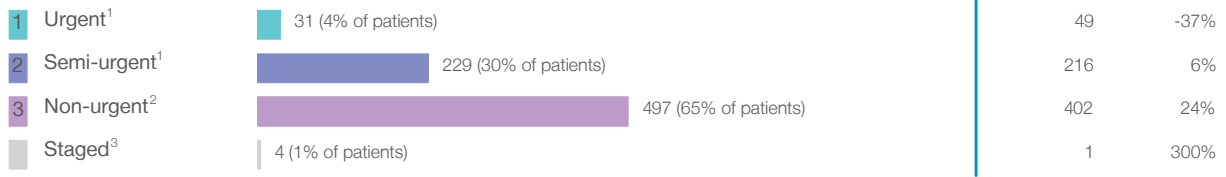


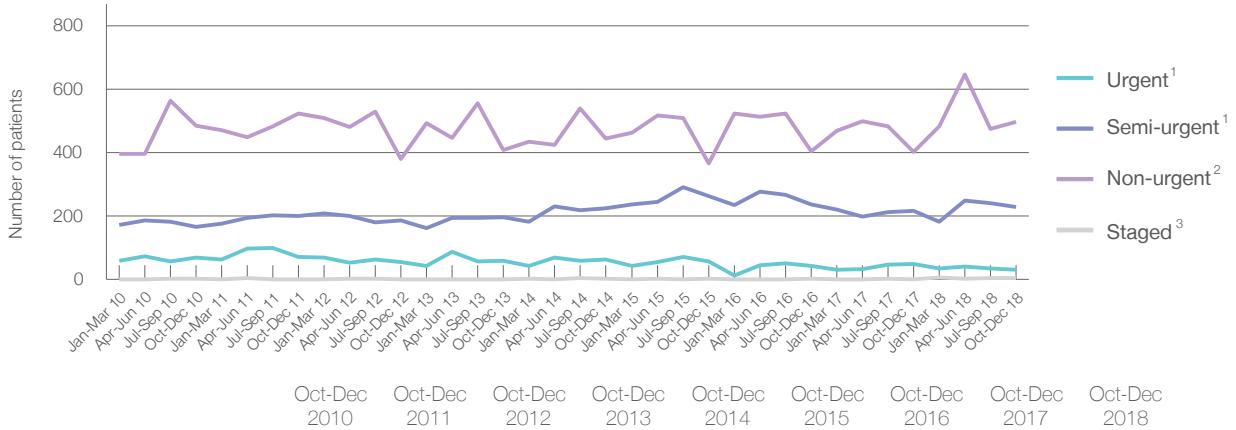
Shellharbour Hospital: Elective surgery performed

October to December 2018

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 761 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2010 to December 2018



	Oct-Dec 2010	Oct-Dec 2011	Oct-Dec 2012	Oct-Dec 2013	Oct-Dec 2014	Oct-Dec 2015	Oct-Dec 2016	Oct-Dec 2017	Oct-Dec 2018
All categories	721	797	623	666	737	689	685	668	761
Urgent ¹	69	72	56	60	64	58	43	49	31
Semi-urgent ¹	166	201	187	197	225	263	236	216	229
Non-urgent ²	484	524	379	408	445	366	404	402	497
Staged ³	2	0	1	1	3	2	2	1	4

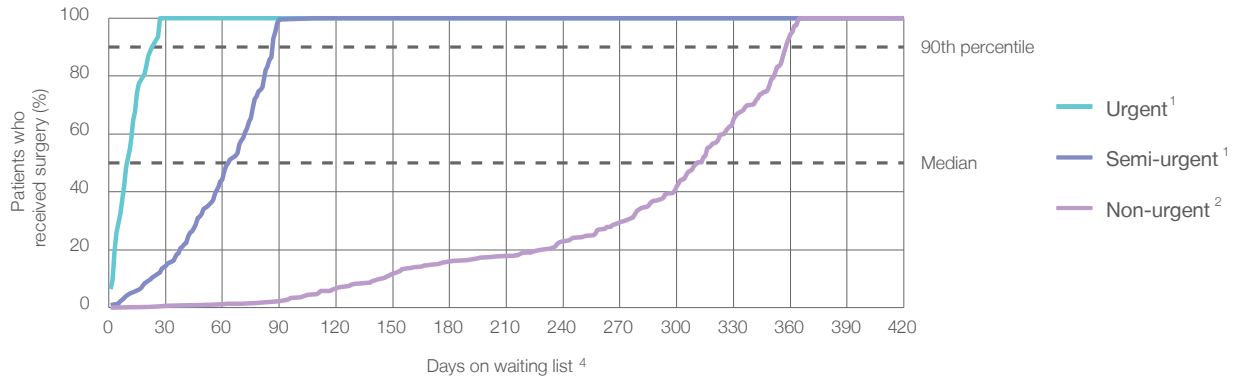
Shellharbour Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 2018

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended: (days)	Percentage	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	100%	100%	100%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	99.6%	100%	99.4%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	100%	100%	97.7%

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



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

	Waiting time (days)	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent: ¹ 31 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	11 days	13	16	14
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	27	*	27
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 229 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	64 days	49	64	49
90th percentile time to receive surgery	87 days	83	80	81
3 Non-urgent: ² 497 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	311 days	260	308	254
90th percentile time to receive surgery	358 days	356	343	352

Shellharbour Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 2018

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	266
General surgery	94 days (104 patients)	79	41
Gynaecology	71 days (104 patients)	64	35
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	8
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	309 days (388 patients)	307	281
Orthopaedic surgery	296 days (94 patients)	274	180
Plastic surgery	78 days (71 patients)	58	68
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	34
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	115

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)	*	59
Cataract extraction	310 days (368 patients)	308	285
Cholecystectomy	83 days (25 patients)	39	45
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	28
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	58
Hysteroscopy	62 days (52 patients)	55	28
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	138 days (32 patients)	99	67
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	* (9 patients)	*	26
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	107
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	343
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	279
Total hip replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	225
Total knee replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	284
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	171

Shellharbour Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

October to December 2018

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 2,077 patients	1,711	21%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,855 patients	1,879	-1%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 113 patients	103	10%

Shellharbour Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,855 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent ¹ < 5	< 5	*
2 Semi-urgent ¹ 153 (8.2%)	125	22%
3 Non-urgent ² 1,702 (91.8%)	1,754	-3%

Shellharbour Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2018

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,855 patients

	As at 31 Dec 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,855	1,879	-1%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	163	184	-11%
Gynaecology	131	164	-20%
Medical	0	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	1,299	1,204	8%
Orthopaedic surgery	214	258	-17%
Plastic surgery	48	68	-29%
Urology	0	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Dec 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	5	6	-17%
Cataract extraction	1,218	1,144	6%
Cholecystectomy	33	35	-6%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	9	6	50%
Hysteroscopy	46	58	-21%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	58	78	-26%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	8	6	33%
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

Shellharbour Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 31st December 2018

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

As at 31 Dec 2018 Same time last year

	As at 31 Dec 2018	Same time last year
All specialties	0	0

* Suppressed due to small numbers and to protect privacy. Relevant graphs are also suppressed.
 < 5 Less than five patients. For measures by urgency category, counts are included in an adjacent category. Relevant graphs are also suppressed.

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

For more information: For details of methods, see the *Technical Supplement: Emergency department, ambulance, admitted patients and elective surgery, October to December 2018*.

Note: All percentages rounded to whole numbers and therefore percentages may not add to 100%.
Source: Waiting List Collection On-Line System, NSW Health (extracted 21 January 2019.).