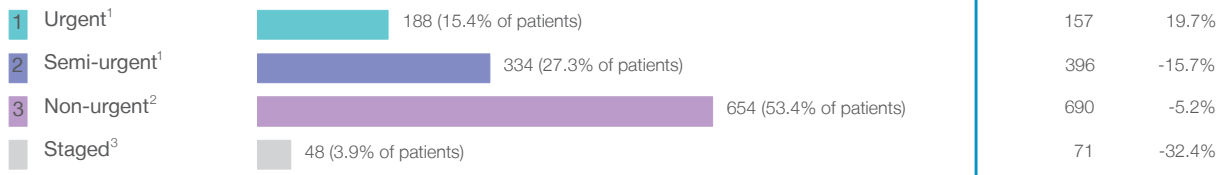


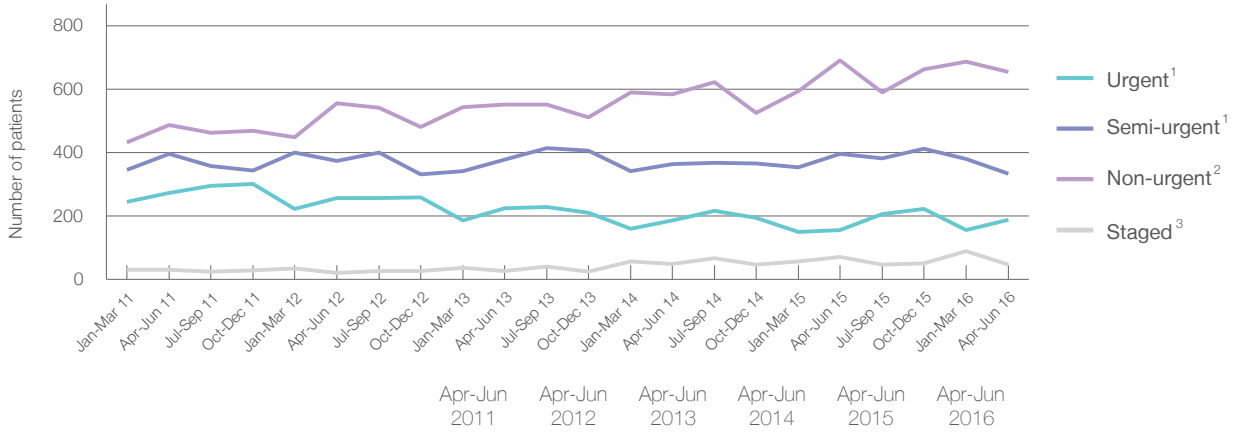
## Wagga Wagga Base Hospital: Elective surgery performed

April to June 2016

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 1,224 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, April 2011 to June 2016



	Apr-Jun 2011	Apr-Jun 2012	Apr-Jun 2013	Apr-Jun 2014	Apr-Jun 2015	Apr-Jun 2016
All categories	1,188	1,208	1,181	1,184	1,314	1,224
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	274	257	224	186	157	188
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	397	373	378	364	396	334
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	486	556	551	584	690	654
Staged <sup>3</sup>	31	22	28	50	71	48

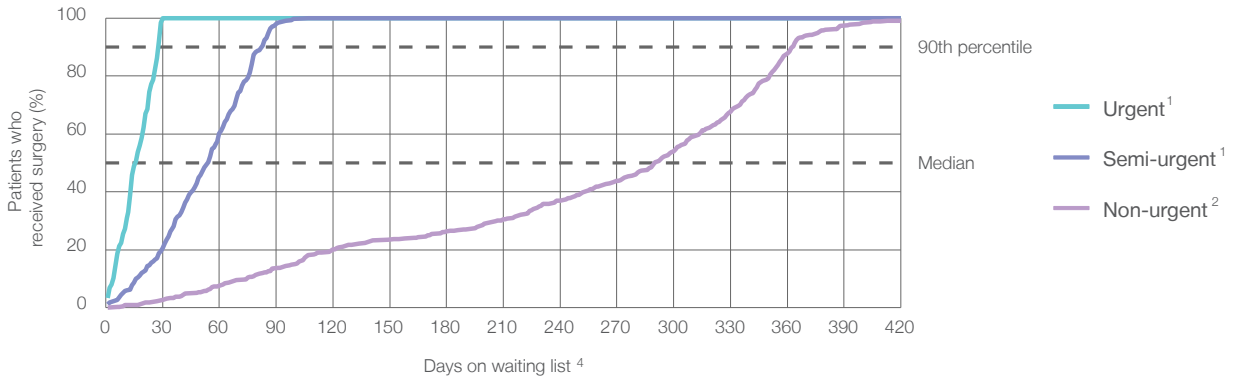
## Wagga Wagga Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2016

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%	98.7%	99.8%
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	90 days	97.9%	91.7%	98.6%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	365 days	92.4%	78.7%	96.0%

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 time to receive surgery (days)	90th percentile time to receive surgery (days)	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent:	188 patients	16 days	28 days	13	15	13
2 Semi-urgent:	334 patients	54 days	83 days	50	61	50
3 Non-urgent:	654 patients	290 days	363 days	276	339	287

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

April to June 2016

Median <sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	309 days (175 patients)	336	233
General surgery	60 days (292 patients)	78	52
Gynaecology	45 days (139 patients)	62	48
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	*	12
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	263 days (183 patients)	320	302
Orthopaedic surgery	291 days (206 patients)	339	227
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	69
Urology	51 days (204 patients)	62	42
Vascular surgery	28 days (25 patients)	21	28

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	68 days (13 patients)	81	77
Cataract extraction	279 days (140 patients)	322	310
Cholecystectomy	105 days (31 patients)	137	62
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	42 days (62 patients)	64	36
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	60
Hysteroscopy	29 days (50 patients)	50	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	205 days (16 patients)	*	95
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	331
Myringotomy	* (8 patients)	232	62
Other - General	57 days (42 patients)	92	35
Prostatectomy	55 days (11 patients)	51	61
Septoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	330
Tonsillectomy	313 days (67 patients)	343	247
Total hip replacement	312 days (29 patients)	352	273
Total knee replacement	340 days (53 patients)	363	314
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (9 patients)	*	154

### Wagga Wagga Base Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

April to June 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 2,388 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 2,441 patients

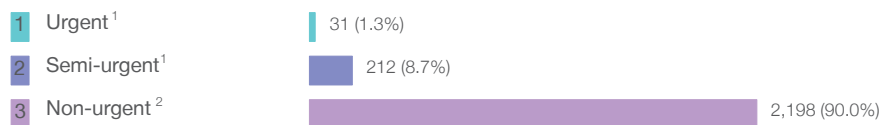
Patients not ready for surgery<sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter: 293 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	2,542	-6.1%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	2,515	-2.9%
Patients not ready for surgery <sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter	307	-4.6%

### Wagga Wagga Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 2,441 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	36	-13.9%
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	307	-30.9%
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	2,172	1.2%

## Wagga Wagga Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2016

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 2,441 patients

	As at 30 Jun 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	2,441	2,515	-2.9%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	612	529	15.7%
General surgery	452	489	-7.6%
Gynaecology	91	122	-25.4%
Medical	< 5	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	479	502	-4.6%
Orthopaedic surgery	663	727	-8.8%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	125	118	5.9%
Vascular surgery	16	25	-36.0%

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

	As at 30 Jun 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	12	12	0.0%
Cataract extraction	414	438	-5.5%
Cholecystectomy	41	60	-31.7%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	10	16	-37.5%
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	18	45	-60.0%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	46	33	39.4%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	6	11	-45.5%
Myringotomy	28	31	-9.7%
Other - General	81	89	-9.0%
Prostatectomy	9	9	0.0%
Septoplasty	13	8	62.5%
Tonsillectomy	298	180	65.6%
Total hip replacement	107	115	-7.0%
Total knee replacement	247	258	-4.3%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	13	26	-50.0%

**Wagga Wagga Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery**  
as at 30th June 2016

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

As at 30 Jun 2016      Same time last year

	As at 30 Jun 2016	Same time last year
All specialties	31	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: Elective surgery measures, January to March 2013*.

**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 12 July 2016).