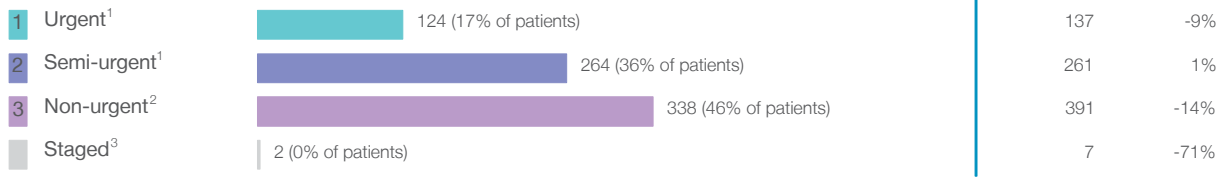
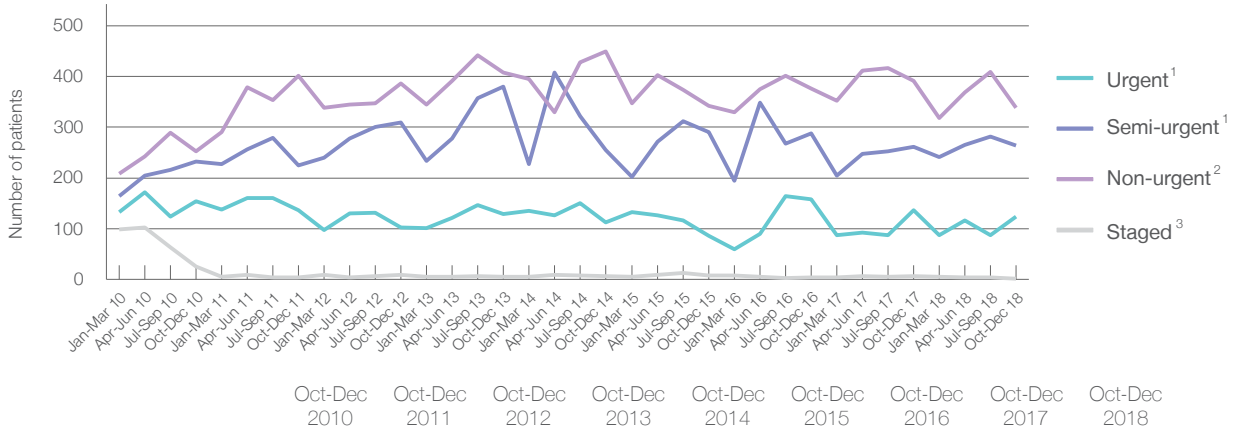


Auburn Hospital: Elective surgery performed October to December 2018

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 728 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	665	767	808	923	824	726	826	796	728
Urgent ¹	154	137	103	129	113	86	158	137	124
Semi-urgent ¹	232	225	309	380	255	290	288	261	264
Non-urgent ²	253	401	386	408	449	342	376	391	338
Staged ³	26	4	10	6	7	8	4	7	2

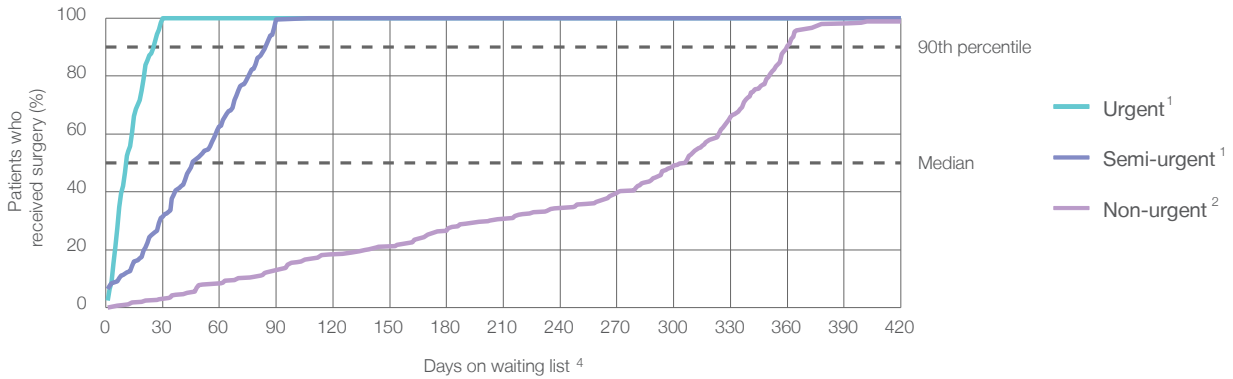
Auburn Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

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%	99.7%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	99.6%	100%	98.2%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	95.9%	100%	96.5%

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 ¹	124 patients	11 days	26 days	13	8	13
2 Semi-urgent ¹	264 patients	46 days	85 days	47	47	45
3 Non-urgent ²	338 patients	307 days	360 days	254	230	259

Auburn Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 2018

Median⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon

Specialty	Waiting time (days) (patients)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	13
Ear, nose and throat surgery	315 days (180 patients)	289	268
General surgery	58 days (219 patients)	56	44
Gynaecology	29 days (144 patients)	34	44
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	233
Orthopaedic surgery	247 days (31 patients)	*	168
Plastic surgery	60 days (122 patients)	56	67
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	35
Vascular surgery	163 days (32 patients)	78	19

Median⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures⁷

Procedure	Waiting time (days) (patients)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (5 patients)	*	72
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	239
Cholecystectomy	69 days (41 patients)	62	57
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	* (< 5 patients)	*	28
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	67
Hysteroscopy	26 days (13 patients)	37	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	36 days (15 patients)	98	91
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	302
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	*	78
Other - General	69 days (63 patients)	64	28
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	61
Septoplasty	329 days (21 patients)	344	333
Tonsillectomy	325 days (75 patients)	291	310
Total hip replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	251
Total knee replacement	* (5 patients)	n/a	276
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	163 days (33 patients)	84	141

Auburn Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

October to December 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,350 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,388 patients

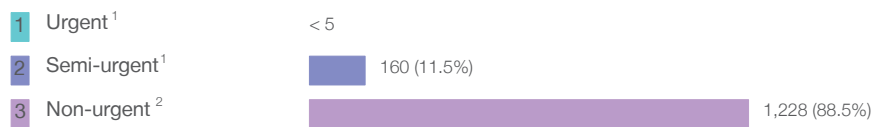
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 146 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	1,142	18%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	1,191	17%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	152	-4%

Auburn Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,388 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	< 5	*
Semi-urgent ¹	138	16%
Non-urgent ²	1,053	17%

Auburn Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2018

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,388 patients

	As at 31 Dec 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,388	1,191	17%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	550	543	1%
General surgery	317	276	15%
Gynaecology	85	48	77%
Medical	< 5	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	39	13	200%
Plastic surgery	347	278	25%
Urology	0	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	48	32	50%

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	6	< 5	*
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	60	48	25%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	*
Haemorrhoidectomy	7	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	11	< 5	*
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	56	50	12%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	13	6	117%
Myringotomy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Other - General	72	67	7%
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	82	77	6%
Tonsillectomy	258	261	-1%
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	6	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	49	35	40%

Auburn 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	6	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.).