

Healthcare Quarterly

# Elective Surgery

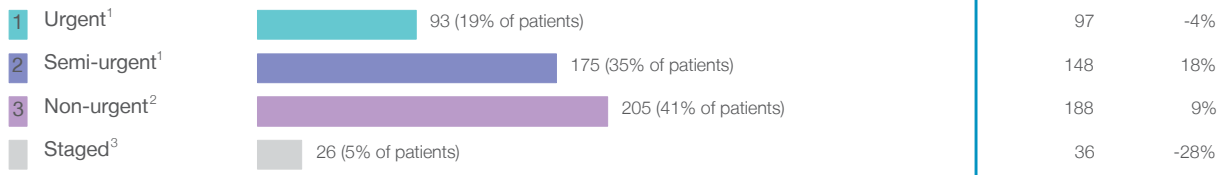
Western NSW Local Health District  
Performance Profiles

April to June 2018

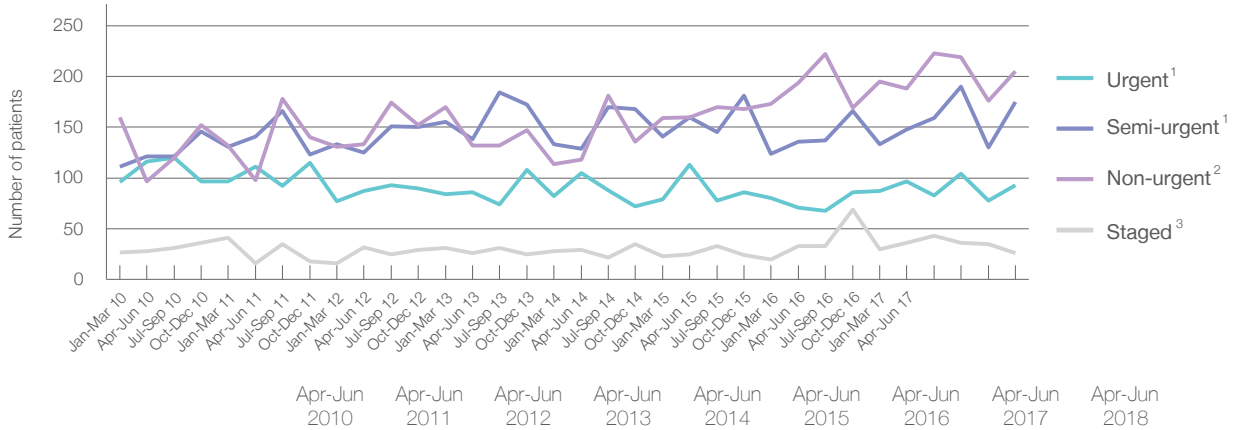
## Bathurst Health Service: Elective surgery performed

April to June 2018

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 499 patients



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



All categories	362	366	377	382	381	458	434	469	499
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	116	111	87	86	105	113	71	97	93
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	121	141	125	138	129	160	136	148	175
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	97	98	133	132	118	160	194	188	205
Staged <sup>3</sup>	28	16	32	26	29	25	33	36	26

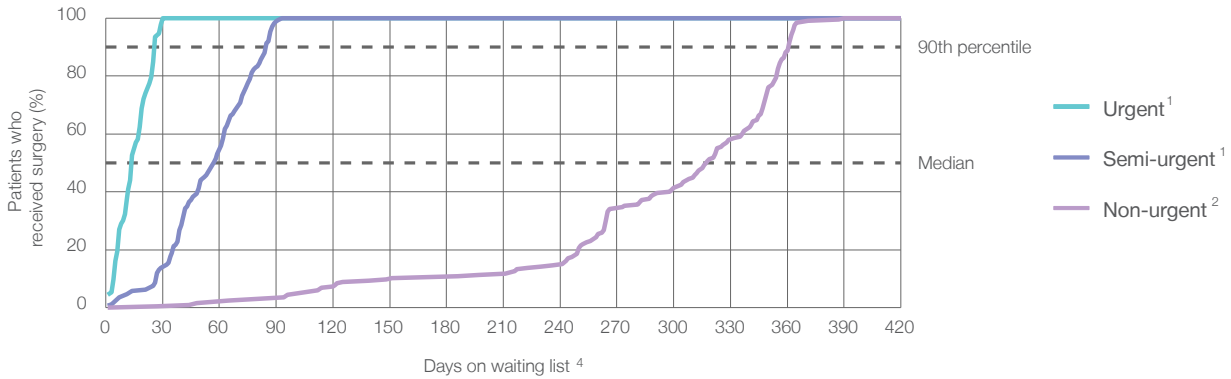
## Bathurst Health Service: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2018

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

	Recommended: (days)	Percentage	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent <sup>1</sup>	30 days	100%	100%	99.9%
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	90 days	98.9%	98.6%	98.7%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	365 days	98.5%	98.9%	97.4%

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



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

	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
<b>1 Urgent:</b> <sup>1</sup> 93 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	14 days	14	19
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	27	27
<b>2 Semi-urgent:</b> <sup>1</sup> 175 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	57 days	54	60
90th percentile time to receive surgery	85 days	84	81
<b>3 Non-urgent:</b> <sup>2</sup> 205 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	318 days	269	287
90th percentile time to receive surgery	361 days	352	351

## Bathurst Health Service: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2018

### Median<sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon

Specialty	Waiting time (days) (n patients)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	304 days (81 patients)	81	254
General surgery	57 days (156 patients)	30	51
Gynaecology	41 days (67 patients)	46	44
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	27
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	250 days (55 patients)	192	277
Orthopaedic surgery	300 days (105 patients)	285	160
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	71
Urology	33 days (35 patients)	23	33
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	119

### Median<sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures<sup>7</sup>

Procedure	Waiting time (days) (n patients)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	74
Cataract extraction	250 days (53 patients)	192	277
Cholecystectomy	68 days (25 patients)	72	59
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	* (6 patients)	43	30
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	*	72
Hysteroscopy	* (6 patients)	*	37
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (8 patients)	87	81
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	* (5 patients)	*	29
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	133
Septoplasty	* (6 patients)	*	318
Tonsillectomy	326 days (60 patients)	83	305
Total hip replacement	316 days (28 patients)	162	245
Total knee replacement	311 days (36 patients)	308	288
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	*	175

## Bathurst Health Service: Elective surgery waiting list

April to June 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 868 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 852 patients

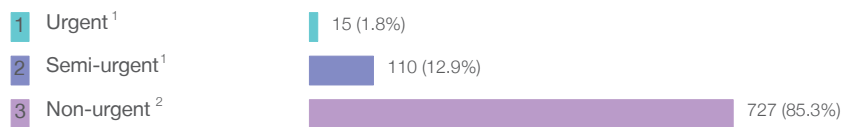
Patients not ready for surgery<sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter: 97 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	823	5%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	862	-1%
Patients not ready for surgery <sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter	103	-6%

## Bathurst Health Service: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 852 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	16	-6%
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	94	17%
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	752	-3%

## Bathurst Health Service: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th June 2018

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 852 patients

	As at 30 Jun 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	852	862	-1%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	145	165	-12%
General surgery	162	173	-6%
Gynaecology	83	92	-10%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	145	112	29%
Orthopaedic surgery	309	309	0%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	8	11	-27%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

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

	As at 30 Jun 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	< 5	15	*
Cataract extraction	136	107	27%
Cholecystectomy	25	16	56%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	< 5	< 5	*
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	6	5	20%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	13	24	-46%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	< 5	< 5	*
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	6	9	-33%
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	*
Septoplasty	11	8	38%
Tonsillectomy	111	136	-18%
Total hip replacement	77	81	-5%
Total knee replacement	129	128	1%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	< 5	< 5	*

**Bathurst Health Service: Patients ready for elective surgery**  
as at 30th June 2018

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

As at 30 Jun 2018      Same time last year

	As at 30 Jun 2018	Same time last year
All specialties	0	0

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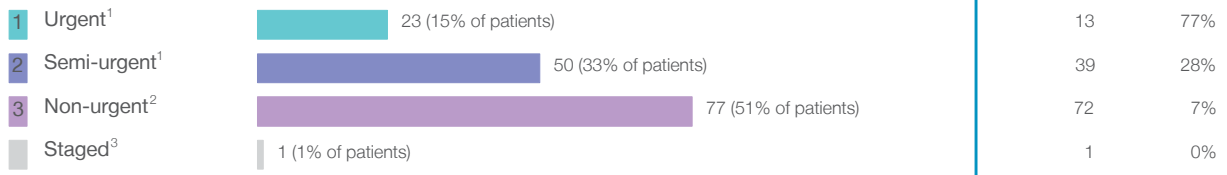
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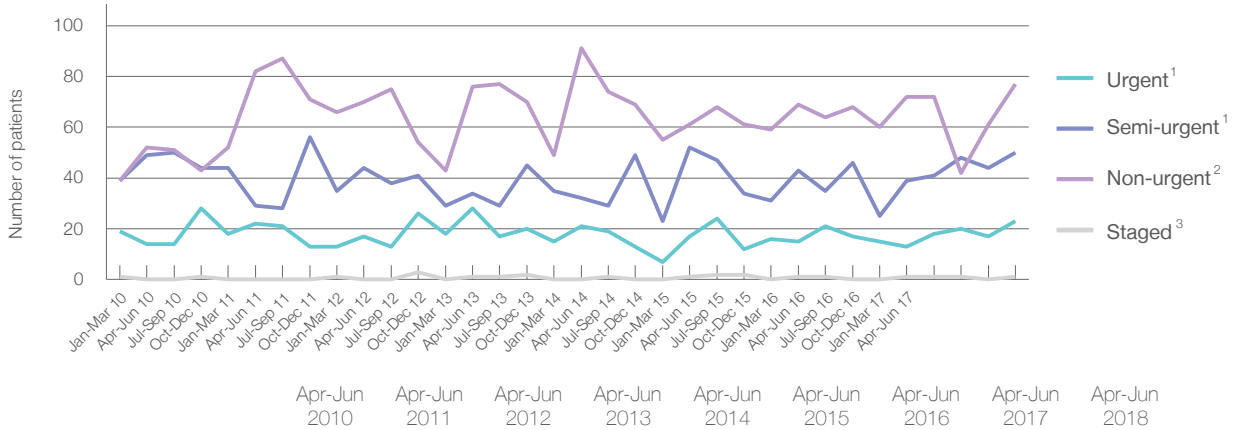
## Cowra Health Service: Elective surgery performed

April to June 2018

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 151 patients



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



Urgency Category	Apr-Jun 2010	Apr-Jun 2011	Apr-Jun 2012	Apr-Jun 2013	Apr-Jun 2014	Apr-Jun 2015	Apr-Jun 2016	Apr-Jun 2017	Apr-Jun 2018
All categories	115	133	131	139	144	131	128	125	151
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	14	22	17	28	21	17	15	13	23
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	49	29	44	34	32	52	43	39	50
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	52	82	70	76	91	61	69	72	77
Staged <sup>3</sup>	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	1



## Cowra Health Service: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2018

### 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 <sup>1</sup>	Recommended: 30 days	100%	99.6%
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	Recommended: 90 days	100%	99.2%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	Recommended: 365 days	100%	99.9%

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



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

Urgency Category	Median time to receive surgery	90th percentile time to receive surgery	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent: <sup>1</sup> 23 patients	8 days	*	13	19	13
2 Semi-urgent: <sup>1</sup> 50 patients	55 days	*	37	49	39
3 Non-urgent: <sup>2</sup> 77 patients	278 days	*	141	158	174

## Cowra Health Service: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2018

Median <sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	72 days (31 patients)	142	185
General surgery	33 days (83 patients)	27	33
Gynaecology	* (5 patients)	45	42
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	33
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	326 days (31 patients)	337	140
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	81
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	31
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	193

Median <sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures <sup>7</sup>		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	49
Cataract extraction	326 days (31 patients)	337	155
Cholecystectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	34
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	*	25
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	59
Hysteroscopy	n/a (0 patients)	*	28
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (6 patients)	*	50
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	28
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	86
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	293
Tonsillectomy	* (7 patients)	162	301
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)	n/a	196

### Cowra Health Service: Elective surgery waiting list

April to June 2018

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

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 160 patients

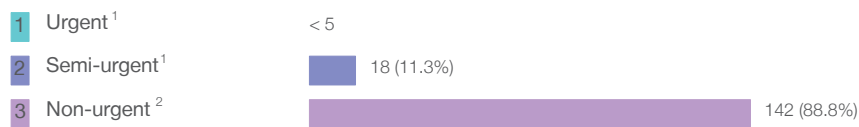
Patients not ready for surgery<sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter: 12 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	170	18%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	186	-14%
Patients not ready for surgery <sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter	13	-8%

### Cowra Health Service: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 160 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	< 5	*
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	26	-35%
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	160	-11%

**Cowra Health Service:** Patients ready for elective surgery  
as at 30th June 2018

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 160 patients

	As at 30 Jun 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	160	186	-14%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	27	42	-36%
General surgery	47	48	-2%
Gynaecology	5	< 5	*
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	81	95	-15%
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 <sup>7</sup>

	As at 30 Jun 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Cataract extraction	81	94	-14%
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	7	< 5	*
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	0	< 5	*
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	24	28	-14%
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	< 5	< 5	*

**Cowra Health Service: Patients ready for elective surgery**  
as at 30th June 2018

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

As at 30 Jun 2018      Same time last year

	As at 30 Jun 2018	Same time last year
All specialties	0	0

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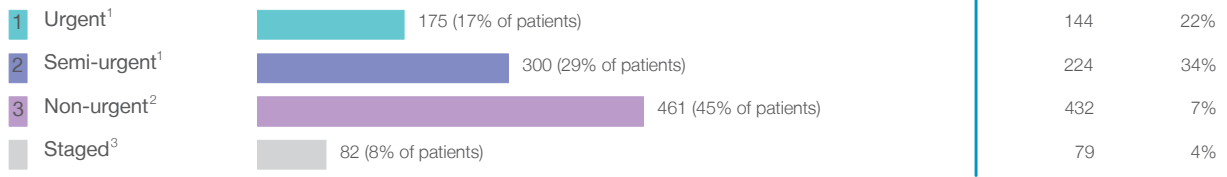
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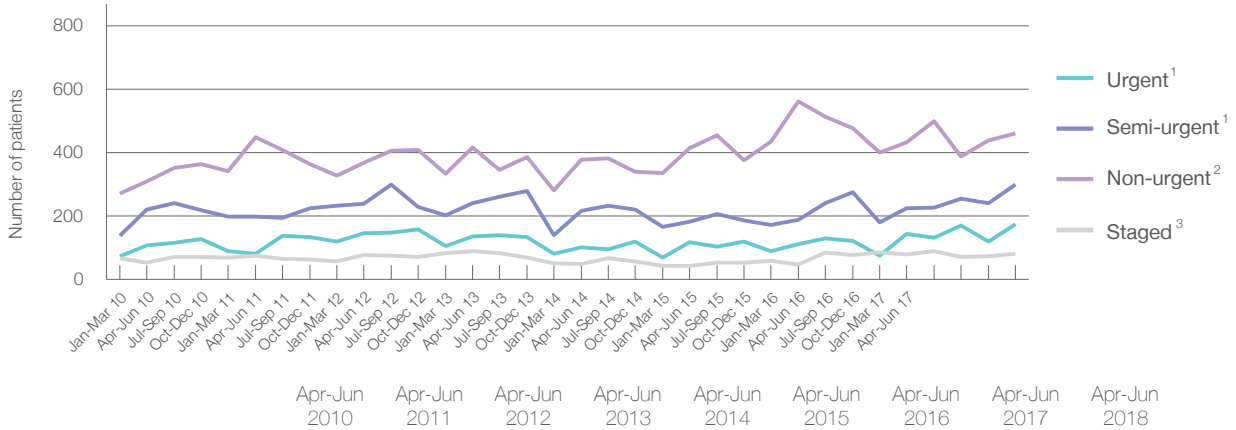
## Dubbo Base Hospital: Elective surgery performed

April to June 2018

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 1,018 patients



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



Urgency Category	Apr-Jun 2010	Apr-Jun 2011	Apr-Jun 2012	Apr-Jun 2013	Apr-Jun 2014	Apr-Jun 2015	Apr-Jun 2016	Apr-Jun 2017	Apr-Jun 2018
All categories	692	804	830	883	745	758	911	879	1,018
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	107	81	146	136	102	117	112	144	175
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	221	199	239	241	216	183	189	224	300
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	310	449	368	417	378	414	562	432	461
Staged <sup>3</sup>	54	75	77	89	49	44	48	79	82

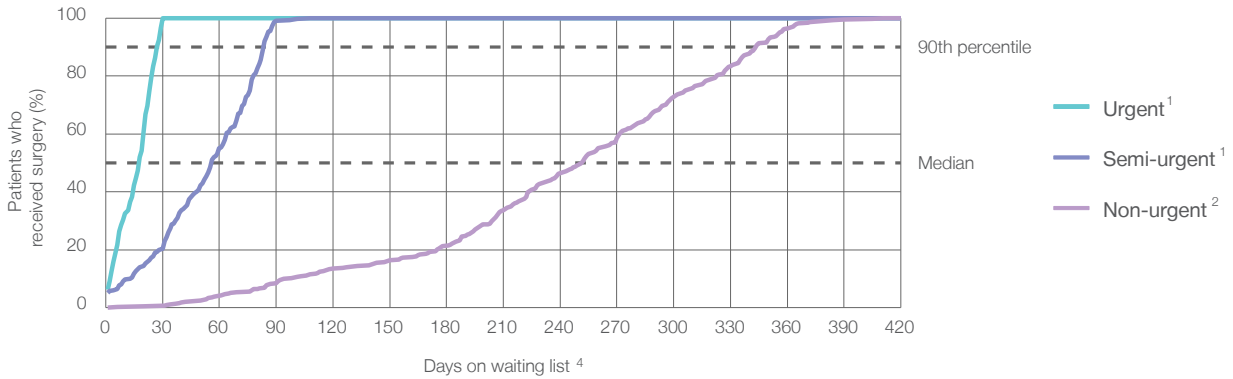
## Dubbo Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2018

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

Urgency Category	Recommended Timeframe	Percentage	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent <sup>1</sup>	Recommended: 30 days	100%	100%	99.9%
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	Recommended: 90 days	99.0%	96.4%	98.4%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	Recommended: 365 days	98.0%	95.4%	96.8%

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



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

Urgency Category	Number of Patients	Median time to receive surgery	90th percentile time to receive surgery	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent <sup>1</sup>	175 patients	18 days	27 days	14	16	14
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	300 patients	56 days	84 days	48	42	49
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	461 patients	252 days	344 days	268	280	267

## Dubbo Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2018

### Median<sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon

Specialty	Waiting time (days) (n patients)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	199 days (126 patients)	234	267
General surgery	59 days (271 patients)	41	52
Gynaecology	65 days (119 patients)	70	43
Medical	* (8 patients)	*	28
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	215 days (176 patients)	274	266
Orthopaedic surgery	246 days (174 patients)	295	195
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	80
Urology	30 days (140 patients)	25	39
Vascular surgery	* (< 5 patients)	*	21

### Median<sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures <sup>7</sup>

Procedure	Waiting time (days) (n patients)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	86 days (13 patients)	107	75
Cataract extraction	216 days (163 patients)	269	273
Cholecystectomy	53 days (34 patients)	75	63
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	35 days (51 patients)	23	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	50 days (23 patients)	30	65
Hysteroscopy	52 days (29 patients)	45	34
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	272 days (24 patients)	133	99
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	304
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	*	60
Other - General	23 days (22 patients)	19	28
Prostatectomy	* (9 patients)	59	62
Septoplasty	362 days (16 patients)	*	337
Tonsillectomy	299 days (41 patients)	294	283
Total hip replacement	66 days (16 patients)	344	257
Total knee replacement	279 days (42 patients)	337	291
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)	*	185



## Dubbo Base Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

April to June 2018

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,472 patients	1,395	6%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,687 patients	1,391	21%
Patients not ready for surgery <sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter: 335 patients	296	13%

## Dubbo Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,687 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent <sup>1</sup> 43 (2.5%)	15	187%
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup> 226 (13.4%)	114	98%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup> 1,418 (84.1%)	1,262	12%

## Dubbo Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2018

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,687 patients

	As at 30 Jun 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,687	1,391	21%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	436	290	50%
General surgery	361	255	42%
Gynaecology	163	135	21%
Medical	< 5	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	230	293	-22%
Orthopaedic surgery	435	360	21%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	61	57	7%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

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

	As at 30 Jun 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	25	10	150%
Cataract extraction	224	284	-21%
Cholecystectomy	48	37	30%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	17	8	113%
Haemorrhoidectomy	20	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	38	28	36%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	60	49	22%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	10	11	-9%
Myringotomy	< 5	< 5	*
Other - General	14	8	75%
Prostatectomy	5	13	-62%
Septoplasty	75	44	70%
Tonsillectomy	98	141	-30%
Total hip replacement	56	55	2%
Total knee replacement	107	100	7%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	8	5	60%

## Dubbo Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th June 2018

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

As at 30 Jun 2018      Same time last year

	As at 30 Jun 2018	Same time last year
All specialties	< 5	< 5

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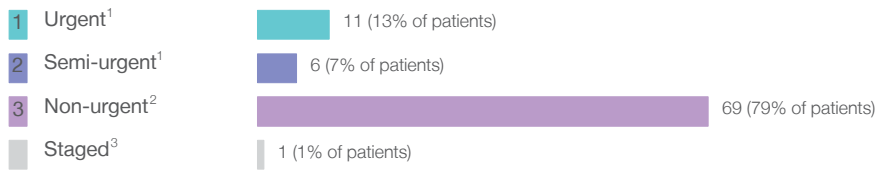
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## Lachlan Health Service - Forbes: Elective surgery performed

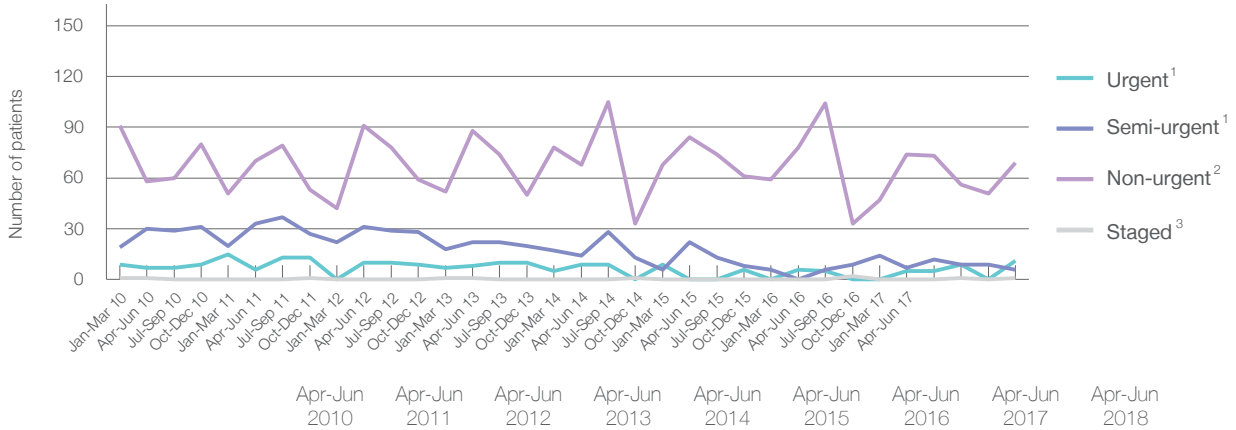
April to June 2018

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 87 patients



Urgency Category	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent <sup>1</sup>	5	120%
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	7	-14%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	74	-7%
Staged <sup>3</sup>	0	

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



Urgency Category	Apr-Jun 2010	Apr-Jun 2011	Apr-Jun 2012	Apr-Jun 2013	Apr-Jun 2014	Apr-Jun 2015	Apr-Jun 2016	Apr-Jun 2017	Apr-Jun 2018
All categories	96	109	132	119	91	106	84	86	87
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	7	6	10	8	9	< 5	6	5	11
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	30	33	31	22	14	22	< 5	7	6
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	58	70	91	88	68	84	78	74	69
Staged <sup>3</sup>	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1

## Lachlan Health Service - Forbes: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2018

### 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 <sup>1</sup>	Recommended: 30 days	*	99.6%
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	Recommended: 90 days	*	99.2%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	Recommended: 365 days	100%	99.9%

### 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 <sup>1</sup>	11 patients	16 days	*	13	*	13
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	6 patients	*	*	37	*	39
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	69 patients	194 days	*	141	166	174
				316	*	327

## Lachlan Health Service - Forbes: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2018

Median <sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	305 days (16 patients)	240	185
General surgery	29 days (14 patients)	40	33
Gynaecology	* (7 patients)	*	42
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	*	33
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	189 days (49 patients)	165	140
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	81
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	31
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	193

Median <sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures <sup>7</sup>		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	49
Cataract extraction	189 days (49 patients)	165	155
Cholecystectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	34
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	25
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	59
Hysteroscopy	* (< 5 patients)	*	28
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (< 5 patients)	*	50
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	28
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	86
Septoplasty	* (6 patients)	*	293
Tonsillectomy	* (8 patients)	*	301
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	196

### Lachlan Health Service - Forbes: Elective surgery waiting list

April to June 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 117 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 107 patients

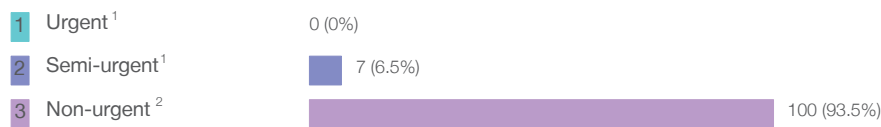
Patients not ready for surgery<sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter: 5 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	116	1%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	124	-14%
Patients not ready for surgery <sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter	12	-58%

### Lachlan Health Service - Forbes: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 107 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	0	
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	8	-13%
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	116	-14%

## Lachlan Health Service - Forbes: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2018

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 107 patients

	As at 30 Jun 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	107	124	-14%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	46	53	-13%
General surgery	12	8	50%
Gynaecology	< 5	< 5	*
Medical	0	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	48	58	-17%
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 <sup>7</sup>

	As at 30 Jun 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	*
Cataract extraction	48	58	-17%
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	< 5	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	0	< 5	n/a
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	12	9	33%
Tonsillectomy	24	34	-29%
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a



## Lachlan Health Service - Forbes: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th June 2018

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

As at 30 Jun 2018      Same time last year

	As at 30 Jun 2018	Same time last year
All specialties	0	0

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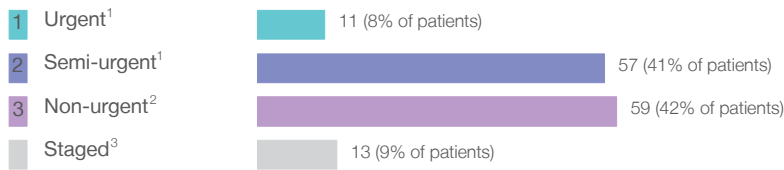
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## Mudgee Health Service: Elective surgery performed

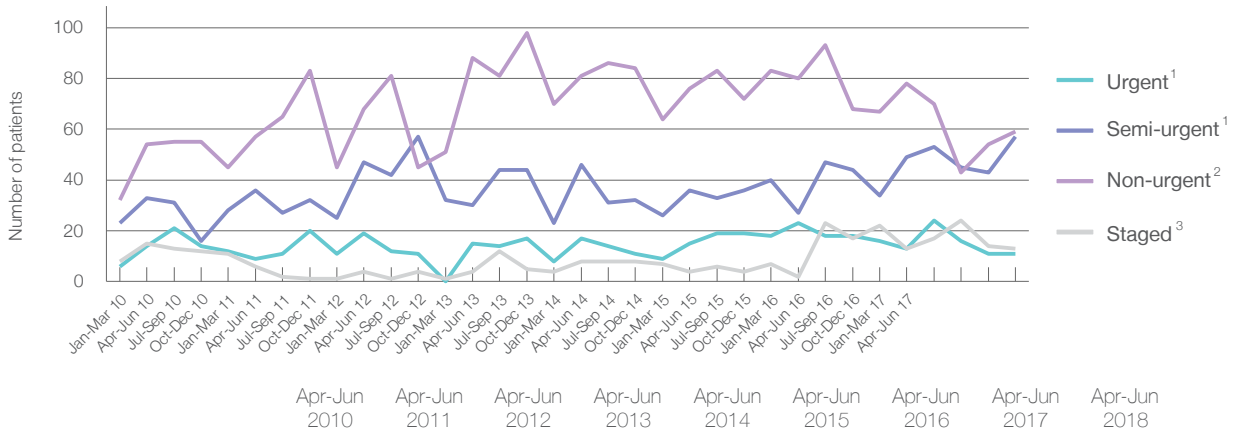
April to June 2018

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 140 patients



Urgency Category	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent <sup>1</sup>	13	-15%
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	49	16%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	78	-24%
Staged <sup>3</sup>	13	0%

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



Urgency Category	Apr-Jun 2010	Apr-Jun 2011	Apr-Jun 2012	Apr-Jun 2013	Apr-Jun 2014	Apr-Jun 2015	Apr-Jun 2016	Apr-Jun 2017	Apr-Jun 2018
All categories	116	108	138	137	152	131	132	153	140
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	14	9	19	15	17	15	23	13	11
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	33	36	47	30	46	36	27	49	57
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	54	57	68	88	81	76	80	78	59
Staged <sup>3</sup>	15	6	4	4	8	4	2	13	13

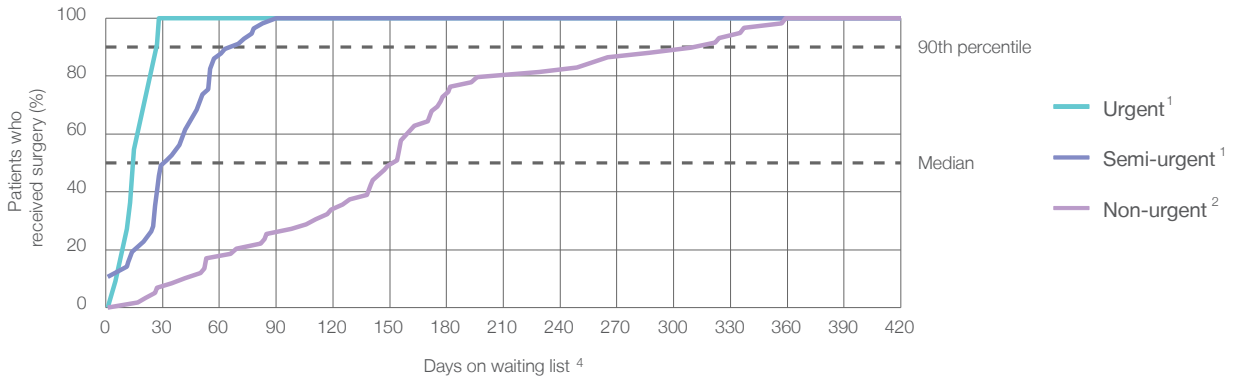
## Mudgee Health Service: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2018

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

	Recommended:	100%	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent <sup>1</sup>	30 days	100%	100%	99.6%
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	90 days	100%	100%	99.2%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	365 days	100%	100%	99.9%

### 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)
<b>1 Urgent:</b> <sup>1</sup> 11 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	13	7	13
90th percentile time to receive surgery	26	*	27
<b>2 Semi-urgent:</b> <sup>1</sup> 57 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	37	35	39
90th percentile time to receive surgery	73	*	77
<b>3 Non-urgent:</b> <sup>2</sup> 59 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	141	61	174
90th percentile time to receive surgery	316	*	327

## Mudgee Health Service: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2018

### Median<sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon

Specialty	Waiting time (days) (n patients)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	259 days (13 patients)	*	185
General surgery	48 days (32 patients)	35	33
Gynaecology	26 days (25 patients)	32	42
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	33
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	151 days (28 patients)	55	140
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	81
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	50 days (42 patients)	68	31
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	193

### Median<sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures<sup>7</sup>

Procedure	Waiting time (days) (n patients)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	49
Cataract extraction	155 days (26 patients)	55	155
Cholecystectomy	* (6 patients)	*	34
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	28 days (11 patients)	*	25
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	59
Hysteroscopy	26 days (12 patients)	26	28
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (5 patients)	*	50
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	* (< 5 patients)	*	28
Prostatectomy	* (< 5 patients)	172	86
Septoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	293
Tonsillectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	301
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	196

### Mudgee Health Service: Elective surgery waiting list

April to June 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 106 patients

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

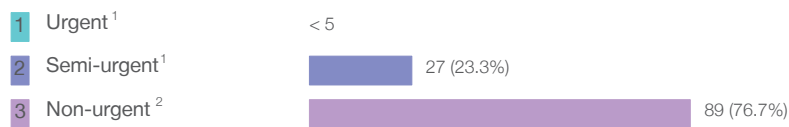
Patients not ready for surgery<sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter: 27 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	108	-2%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	89	30%
Patients not ready for surgery <sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter	33	-18%

### Mudgee Health Service: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2018

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



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	6	*
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	20	20%
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	63	41%

## Mudgee Health Service: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2018

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

	As at 30 Jun 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	116	89	30%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	27	21	29%
General surgery	26	25	4%
Gynaecology	10	6	67%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	40	14	186%
Orthopaedic surgery	0	0	n/a
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	13	23	-43%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

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

	As at 30 Jun 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	36	14	157%
Cholecystectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	< 5	< 5	*
Haemorrhoidectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Hysteroscopy	7	< 5	*
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	6	8	-25%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	< 5	< 5	*
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	*
Septoplasty	< 5	< 5	*
Tonsillectomy	15	8	88%
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	< 5	< 5	*

## Mudgee Health Service: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th June 2018

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

	As at 30 Jun 2018	Same time last year
All specialties	0	0

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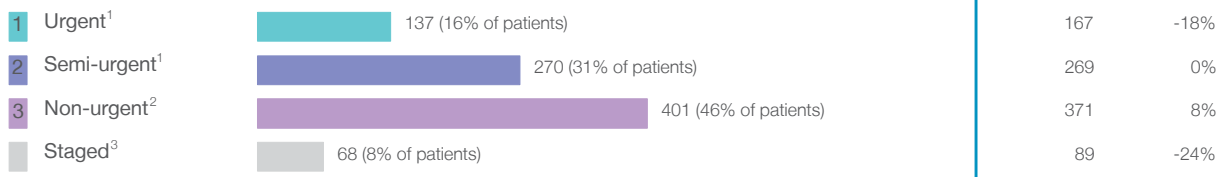
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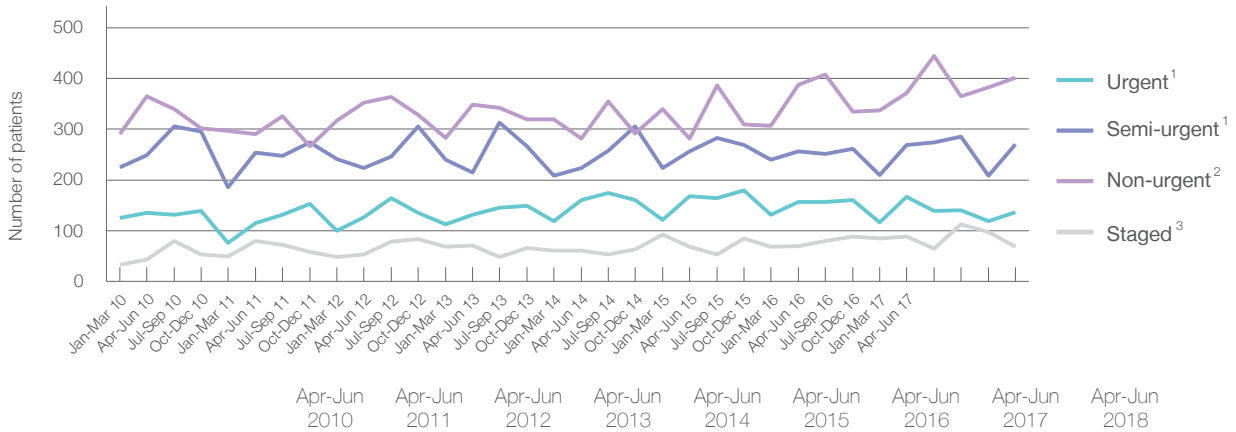
## Orange Health Service: Elective surgery performed

April to June 2018

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 876 patients



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



Urgency Category	Apr-Jun 2010	Apr-Jun 2011	Apr-Jun 2012	Apr-Jun 2013	Apr-Jun 2014	Apr-Jun 2015	Apr-Jun 2016	Apr-Jun 2017	Apr-Jun 2018
All categories	793	739	755	767	725	774	871	896	876
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	135	115	127	132	160	168	157	167	137
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	249	254	223	215	223	256	257	269	270
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	365	290	352	349	281	281	387	371	401
Staged <sup>3</sup>	44	80	53	71	61	69	70	89	68



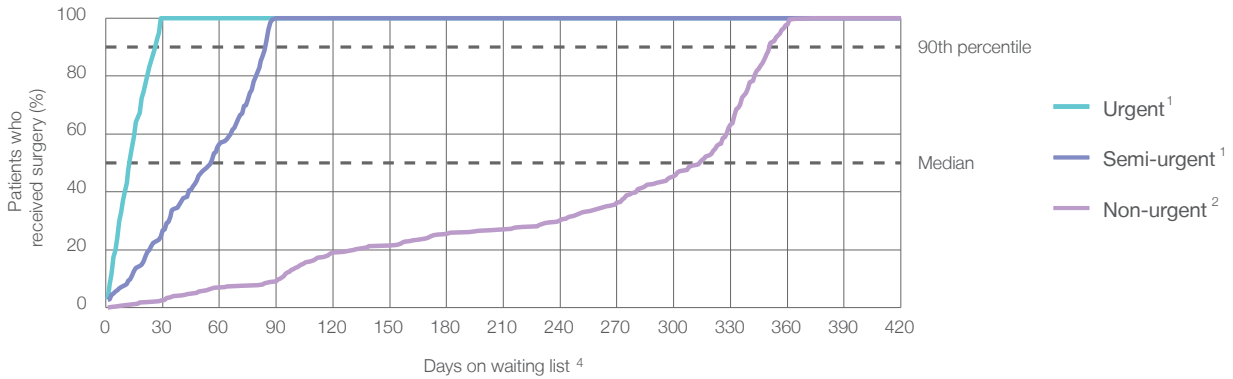
## Orange Health Service: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2018

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

Urgency Category	Recommended Timeframe	Percentage	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent <sup>1</sup>	Recommended: 30 days	100%	100%	99.9%
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	Recommended: 90 days	100%	100%	98.4%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	Recommended: 365 days	99.8%	99.2%	96.8%

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



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

Urgency Category	Number of Patients	Median time to receive surgery	90th percentile time to receive surgery	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent <sup>1</sup>	137 patients	13 days	27 days	14	13	14
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	270 patients	56 days	85 days	48	57	49
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	401 patients	314 days	351 days	268	331	267

## Orange Health Service: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2018

### Median<sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon

Specialty	Median <sup>5</sup> waiting time (days)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	281 days (96 patients)	63	267
General surgery	41 days (192 patients)	29	52
Gynaecology	45 days (81 patients)	42	43
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	28
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	332 days (104 patients)	340	266
Orthopaedic surgery	181 days (234 patients)	274	195
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	80
Urology	75 days (166 patients)	67	39
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	21

### Median<sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures<sup>7</sup>

Procedure	Median <sup>5</sup> waiting time (days)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (5 patients)	85	75
Cataract extraction	332 days (94 patients)	341	273
Cholecystectomy	56 days (19 patients)	25	63
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	55 days (46 patients)	55	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (8 patients)	*	65
Hysteroscopy	40 days (31 patients)	27	34
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	102 days (20 patients)	81	99
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	304
Myringotomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	60
Other - General	35 days (24 patients)	22	28
Prostatectomy	85 days (18 patients)	87	62
Septoplasty	326 days (11 patients)	*	337
Tonsillectomy	321 days (47 patients)	87	283
Total hip replacement	243 days (30 patients)	309	257
Total knee replacement	274 days (53 patients)	324	291
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)	*	185

## Orange Health Service: Elective surgery waiting list

April to June 2018

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,489 patients	1,516	-2%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,496 patients	1,477	1%
Patients not ready for surgery <sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter: 217 patients	231	-6%

## Orange Health Service: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,496 patients

Urgency Category	Count	Percentage	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent <sup>1</sup>	21	1.4%	19	11%
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	164	11.0%	165	-1%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	1,311	87.6%	1,293	1%

## Orange Health Service: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2018

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,496 patients

	As at 30 Jun 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,496	1,477	1%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	236	231	2%
General surgery	175	202	-13%
Gynaecology	107	61	75%
Medical	< 5	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	401	381	5%
Orthopaedic surgery	460	516	-11%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	116	84	38%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

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

	As at 30 Jun 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	17	16	6%
Cataract extraction	376	342	10%
Cholecystectomy	20	16	25%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	24	10	140%
Haemorrhoidectomy	8	7	14%
Hysteroscopy	31	16	94%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	25	34	-26%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	16	9	78%
Myringotomy	5	< 5	*
Other - General	18	14	29%
Prostatectomy	21	16	31%
Septoplasty	24	24	0%
Tonsillectomy	149	132	13%
Total hip replacement	71	73	-3%
Total knee replacement	142	152	-7%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	26	23	13%

**Orange Health Service: Patients ready for elective surgery**  
as at 30th June 2018

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

As at 30 Jun 2018      Same time last year

	As at 30 Jun 2018	Same time last year
All specialties	0	0

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