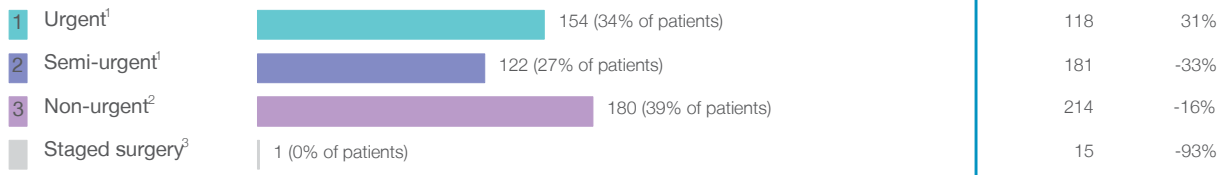


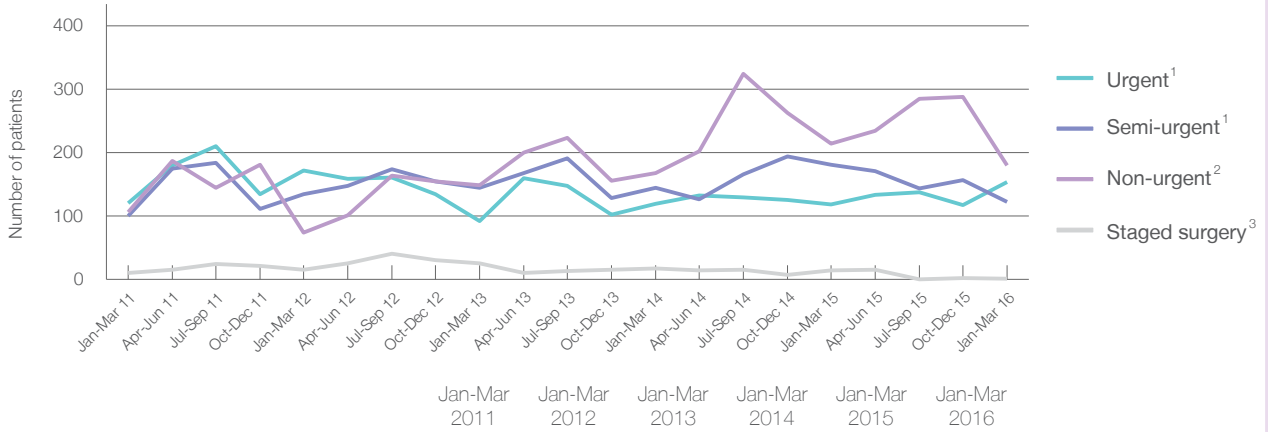
Grafton Base Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2016

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 457 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2011 to March 2016



Urgency Category	Jan-Mar 2011	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016
All categories	337	397	412	450	528	457
Urgent ¹	120	172	92	119	118	154
Semi-urgent ¹	100	135	145	145	181	122
Non-urgent ²	106	74	149	168	214	180
Staged surgery ³	11	16	26	18	15	1

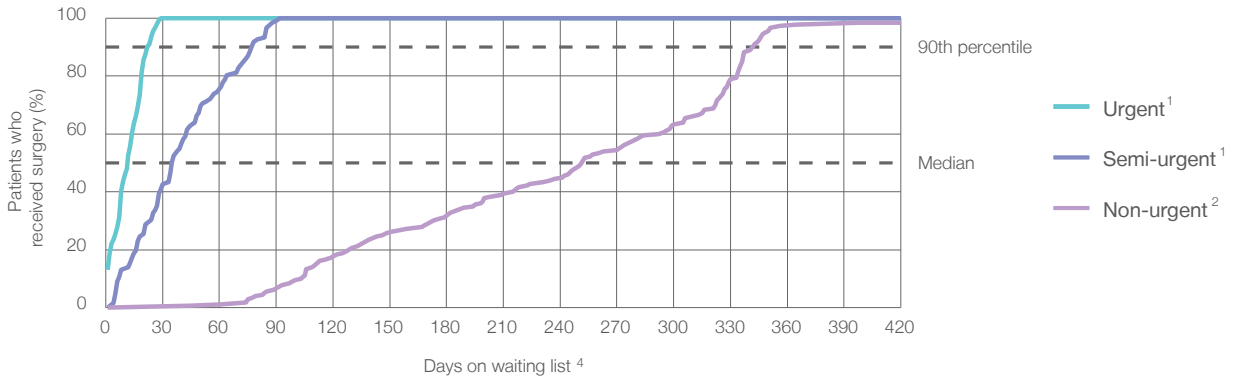
Grafton Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 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%	100%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	99%	99%	99%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	98%	99%	99%

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
1 Urgent: ¹ 154 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	12 days	14	14	13
90th percentile time to receive surgery	22 days	27	25	27
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 122 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	36 days	51	48	51
90th percentile time to receive surgery	77 days	83	81	83
3 Non-urgent: ² 180 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	252 days	272	223	272
90th percentile time to receive surgery	343 days	348	344	351

Grafton Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 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)	n/a	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	113 days (21 patients)	92	166
General surgery	19 days (180 patients)	26	47
Gynaecology	41 days (58 patients)	34	46
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	29	4
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	319 days (110 patients)	306	309
Orthopaedic surgery	48 days (85 patients)	79	185
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	49
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	35
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*

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	* (5 patients)	*	109
Cataract extraction	322 days (96 patients)	308	310
Cholecystectomy	21 days (20 patients)	39	47
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	34
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (8 patients)	*	74
Hysteroscopy	34 days (16 patients)	29	39
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	19 days (17 patients)	70	76
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	*	*
Myringotomy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	27
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	77
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	*	332
Tonsillectomy	128 days (11 patients)	*	201
Total hip replacement	114 days (10 patients)	90	215
Total knee replacement	202 days (14 patients)	110	282
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	154

Grafton Base Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 631 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 646 patients

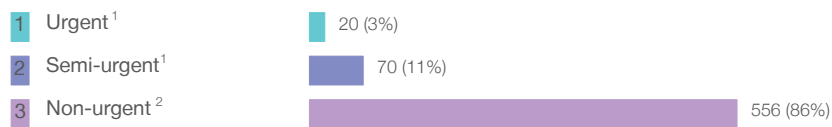
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 96 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	994	-37%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	1,013	-36%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	87	10%

Grafton Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 646 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	27	-26%
Semi-urgent ¹	109	-36%
Non-urgent ²	877	-37%

Grafton Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2016

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 646 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	646	1,013	-36%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	22	35	-37%
General surgery	72	100	-28%
Gynaecology	64	77	-17%
Medical	0	8	-100%
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	364	632	-42%
Orthopaedic surgery	124	161	-23%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	0	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	10	6	67%
Cataract extraction	343	572	-40%
Cholecystectomy	6	6	0%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	11	*
Hysteroscopy	9	13	-31%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	< 5	8	*
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	< 5	< 5	*
Myringotomy	< 5	5	*
Other - General	0	< 5	n/a
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	< 5	6	*
Tonsillectomy	9	11	-18%
Total hip replacement	34	21	62%
Total knee replacement	63	63	0%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	5	< 5	*

Grafton Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2016

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

As at 31 Mar 2016

Same time last year

All specialties	< 5	32
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* 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, January to March 2013*.

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 15 April 2016).