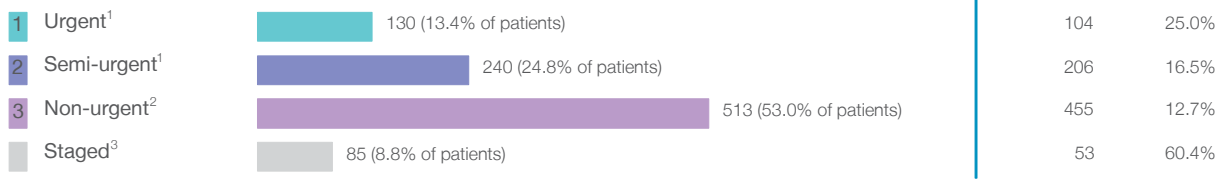


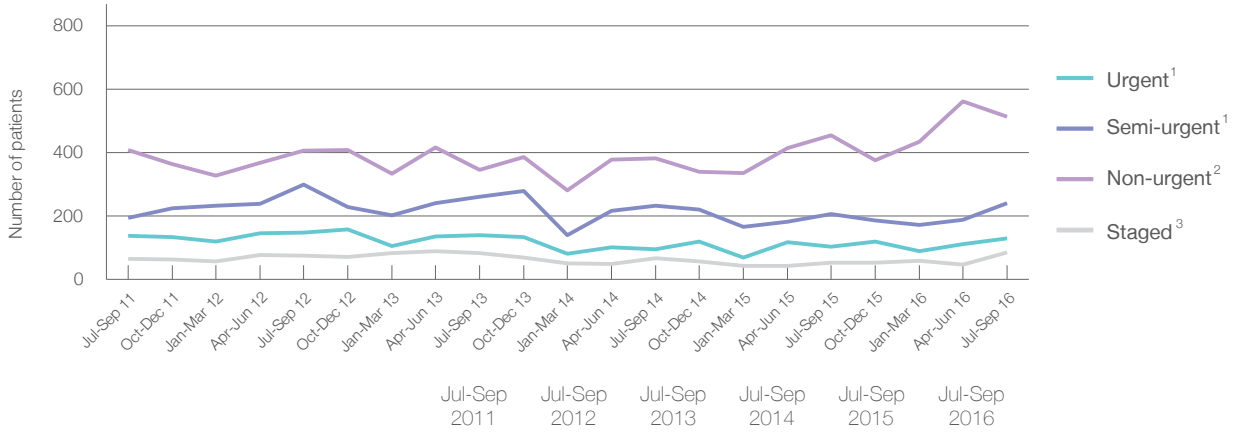
Dubbo Base Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2016

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 968 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, July 2011 to September 2016



Urgency Category	Jul-Sep 2011	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016
All categories	805	929	831	778	818	968
Urgent ¹	137	148	140	96	104	130
Semi-urgent ¹	195	299	262	232	206	240
Non-urgent ²	408	406	346	383	455	513
Staged ³	65	76	83	67	53	85

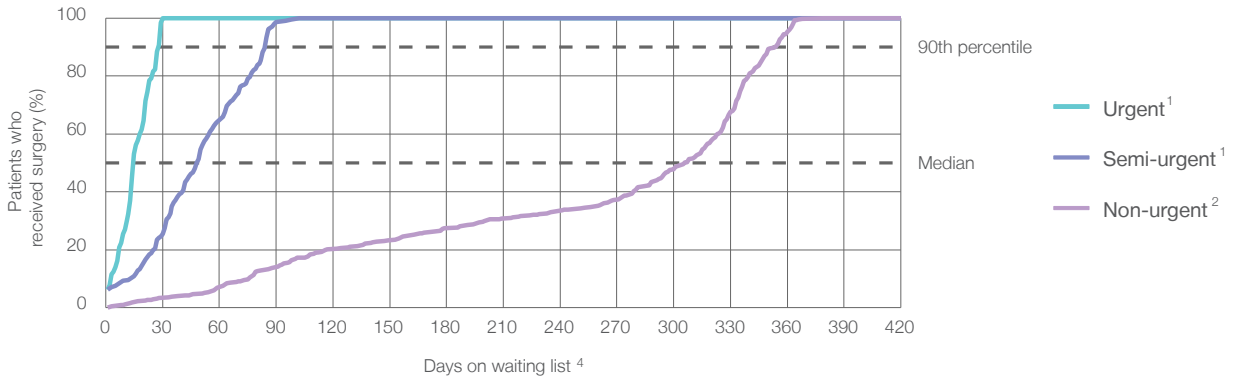
Dubbo Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2016

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%	99.9%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	98.8%	98.5%	98.9%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	99.4%	96.5%	96.6%

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: ¹ 130 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	15 days	12	13	13
90th percentile time to receive surgery	28 days	26	27	27
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 240 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	49 days	48	49	50
90th percentile time to receive surgery	85 days	82	83	84
3 Non-urgent: ² 513 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	306 days	272	330	275
90th percentile time to receive surgery	354 days	356	361	361

Dubbo Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2016

Median⁵ 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	275 days (105 patients)	335	263
General surgery	71 days (260 patients)	70	49
Gynaecology	50 days (142 patients)	44	49
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	333 days (117 patients)	329	295
Orthopaedic surgery	292 days (181 patients)	331	224
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	69
Urology	42 days (158 patients)	50	46
Vascular surgery	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	20

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

Procedure	Waiting time (days) (n patients)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (9 patients)	63	76
Cataract extraction	333 days (109 patients)	329	299
Cholecystectomy	84 days (35 patients)	98	60
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	44 days (63 patients)	25	39
Haemorrhoidectomy	31 days (21 patients)	*	54
Hysteroscopy	47 days (45 patients)	44	34
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	170 days (22 patients)	242	93
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (7 patients)	*	308
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	36
Other - General	67 days (18 patients)	45	34
Prostatectomy	86 days (17 patients)	*	62
Septoplasty	288 days (15 patients)	319	318
Tonsillectomy	272 days (37 patients)	346	286
Total hip replacement	322 days (20 patients)	305	276
Total knee replacement	304 days (28 patients)	360	304
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (5 patients)	*	175

Dubbo Base Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2016

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,626 patients	1,657	-1.9%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,568 patients	1,681	-6.7%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 280 patients	224	25.0%

Dubbo Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,568 patients

Urgency Category	Count (Percentage)	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent ¹	25 (1.6%)	20	25.0%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	176 (11.2%)	134	31.3%
3 Non-urgent ²	1,367 (87.2%)	1,527	-10.5%

Dubbo Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2016

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,568 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,568	1,681	-6.7%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	283	358	-20.9%
General surgery	333	341	-2.3%
Gynaecology	125	110	13.6%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	339	376	-9.8%
Orthopaedic surgery	410	464	-11.6%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	78	32	143.8%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	13	14	-7.1%
Cataract extraction	324	368	-12.0%
Cholecystectomy	55	63	-12.7%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	20	6	233.3%
Haemorrhoidectomy	12	9	33.3%
Hysteroscopy	26	28	-7.1%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	49	53	-7.5%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	19	19	0.0%
Myringotomy	0	< 5	*
Other - General	22	23	-4.3%
Prostatectomy	16	12	33.3%
Septoplasty	35	60	-41.7%
Tonsillectomy	136	100	36.0%
Total hip replacement	48	68	-29.4%
Total knee replacement	113	139	-18.7%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	12	13	-7.7%

Dubbo Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2016

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

As at 30 Sep 2016 Same time last year

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year
All specialties	0	< 5

* 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, July to September 2016*.

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 17 October 2016.).