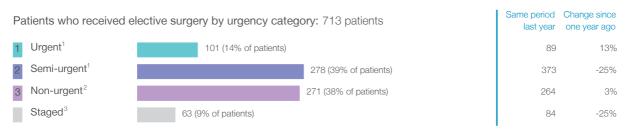
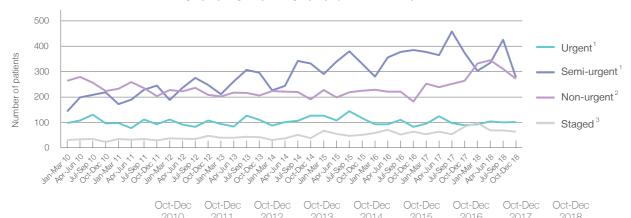
Belmont Hospital: Elective surgery performed

October to December 2018



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2010 to December 2018



	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2010	2017	2010
All categories	560	572	612	653	687	724	714	810	713
Urgent ¹	96	93	108	110	126	117	83	89	101
Semi-urgent ¹	218	245	248	295	332	331	385	373	278
Non-urgent ²	223	204	209	206	191	225	182	264	271
Staged ³	23	30	47	42	38	51	64	84	63

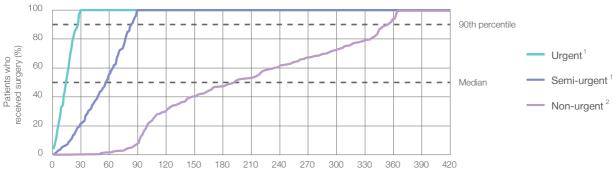
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Belmont Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 2018

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe			Same period last year	Peer group (this period)	
1	Urgent ¹	Recommended: 30 days	100%	100%	100%
2	Semi-urgent ¹	Recommended: 90 days	100%	100%	99.4%
3	Non-urgent 2	Recommended: 365 days	99.6%	100%	97.7%

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





Waiting time (days) for people who rece	ived surgery by urgency category	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent: ¹ 101 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	15 days	13	16	14
90th percentile time to receive surgery	27 days	27	*	27
2 Semi-urgent: 1278 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	57 days	49	53	49
90th percentile time to receive surgery	84 days	83	80	81
3 Non-urgent: 2 271 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	192 days	260	196	254
90th percentile time to receive surgery	354	days 356	345	352

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Belmont Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 2018

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patie	nts who received elective su	rgery 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		266 days (40 patients)	100	266
General surgery	55 days (104 patients)		70	41
Gynaecology	86 days (130 patients	;)	66	35
Medical	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	8
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	281
Orthopaedic surgery	108 days (167 pati	ients)	127	180
Plastic surgery	70 days (98 patients)		53	68
Urology	30 days (174 patients)		36	34
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	115

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patie	nts who received elective surgery by	common procedures 7	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (6 patients)		*	59
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	285
Cholecystectomy	75 days (29 patients)		55	45
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	35 days (131 patients)		39	28
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)		*	58
Hysteroscopy	74 days (41 patients)		58	28
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	77 days (23 patients)		89	67
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)		*	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)		*	*
Other - General	* (< 5 patients)		63	26
Prostatectomy	* (< 5 patients)		*	107
Septoplasty		361 days (12 patients)	*	343
Tonsillectomy	* (6 patients)		*	279
Total hip replacement	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	225
Total knee replacement	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	284
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	171

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Belmont 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: 782 patients	1,043	-25%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 888 patients	870	2%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 253 patients	287	-12%

Belmont Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st December 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 888 patients	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent ¹ < 5	6	*
2 Semi-urgent ¹ 233 (26.2%)	221	5%
3 Non-urgent ² 655 (73.8%)	643	2%

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Belmont Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2018

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 888 patients

	As at 31 Dec 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	888	870	2%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	73	91	-20%
General surgery	143	141	1%
Gynaecology	171	192	-11%
Medical	0	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	318	281	13%
Plastic surgery	106	102	4%
Urology	77	62	24%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Dec 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	< 5	7	*
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	27	20	35%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	50	36	39%
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	39	54	-28%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	40	35	14%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	13	< 5	*
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	< 5	< 5	*
Prostatectomy	< 5	6	*
Septoplasty	13	28	-54%
Tonsillectomy	13	21	-38%
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

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Belmont 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 a	t 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.).