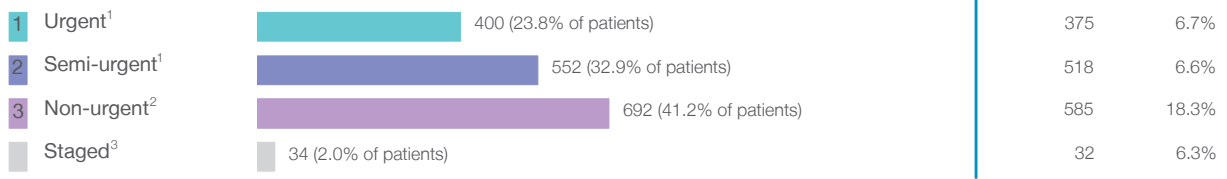


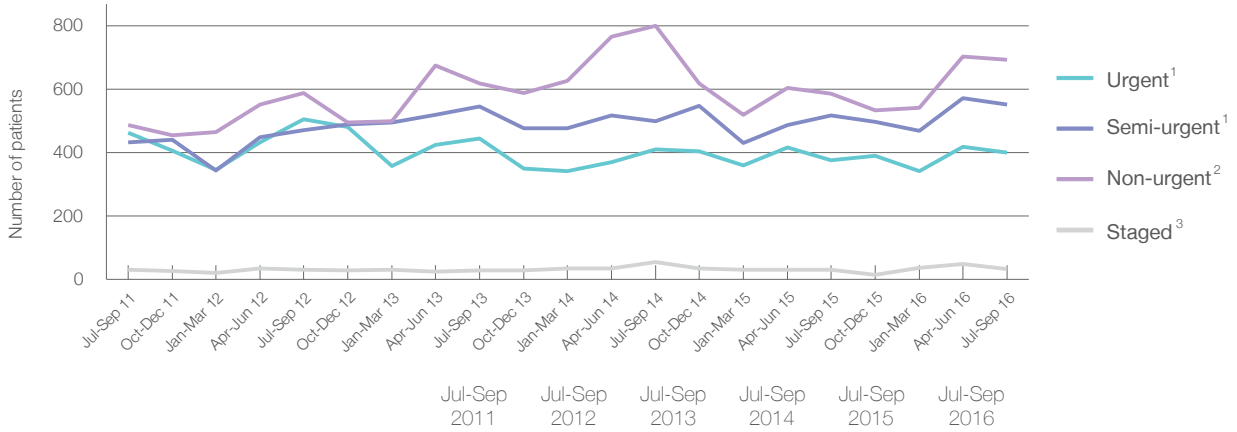
## Nepean Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2016

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 1,678 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	1,411	1,597	1,636	1,765	1,510	1,678
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	462	506	445	410	375	400
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	432	471	545	499	518	552
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	486	588	617	800	585	692
Staged <sup>3</sup>	31	32	29	56	32	34

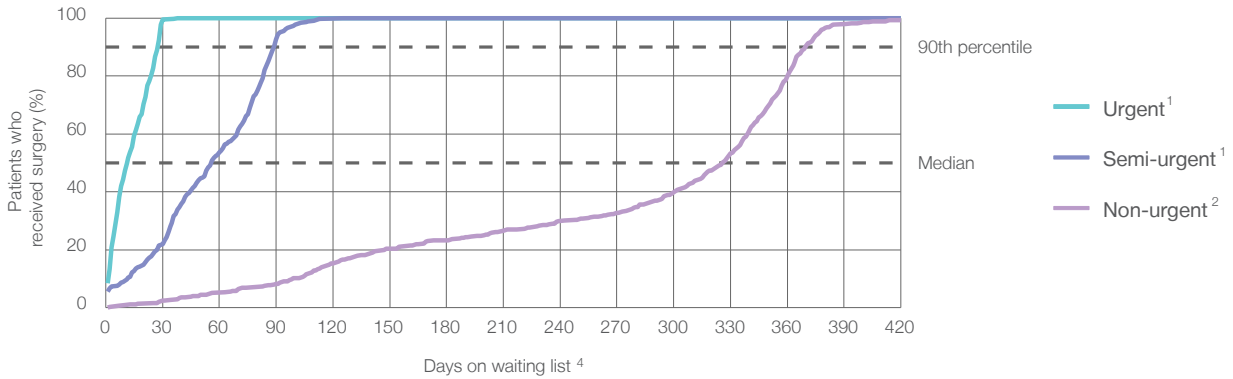
## Nepean Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2016

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

Urgency Category	Recommended Timeframe (days)	Percentage	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent <sup>1</sup>	30 days	99.5%	99.7%	99.7%
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	90 days	92.8%	94.2%	96.6%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	365 days	86.7%	87.7%	96.2%

### 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 <sup>1</sup>	400 patients	12 days	28 days	9	10	9
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	552 patients	56 days	89 days	41	60	42
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	692 patients	326 days	370 days	167	326	162

## Nepean Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 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	23 days (45 patients)	23	20
Ear, nose and throat surgery	221 days (286 patients)	313	105
General surgery	55 days (304 patients)	39	27
Gynaecology	76 days (193 patients)	71	30
Medical	* (7 patients)	*	17
Neurosurgery	107 days (68 patients)	46	43
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	100
Orthopaedic surgery	308 days (268 patients)	284	71
Plastic surgery	11 days (159 patients)	10	20
Urology	63 days (320 patients)	75	31
Vascular surgery	14 days (28 patients)	13	15

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	142 days (17 patients)	305	54
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	126
Cholecystectomy	109 days (38 patients)	63	48
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	26
Cystoscopy	47 days (181 patients)	58	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (8 patients)	*	64
Hysteroscopy	29 days (88 patients)	24	34
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	335 days (16 patients)	304	71
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (5 patients)	*	327
Myringotomy	72 days (31 patients)	71	67
Other - General	29 days (56 patients)	30	20
Prostatectomy	63 days (37 patients)	86	54
Septoplasty	326 days (21 patients)	332	326
Tonsillectomy	330 days (99 patients)	332	314
Total hip replacement	304 days (26 patients)	255	113
Total knee replacement	336 days (71 patients)	331	272
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)	*	75

## Nepean Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 3,037 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 2,995 patients

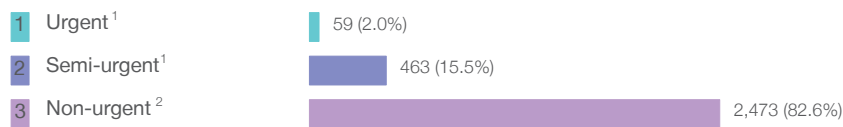
Patients not ready for surgery<sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter: 432 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	3,004	1.1%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	3,180	-5.8%
Patients not ready for surgery <sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter	322	34.2%

## Nepean Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 2,995 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	69	-14.5%
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	483	-4.1%
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	2,628	-5.9%

**Nepean Hospital:** Patients ready for elective surgery  
as at 30th September 2016

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 2,995 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	2,995	3,180	-5.8%
Cardiothoracic surgery	20	5	300.0%
Ear, nose and throat surgery	789	800	-1.4%
General surgery	363	415	-12.5%
Gynaecology	290	379	-23.5%
Medical	15	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	146	177	-17.5%
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	963	979	-1.6%
Plastic surgery	123	143	-14.0%
Urology	262	261	0.4%
Vascular surgery	24	17	41.2%

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

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	43	44	-2.3%
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	39	43	-9.3%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	103	89	15.7%
Haemorrhoidectomy	17	30	-43.3%
Hysteroscopy	59	60	-1.7%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	40	71	-43.7%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	10	15	-33.3%
Myringotomy	31	30	3.3%
Other - General	74	57	29.8%
Prostatectomy	81	57	42.1%
Septoplasty	117	101	15.8%
Tonsillectomy	403	400	0.8%
Total hip replacement	111	103	7.8%
Total knee replacement	303	267	13.5%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	18	12	50.0%

## Nepean 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	15	43

\* 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.).