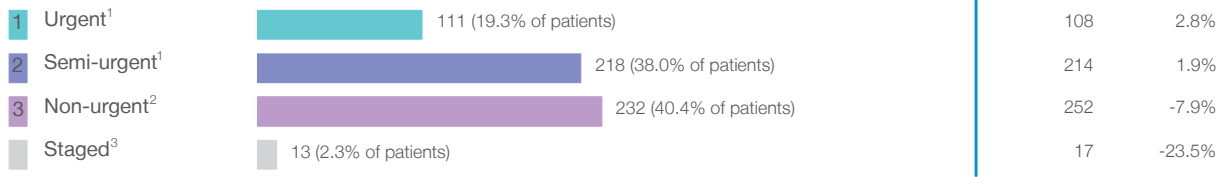
	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	9	43

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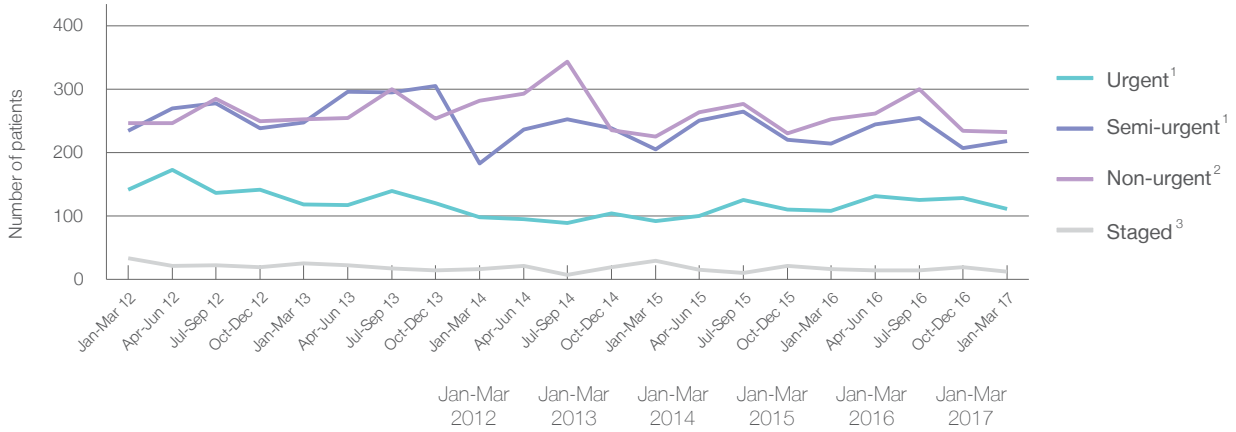
Maitland Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 574 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2012 to March 2017



Urgency Category	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Jan-Mar 2017
All categories	656	644	580	552	591	574
Urgent ¹	142	118	98	92	108	111
Semi-urgent ¹	234	247	183	205	214	218
Non-urgent ²	246	253	282	225	252	232
Staged ³	34	26	17	30	17	13

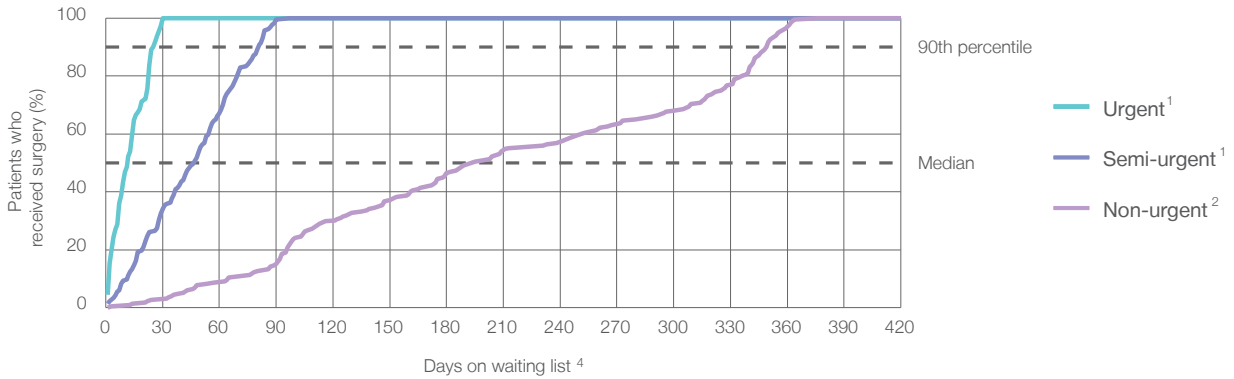
Maitland Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended:		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	100%	99.1%	99.7%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	99.5%	97.7%	97.1%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	99.6%	100%	95.9%

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)
1 Urgent: ¹ 111 patients	Median time to receive surgery	12 days	13	10
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	25 days	27	28
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 218 patients	Median time to receive surgery	48 days	50	40
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	81 days	84	83
3 Non-urgent: ² 232 patients	Median time to receive surgery	195 days	266	249
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	349 days	358	343

Maitland Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Median ⁵ 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	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	 80 days (56 patients)	97	247
General surgery	 36 days (182 patients)	43	62
Gynaecology	 45 days (83 patients)	49	49
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	287
Orthopaedic surgery	 172 days (171 patients)	266	236
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	81
Urology	 43 days (82 patients)	28	39
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	23

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	 66 days (13 patients)	90	82
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	292
Cholecystectomy	 84 days (27 patients)	29	70
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	 36 days (26 patients)	18	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (5 patients)	*	78
Hysteroscopy	 23 days (21 patients)	34	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	 84 days (13 patients)	65	105
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	309
Myringotomy	* (7 patients)	*	64
Other - General	 22 days (14 patients)	*	55
Prostatectomy	* (7 patients)	*	64
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	324
Tonsillectomy	 204 days (31 patients)	*	286
Total hip replacement	 316 days (14 patients)	304	275
Total knee replacement	 340 days (31 patients)	305	313
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	144

Maitland Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 831 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 805 patients

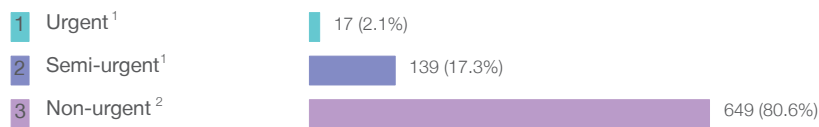
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 141 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	904	-8.1%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	837	-3.8%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	145	-2.8%

Maitland Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 805 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	21	-19.0%
Semi-urgent ¹	127	9.4%
Non-urgent ²	689	-5.8%

Maitland Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 805 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	805	837	-3.8%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	61	73	-16.4%
General surgery	144	143	0.7%
Gynaecology	83	152	-45.4%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	450	430	4.7%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	67	39	71.8%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	17	49	-65.3%
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	20	15	33.3%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	16	12	33.3%
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	5	*
Hysteroscopy	12	22	-45.5%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	19	18	5.6%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	< 5	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	6	< 5	*
Other - General	9	8	12.5%
Prostatectomy	15	8	87.5%
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	37	38	-2.6%
Total hip replacement	58	58	0.0%
Total knee replacement	125	130	-3.8%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	< 5	< 5	n/a

Maitland Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 31st March 2017

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

As at 31 Mar 2017 Same time last year

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	0	0

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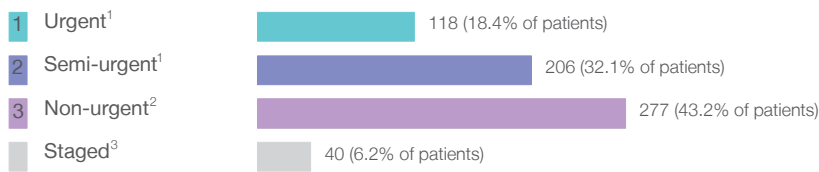
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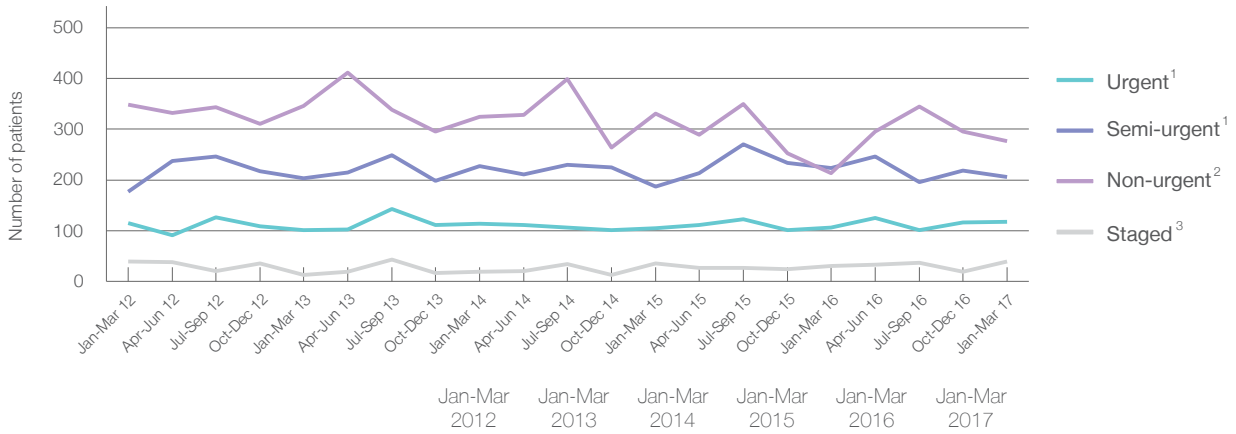
January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 641 patients



Urgency Category	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent ¹	107	10.3%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	223	-7.6%
3 Non-urgent ²	214	29.4%
Staged ³	31	29.0%

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2012 to March 2017



Urgency Category	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Jan-Mar 2017
All categories	680	665	685	659	575	641
Urgent ¹	115	102	114	105	107	118
Semi-urgent ¹	177	204	227	187	223	206
Non-urgent ²	348	346	325	331	214	277
Staged ³	40	13	19	36	31	40

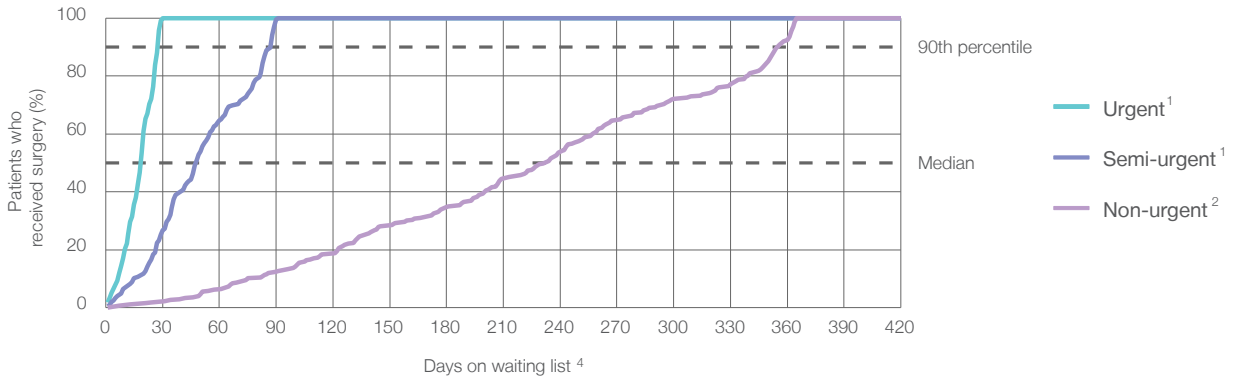
Manning Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

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 ¹	Recommended: 30 days	100%	100%	99.7%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	Recommended: 90 days	99.5%	100%	97.1%
3 Non-urgent ²	Recommended: 365 days	100%	100%	95.9%

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

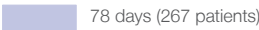
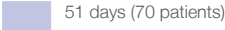








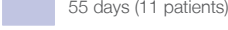

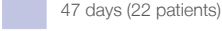


Waiting time (days) for people who received surgery by urgency category

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: ¹	118 patients	19 days	28 days	13	20	13
2 Semi-urgent: ¹	206 patients	48 days	88 days	50	59	51
3 Non-urgent: ²	277 patients	234 days	355 days	266	230	273

Manning Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Median ⁵ 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	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	247
General surgery	 78 days (267 patients)	52	62
Gynaecology	 51 days (70 patients)	58	49
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	 330 days (89 patients)	278	287
Orthopaedic surgery	 162 days (91 patients)	210	236
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	81
Urology	 32 days (123 patients)	34	39
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	23

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	82
Cataract extraction	 333 days (87 patients)	285	292
Cholecystectomy	 121 days (19 patients)	84	70
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	 28 days (81 patients)	26	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	78
Hysteroscopy	 55 days (11 patients)	50	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	 191 days (20 patients)	85	105
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	309
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	64
Other - General	 47 days (22 patients)	29	55
Prostatectomy	* (< 5 patients)	79	64
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	324
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	286
Total hip replacement	 241 days (21 patients)	210	275
Total knee replacement	 239 days (25 patients)	219	313
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)	*	144

Manning Base Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,097 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,106 patients

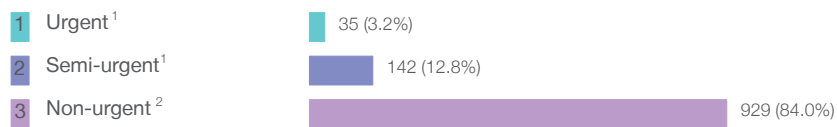
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 171 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	1,032	6.3%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	1,106	0.0%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	137	24.8%

Manning Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,106 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	12	191.7%
Semi-urgent ¹	187	-24.1%
Non-urgent ²	907	2.4%

Manning Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,106 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,106	1,106	0.0%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	267	314	-15.0%
Gynaecology	56	85	-34.1%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	520	421	23.5%
Orthopaedic surgery	226	229	-1.3%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	37	57	-35.1%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	5	9	-44.4%
Cataract extraction	512	413	24.0%
Cholecystectomy	21	32	-34.4%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	19	13	46.2%
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	16	13	23.1%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	24	39	-38.5%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	21	< 5	*
Prostatectomy	8	16	-50.0%
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	48	52	-7.7%
Total knee replacement	97	85	14.1%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	12	12	0.0%

Manning Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

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

As at 31 Mar 2017 Same time last year

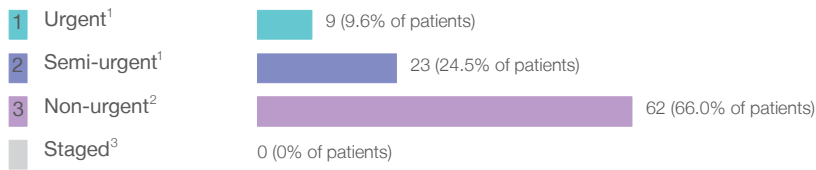
All specialties	0	0
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Moree District Hospital: Elective surgery performed

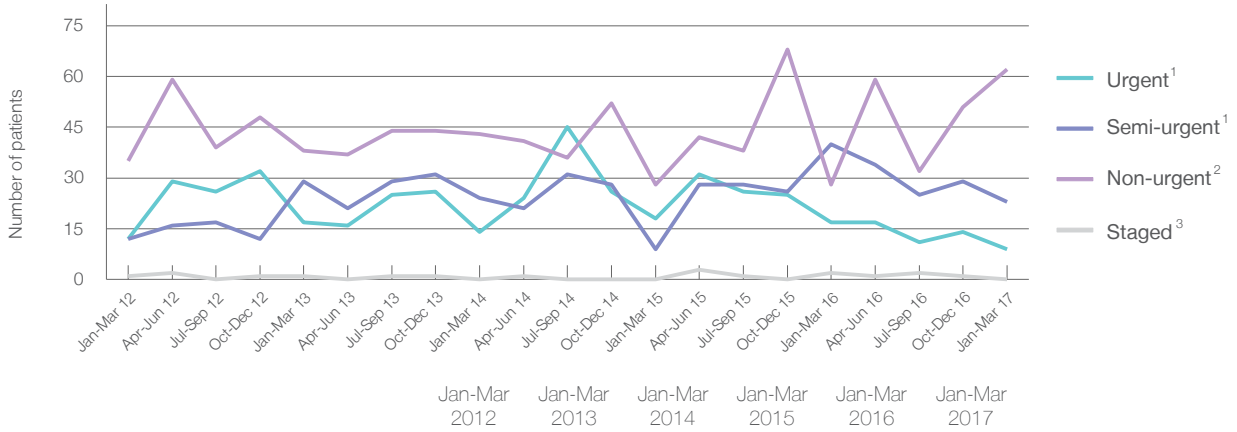
January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 94 patients



Urgency Category	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent ¹	17	-47.1%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	40	-42.5%
3 Non-urgent ²	28	121.4%
Staged ³	2	-100.0%

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2012 to March 2017



Urgency Category	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Jan-Mar 2017
All categories	60	85	81	55	87	94
Urgent ¹	12	17	14	18	17	9
Semi-urgent ¹	12	29	24	9	40	23
Non-urgent ²	35	38	43	28	28	62
Staged ³	1	1	0	0	2	0

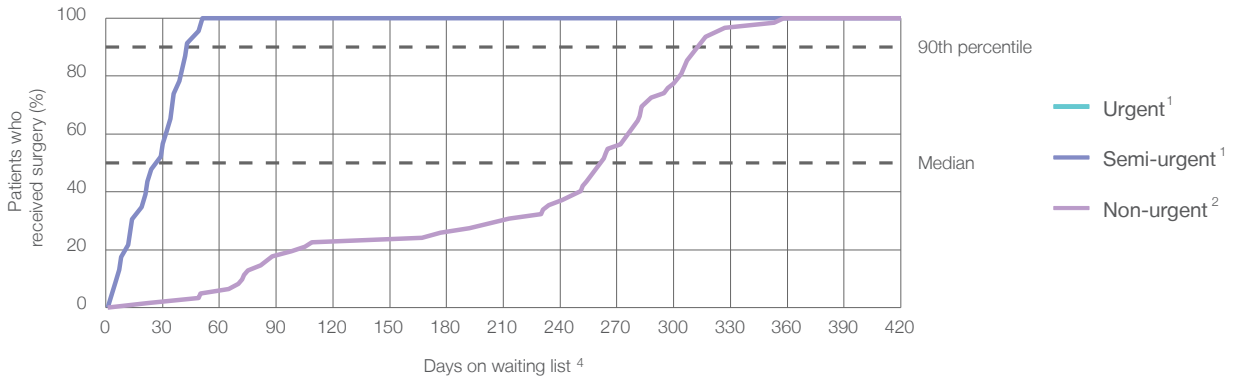
Moree District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

Urgency Category	Recommended Timeframe	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	Recommended: 30 days *	100%	99.8%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	Recommended: 90 days 100%	100%	99.4%
3 Non-urgent ²	Recommended: 365 days 100%	100%	99.6%

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 ¹	9 patients	* 13	* 25	13	8	12
2 Semi-urgent ¹	23 patients	29 days 41	* 77	41	33	38
3 Non-urgent ²	62 patients	263 days 179	* 329	179	256	202

Moree District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Median ⁵ 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	* (< 5 patients)	*	114
General surgery	 30 days (42 patients)	19	36
Gynaecology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	35
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	10
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	 281 days (47 patients)	261	191
Orthopaedic surgery	* (< 5 patients)	*	89
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	52
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	158

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	45
Cataract extraction	 282 days (44 patients)	261	196
Cholecystectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	39
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	37
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	73
Hysteroscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	30
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (< 5 patients)	*	70
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	27
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	71
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	227
Tonsillectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	167
Total hip replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Total knee replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	163

Moree District Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 115 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 116 patients

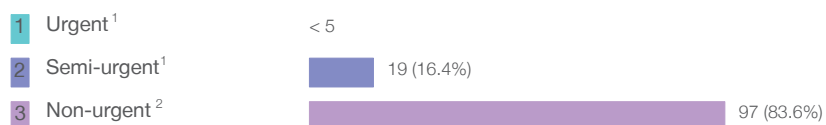
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 12 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	125	-8.0%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	108	7.4%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	16	-25.0%

Moree District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 116 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	< 5	*
Semi-urgent ¹	11	50.0%
Non-urgent ²	97	0.0%

Moree District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 116 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	116	108	7.4%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	7	6	16.7%
General surgery	14	9	55.6%
Gynaecology	0	0	n/a
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	92	93	-1.1%
Orthopaedic surgery	< 5	0	n/a
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	0	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	85	87	-2.3%
Cholecystectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Hysteroscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	0	< 5	*
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	*
Other - General	0	< 5	n/a
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	6	< 5	*
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Moree District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 31st March 2017

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

As at 31 Mar 2017 Same time last year

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	0	0

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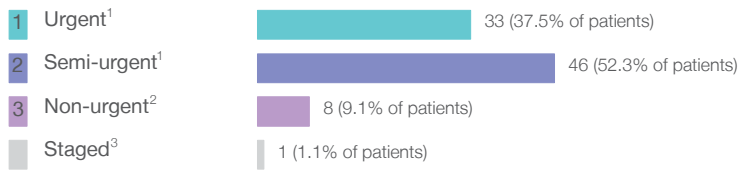
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Muswellbrook District Hospital: Elective surgery performed

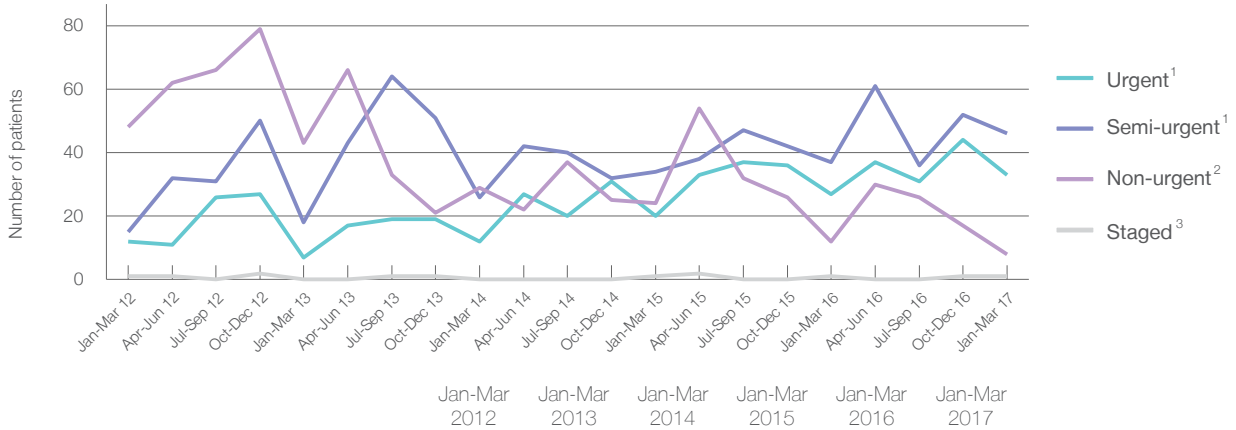
January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 88 patients



Urgency Category	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent ¹	27	22.2%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	37	24.3%
3 Non-urgent ²	12	-33.3%
Staged ³	1	0.0%

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2012 to March 2017



Urgency Category	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Jan-Mar 2017
All categories	76	68	67	79	77	88
Urgent ¹	12	7	12	20	27	33
Semi-urgent ¹	15	18	26	34	37	46
Non-urgent ²	48	43	29	24	12	8
Staged ³	1	0	0	1	1	1

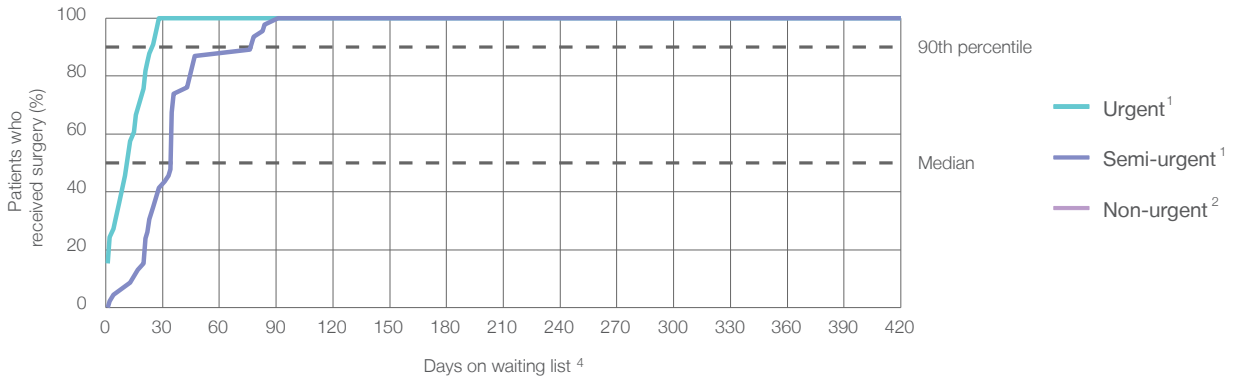
Muswellbrook District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

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	100%	100%	99.8%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	97.8%	100%	99.4%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	*	100%	99.6%

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)
1 Urgent: ¹ 33 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	13	13	12
90th percentile time to receive surgery	25	*	25
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 46 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	41	23	38
90th percentile time to receive surgery	77	*	78
3 Non-urgent: ² 8 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	179	35	202
90th percentile time to receive surgery	329	*	334

Muswellbrook District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Median ⁵ 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	114
General surgery	21 days (55 patients)	13	36
Gynaecology	23 days (11 patients)	*	35
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	10
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	28 days (22 patients)	35	191
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	89
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	52
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	158

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	45
Cataract extraction	28 days (22 patients)	37	196
Cholecystectomy	* (5 patients)	n/a	39
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	37
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	73
Hysteroscopy	* (5 patients)	*	30
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (< 5 patients)	*	70
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
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Other - General	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	27
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	71
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	227
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	167
Total hip replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Total knee replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	*	163

Muswellbrook District Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 20 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 66 patients

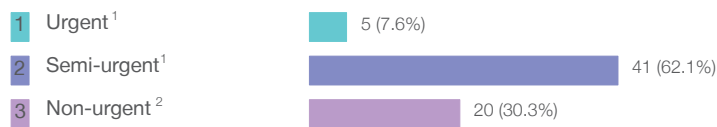
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 11 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	14	42.9%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	39	69.2%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	10	100.0%

Muswellbrook District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 66 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent	6	-16.7%
Semi-urgent	23	78.3%
Non-urgent	10	100.0%

Muswellbrook District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 66 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	66	39	69.2%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	32	17	88.2%
Gynaecology	14	13	7.7%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	20	9	122.2%
Orthopaedic surgery	0	0	n/a
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	0	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	20	9	122.2%
Cholecystectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Hysteroscopy	5	< 5	*
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	< 5	< 5	*
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	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	*

Muswellbrook District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

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

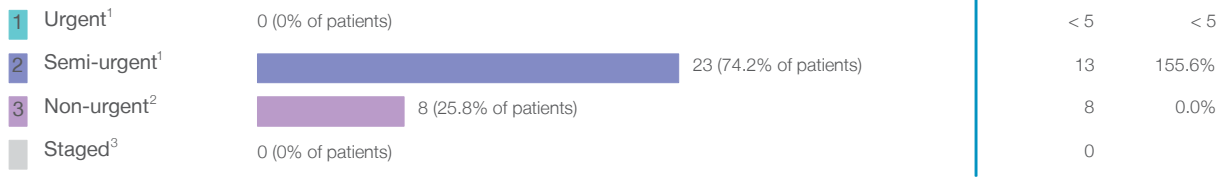
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Narrabri District Hospital: Elective surgery performed

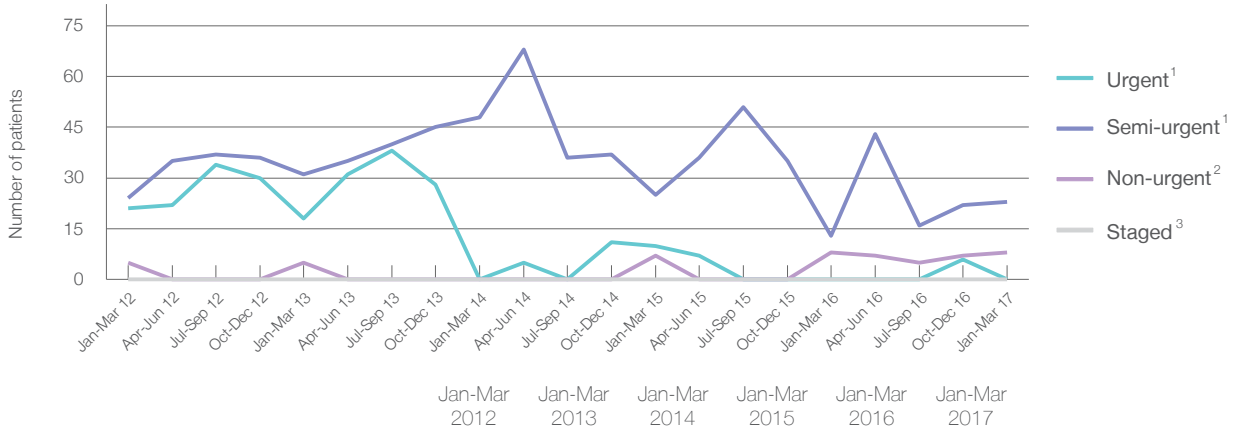
January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 31 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	< 5	< 5
Semi-urgent ¹	13	155.6%
Non-urgent ²	8	0.0%
Staged ³	0	

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2012 to March 2017



	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Jan-Mar 2017
All categories	50	54	48	42	21	31
Urgent ¹	21	18	< 5	10	< 5	0
Semi-urgent ¹	24	31	48	25	13	23
Non-urgent ²	5	5	< 5	7	8	8
Staged ³	0	0	0	0	0	0

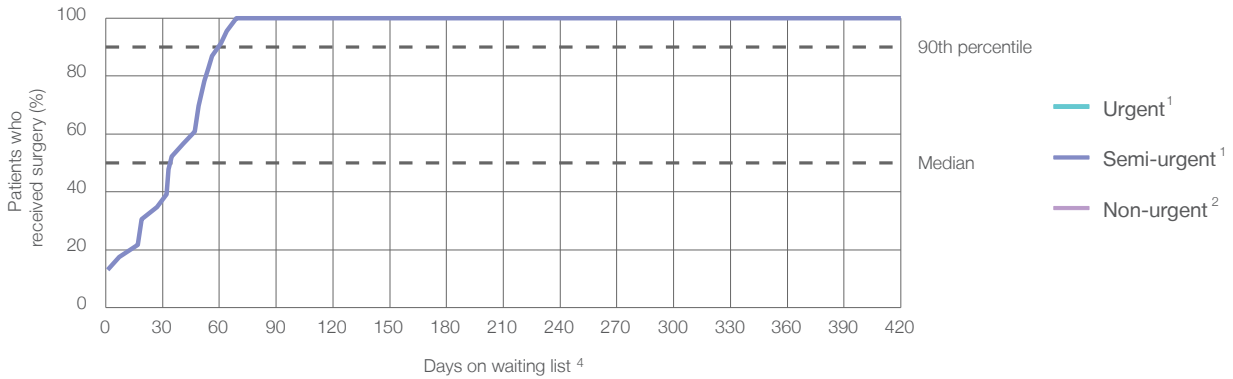
Narrabri District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

Urgency Category	Recommended Timeframe	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	Recommended: 30 days	*	99.8%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	Recommended: 90 days	100%	99.4%
3 Non-urgent ²	Recommended: 365 days	*	99.6%

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 ¹	0 patients	*	*	13	*	12
2 Semi-urgent ¹	23 patients	35 days	*	41	*	38
				77	*	78
3 Non-urgent ²	8 patients	*	*	179	*	202
				329	*	334

Narrabri District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Median ⁵ 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	114
General surgery	38 days (24 patients)	27	36
Gynaecology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	35
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	10
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	191
Orthopaedic surgery	* (7 patients)	*	89
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	52
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	158

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	45
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	196
Cholecystectomy	n/a (0 patients)	*	39
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	37
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	*	73
Hysteroscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	30
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (< 5 patients)	*	70
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	27
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	71
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	227
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	167
Total hip replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Total knee replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	163

Narrabri District Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 15 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 15 patients

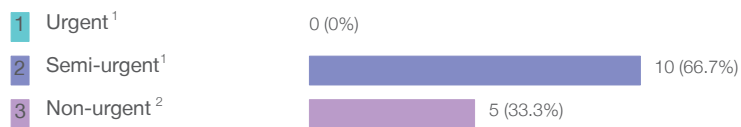
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 10 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	19	-21.1%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	26	-42.3%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	8	25.0%

Narrabri District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

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Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 15 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent	0	
Semi-urgent	18	-44.4%
Non-urgent	8	-37.5%

Narrabri District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 15 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	15	26	-42.3%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	12	21	-42.9%
Gynaecology	0	0	n/a
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	< 5	5	*
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	0	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	0	< 5	*
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Hysteroscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	< 5	< 5	*
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	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Narrabri District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 31st March 2017

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

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	0	0

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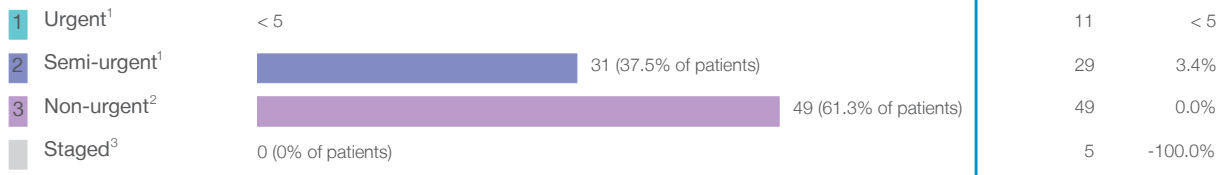
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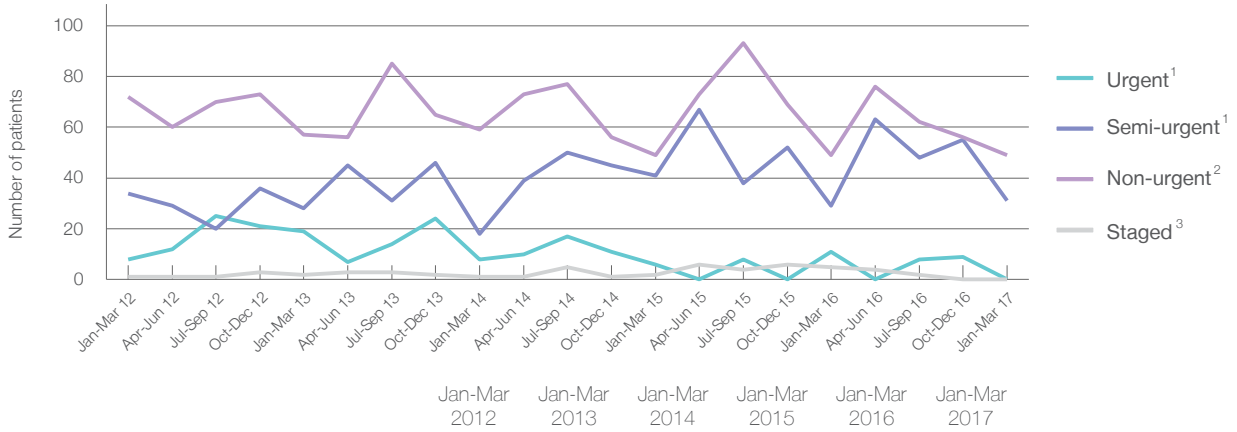
Singleton District Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 80 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2012 to March 2017



	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Jan-Mar 2017
All categories	115	106	86	98	94	80
Urgent ¹	8	19	8	6	11	< 5
Semi-urgent ¹	34	28	18	41	29	31
Non-urgent ²	72	57	59	49	49	49
Staged ³	1	2	1	2	5	0

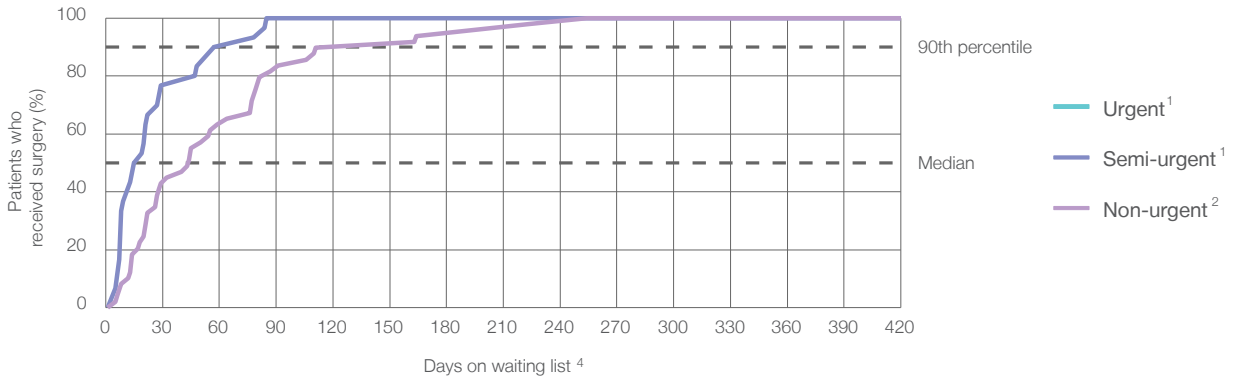
Singleton District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended: (days)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent¹	30 days	100%	99.8%
2 Semi-urgent¹	90 days	100%	99.4%
3 Non-urgent²	365 days	100%	99.6%

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)
1 Urgent:¹ < 5			
Median time to receive surgery	13	3	12
90th percentile time to receive surgery	25	*	25
2 Semi-urgent:¹ 31 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	41	15	38
90th percentile time to receive surgery	77	*	78
3 Non-urgent:² 49 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	179	58	202
90th percentile time to receive surgery	329	*	334

Singleton District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Median ⁵ 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	114
General surgery	21 days (52 patients)	16	36
Gynaecology	61 days (20 patients)	79	35
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	*	10
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	191
Orthopaedic surgery	* (7 patients)	*	89
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	52
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	158

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	45
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	196
Cholecystectomy	21 days (11 patients)	16	39
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	*	37
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	73
Hysteroscopy	* (7 patients)	*	30
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (< 5 patients)	*	70
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)	*	27
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	71
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	227
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	167
Total hip replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Total knee replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	163

Singleton District Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 30 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 52 patients

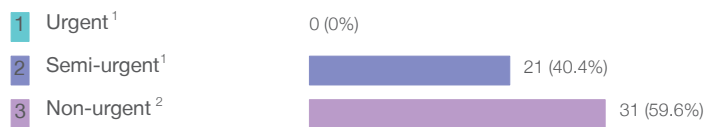
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 3 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	40	-25.0%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	68	-23.5%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	9	-66.7%

Singleton District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 52 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	0	
Semi-urgent ¹	10	110.0%
Non-urgent ²	58	-46.6%

Singleton District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 52 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	52	68	-23.5%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	33	22	50.0%
Gynaecology	9	28	-67.9%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	10	18	-44.4%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	0	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	6	5	20.0%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Hysteroscopy	6	6	0.0%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	< 5	< 5	*
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	< 5	< 5	n/a
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Singleton District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

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

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	0	0

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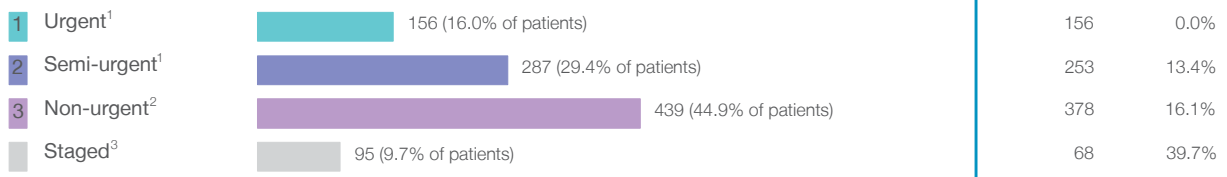
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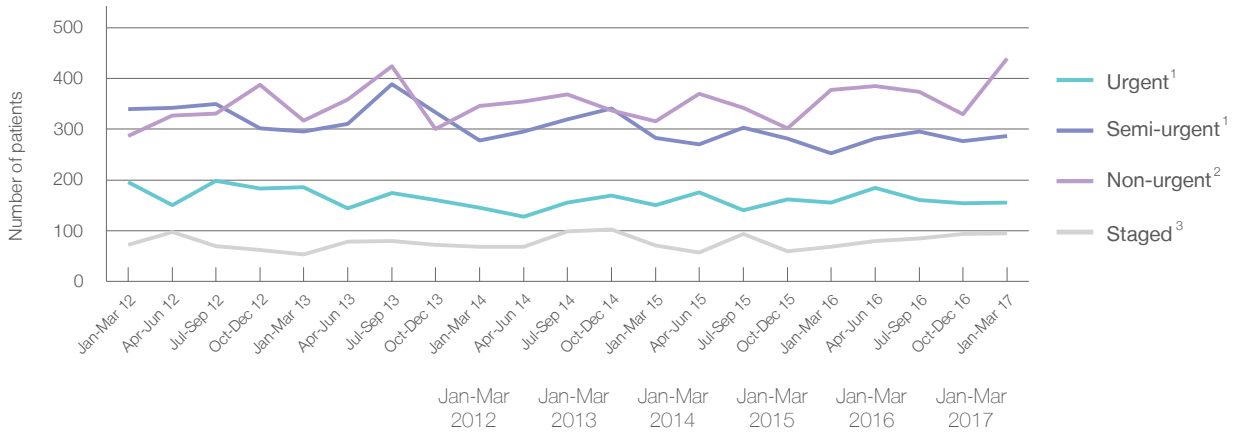
Tamworth Base Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 977 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2012 to March 2017



Urgency Category	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Jan-Mar 2017
All categories	894	852	839	821	855	977
Urgent ¹	196	186	146	151	156	156
Semi-urgent ¹	339	296	278	283	253	287
Non-urgent ²	287	317	346	316	378	439
Staged ³	72	53	69	71	68	95

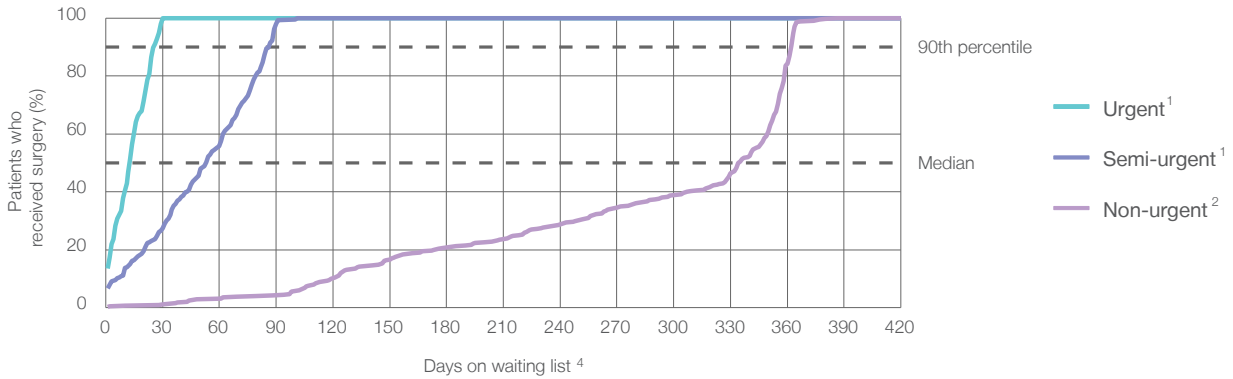
Tamworth Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended:	Percentage	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	100%	100%	99.7%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	97.9%	99.2%	97.1%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	98.6%	100%	95.9%

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)
1 Urgent: ¹ 156 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	13 days	13	16
90th percentile time to receive surgery	26 days	27	27
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 287 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	53 days	50	61
90th percentile time to receive surgery	87 days	84	85
3 Non-urgent: ² 439 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	335 days	266	287
90th percentile time to receive surgery	362 days	358	358

Tamworth Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Median ⁵ 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	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	247
General surgery	41 days (258 patients)	27	62
Gynaecology	50 days (119 patients)	84	49
Medical	3 days (10 patients)	*	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	350 days (270 patients)	309	287
Orthopaedic surgery	256 days (104 patients)	111	236
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	81
Urology	61 days (216 patients)	68	39
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	23

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	77 days (14 patients)	117	82
Cataract extraction	352 days (214 patients)	327	292
Cholecystectomy	37 days (30 patients)	52	70
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	52 days (118 patients)	46	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	78
Hysteroscopy	* (< 5 patients)	*	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	134 days (29 patients)	126	105
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	309
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	64
Other - General	* (5 patients)	*	55
Prostatectomy	45 days (45 patients)	83	64
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	324
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	286
Total hip replacement	240 days (16 patients)	125	275
Total knee replacement	333 days (32 patients)	188	313
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)	*	144

Tamworth Base Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,622 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,699 patients

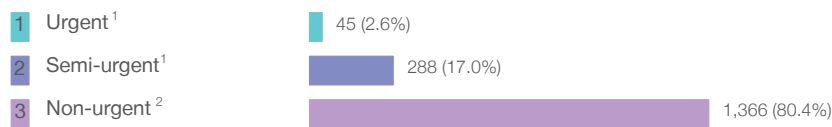
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 307 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	1,460	11.1%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	1,627	4.4%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	253	21.3%

Tamworth Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,699 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	39	15.4%
Semi-urgent ¹	272	5.9%
Non-urgent ²	1,316	3.8%

Tamworth Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,699 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,699	1,627	4.4%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	259	261	-0.8%
Gynaecology	95	143	-33.6%
Medical	< 5	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	987	861	14.6%
Orthopaedic surgery	189	244	-22.5%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	166	118	40.7%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	20	29	-31.0%
Cataract extraction	826	721	14.6%
Cholecystectomy	31	34	-8.8%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	43	36	19.4%
Haemorrhoidectomy	6	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	0	< 5	*
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	50	31	61.3%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	6	10	-40.0%
Prostatectomy	42	31	35.5%
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	34	58	-41.4%
Total knee replacement	51	81	-37.0%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	< 5	< 5	*

Tamworth Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

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

As at 31 Mar 2017

Same time last year

All specialties	20	< 5
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