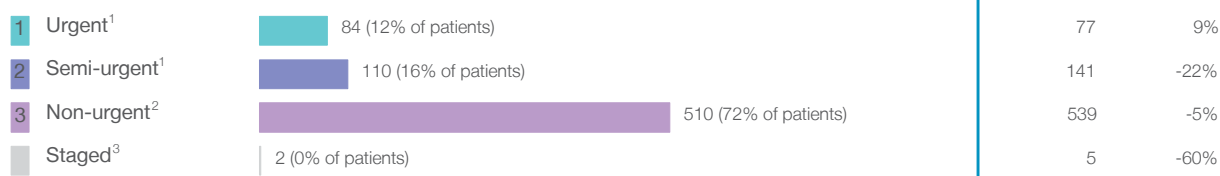


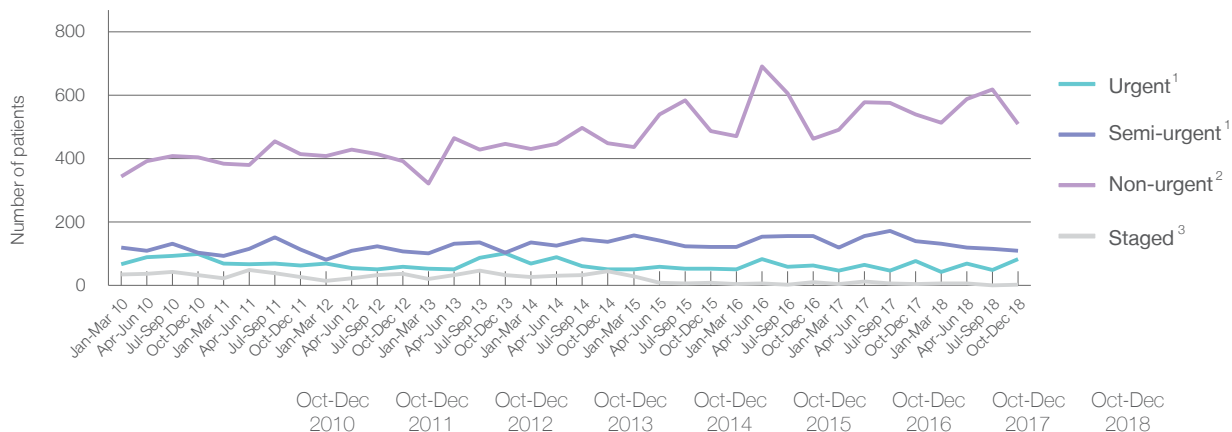
## Fairfield Hospital: Elective surgery performed

October to December 2018

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 706 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	643	619	597	685	684	670	693	762	706
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	100	64	60	101	51	53	64	77	84
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	104	113	107	103	139	121	156	141	110
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	405	414	393	447	449	487	463	539	510
Staged <sup>3</sup>	34	28	37	34	45	9	10	5	2

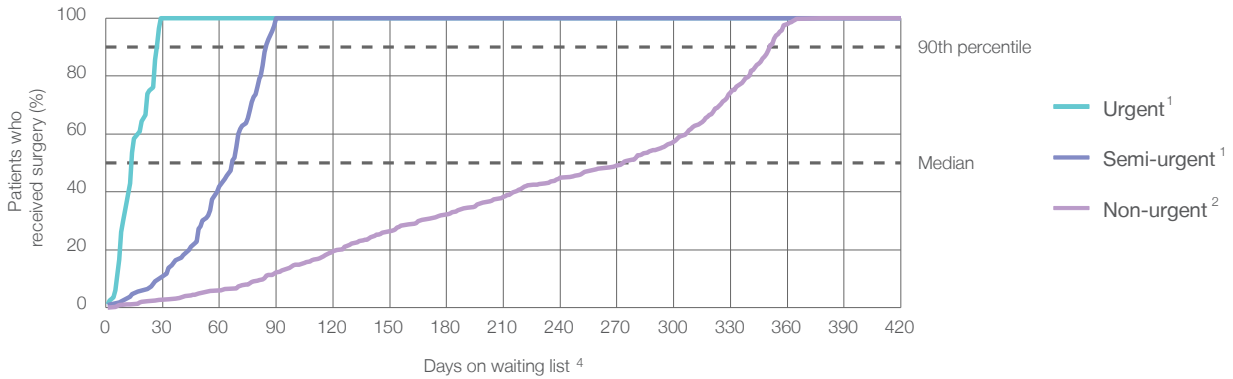
## Fairfield Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 2018

### Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

Urgency Category	Recommended Timeframe	Percentage	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent <sup>1</sup>	Recommended: 30 days	100%	100%	99.7%
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	Recommended: 90 days	100%	99.3%	98.2%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	Recommended: 365 days	99.8%	100%	96.5%

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

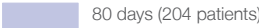
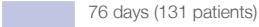





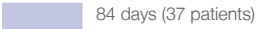





### Waiting time (days) for people who received surgery by urgency category

Urgency Category	Waiting Time Metric	Value	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent: <sup>1</sup> 84 patients	Median time to receive surgery	14 days	13	15	13
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	27	*	27
2 Semi-urgent: <sup>1</sup> 110 patients	Median time to receive surgery	67 days	47	56	45
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	85 days	83	77	83
3 Non-urgent: <sup>2</sup> 510 patients	Median time to receive surgery	274 days	254	223	259
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	351 days	355	334	354

## Fairfield Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 2018

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	13
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	268
General surgery	 80 days (204 patients)	69	44
Gynaecology	 76 days (131 patients)	70	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	 281 days (305 patients)	237	168
Plastic surgery	 165 days (51 patients)	122	67
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	35
Vascular surgery	 176 days (15 patients)	343	19

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	* (9 patients)	60	72
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	239
Cholecystectomy	 84 days (37 patients)	65	57
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	*	28
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	67
Hysteroscopy	 67 days (68 patients)	52	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	 321 days (40 patients)	100	91
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	302
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	78
Other - General	 20 days (30 patients)	22	28
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	61
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	333
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	310
Total hip replacement	 308 days (41 patients)	231	251
Total knee replacement	 306 days (111 patients)	259	276
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (9 patients)	342	141

### Fairfield 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: 1,793 patients	1,826	-2%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,810 patients	1,845	-2%
Patients not ready for surgery <sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter: 334 patients	282	18%

### Fairfield Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,810 patients

Urgency Category	Count (Percentage)	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent <sup>1</sup>	6 (0.3%)	< 5	*
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	56 (3.1%)	102	-43%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	1,748 (96.6%)	1,743	0%

## Fairfield Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2018

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,810 patients

	As at 31 Dec 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,810	1,845	-2%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	405	434	-7%
Gynaecology	238	242	-2%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	1,025	956	7%
Plastic surgery	135	156	-13%
Urology	0	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	7	57	-88%

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

	As at 31 Dec 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	17	23	-26%
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	99	84	18%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	22	13	69%
Hysteroscopy	98	75	31%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	95	111	-14%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	33	9	267%
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	145	155	-6%
Total knee replacement	474	423	12%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	10	61	-84%

**Fairfield 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.).