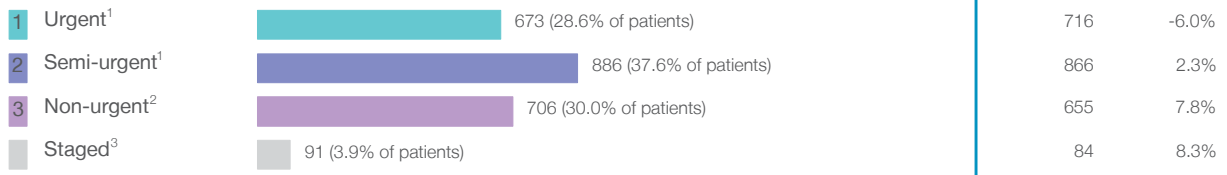


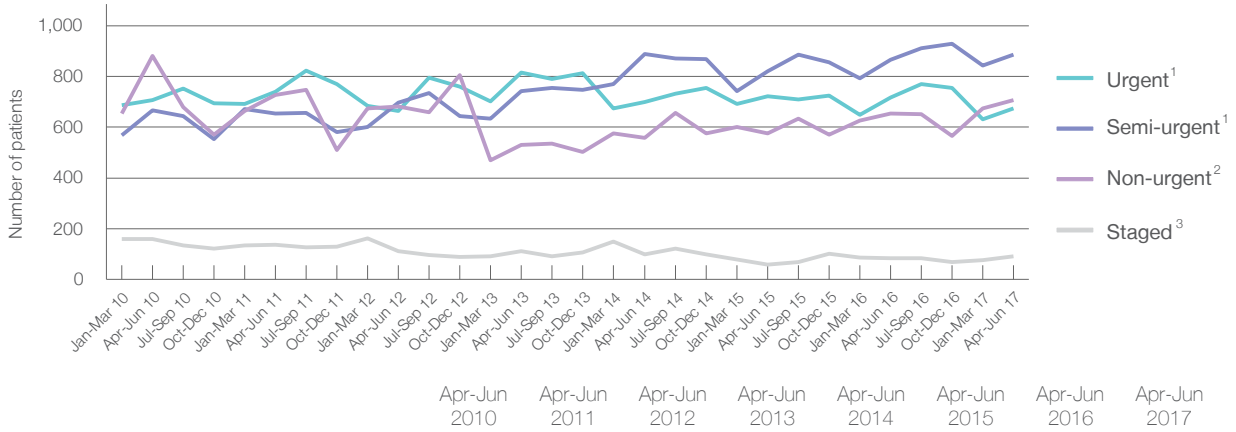
John Hunter Hospital: Elective surgery performed

April to June 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 2,356 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, April 2012 to June 2017



	Apr-Jun 2010	Apr-Jun 2011	Apr-Jun 2012	Apr-Jun 2013	Apr-Jun 2014	Apr-Jun 2015	Apr-Jun 2016	Apr-Jun 2017
All categories	2,415	2,259	2,153	2,199	2,246	2,176	2,321	2,356
Urgent ¹	708	740	664	815	699	721	716	673
Semi-urgent ¹	666	654	696	743	889	820	866	886
Non-urgent ²	881	727	682	530	559	577	655	706
Staged ³	160	138	111	111	99	58	84	91

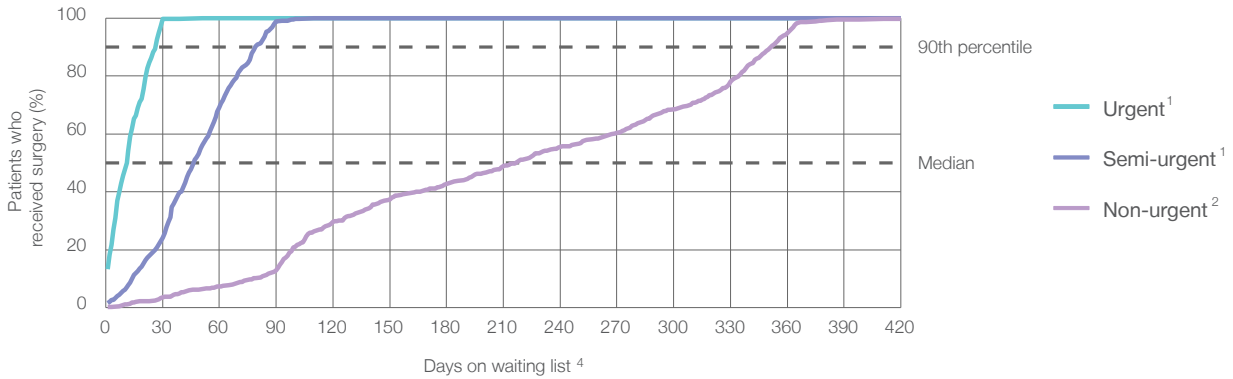
John Hunter Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2017

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	99.7%	98.9%	99.7%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	99.0%	95.8%	95.6%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	98.3%	98.6%	92.5%

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



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

Urgency Category	Median time to receive surgery	90th percentile time to receive surgery	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent: ¹ 673 patients	12 days	27 days	10	10	10
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 886 patients	47 days	79 days	42	48	42
3 Non-urgent: ² 706 patients	217 days	352 days	197	211	179

John Hunter Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2017

Median⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon

Specialty	Median ⁵ waiting time (days) (patients)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	22 days (75 patients)	24	27
Ear, nose and throat surgery	43 days (245 patients)	115	190
General surgery	32 days (388 patients)	31	28
Gynaecology	51 days (337 patients)	39	31
Medical	41 days (84 patients)	49	19
Neurosurgery	53 days (234 patients)	49	46
Ophthalmology	71 days (85 patients)	55	132
Orthopaedic surgery	77 days (569 patients)	59	80
Plastic surgery	* (< 5 patients)	*	23
Urology	50 days (250 patients)	35	33
Vascular surgery	22 days (87 patients)	20	20

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

Procedure	Median ⁵ waiting time (days) (patients)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	56 days (13 patients)	43	53
Cataract extraction	84 days (48 patients)	77	165
Cholecystectomy	64 days (36 patients)	64	45
Coronary artery bypass graft	10 days (13 patients)	28	24
Cystoscopy	41 days (167 patients)	32	32
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	71
Hysteroscopy	61 days (57 patients)	40	32
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	56 days (31 patients)	43	64
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	312
Myringotomy	* (7 patients)	*	87
Other - General	* (< 5 patients)	*	17
Prostatectomy	* (8 patients)	*	64
Septoplasty	283 days (12 patients)	224	344
Tonsillectomy	48 days (61 patients)	167	303
Total hip replacement	180 days (66 patients)	136	141
Total knee replacement	321 days (110 patients)	280	264
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (5 patients)	*	79

John Hunter Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

April to June 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 2,597 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 2,745 patients

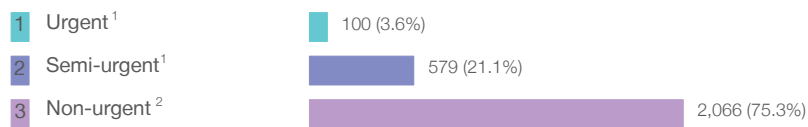
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 502 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	2,237	16.1%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	2,298	19.5%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	584	-14.0%

John Hunter Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 2,745 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	90	11.1%
Semi-urgent ¹	540	7.2%
Non-urgent ²	1,668	23.9%

John Hunter Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th June 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 2,745 patients

	As at 30 Jun 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	2,745	2,298	19.5%
Cardiothoracic surgery	15	14	7.1%
Ear, nose and throat surgery	317	265	19.6%
General surgery	411	324	26.9%
Gynaecology	358	300	19.3%
Medical	71	75	-5.3%
Neurosurgery	287	179	60.3%
Ophthalmology	76	106	-28.3%
Orthopaedic surgery	1,032	928	11.2%
Plastic surgery	5	0	n/a
Urology	131	79	65.8%
Vascular surgery	42	28	50.0%

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 30 Jun 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	21	27	-22.2%
Cataract extraction	33	54	-38.9%
Cholecystectomy	55	43	27.9%
Coronary artery bypass graft	< 5	< 5	*
Cystoscopy	58	35	65.7%
Haemorrhoidectomy	10	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	47	42	11.9%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	49	46	6.5%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	14	13	7.7%
Myringotomy	5	< 5	*
Other - General	< 5	< 5	*
Prostatectomy	6	8	-25.0%
Septoplasty	46	30	53.3%
Tonsillectomy	102	80	27.5%
Total hip replacement	174	147	18.4%
Total knee replacement	350	316	10.8%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	6	< 5	*

John Hunter Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th June 2017

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

	As at 30 Jun 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	12	9

* 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 18 July 2017.).