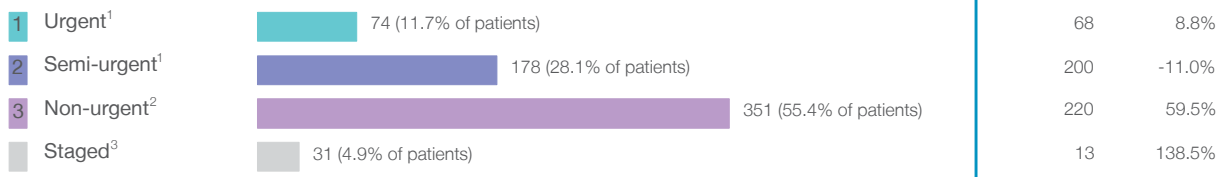


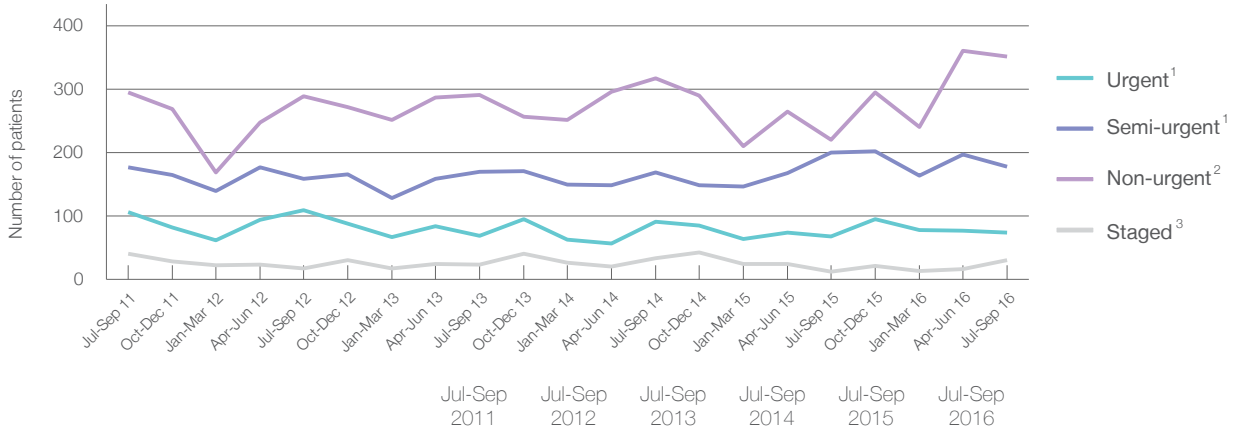
Hornsby and Ku-Ring-Gai Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2016

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 634 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	619	575	554	611	501	634
Urgent ¹	106	109	69	91	68	74
Semi-urgent ¹	177	159	170	169	200	178
Non-urgent ²	295	289	291	317	220	351
Staged ³	41	18	24	34	13	31

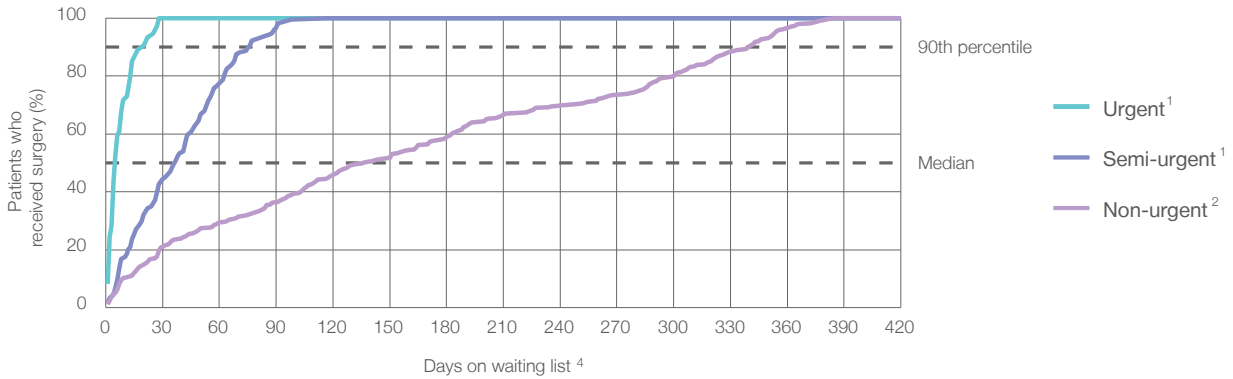
Hornsby and Ku-Ring-Gai Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 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 ¹	30 days	100%	98.5%	99.9%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	96.6%	92.5%	98.9%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	97.7%	93.2%	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 74 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	5 days	12	8 13
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	26	* 27
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 178 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	37 days	48	41 50
90th percentile time to receive surgery	76 days	82	84 84
3 Non-urgent: ² 351 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	137 days	272	148 275
90th percentile time to receive surgery	341 days	356	345 361

Hornsby and Ku-Ring-Gai Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2016

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)	*	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	 185 days (86 patients)	118	263
General surgery	 42 days (163 patients)	50	49
Gynaecology	 29 days (72 patients)	33	49
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	*	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	295
Orthopaedic surgery	 91 days (214 patients)	91	224
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	69
Urology	 34 days (81 patients)	30	46
Vascular surgery	 7 days (17 patients)	*	20

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	* (9 patients)	*	76
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	299
Cholecystectomy	 29 days (12 patients)	70	60
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	 28 days (55 patients)	24	39
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (5 patients)	*	54
Hysteroscopy	 27 days (36 patients)	25	34
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	 74 days (23 patients)	75	93
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	308
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	36
Other - General	* (< 5 patients)	*	34
Prostatectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	62
Septoplasty	 338 days (17 patients)	251	318
Tonsillectomy	 187 days (36 patients)	110	286
Total hip replacement	 256 days (29 patients)	220	276
Total knee replacement	 319 days (48 patients)	279	304
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)	*	175

Hornsby and Ku-Ring-Gai Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 670 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 655 patients

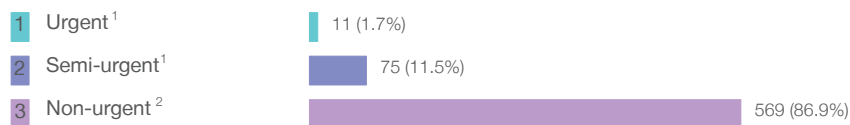
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 90 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	696	-3.7%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	768	-14.7%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	76	18.4%

Hornsby and Ku-Ring-Gai Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 655 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	12	-8.3%
Semi-urgent ¹	109	-31.2%
Non-urgent ²	647	-12.1%

Hornsby and Ku-Ring-Gai Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2016

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 655 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	655	768	-14.7%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	190	192	-1.0%
General surgery	136	124	9.7%
Gynaecology	32	20	60.0%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	258	393	-34.4%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	37	37	0.0%
Vascular surgery	< 5	< 5	*

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	< 5	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	15	16	-6.3%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	16	20	-20.0%
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Hysteroscopy	18	12	50.0%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	16	16	0.0%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	11	6	83.3%
Myringotomy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Other - General	< 5	< 5	*
Prostatectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Septoplasty	39	48	-18.8%
Tonsillectomy	54	51	5.9%
Total hip replacement	38	56	-32.1%
Total knee replacement	87	128	-32.0%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	< 5	< 5	*

Hornsby and Ku-Ring-Gai 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
All specialties	< 5	7

* 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.).