

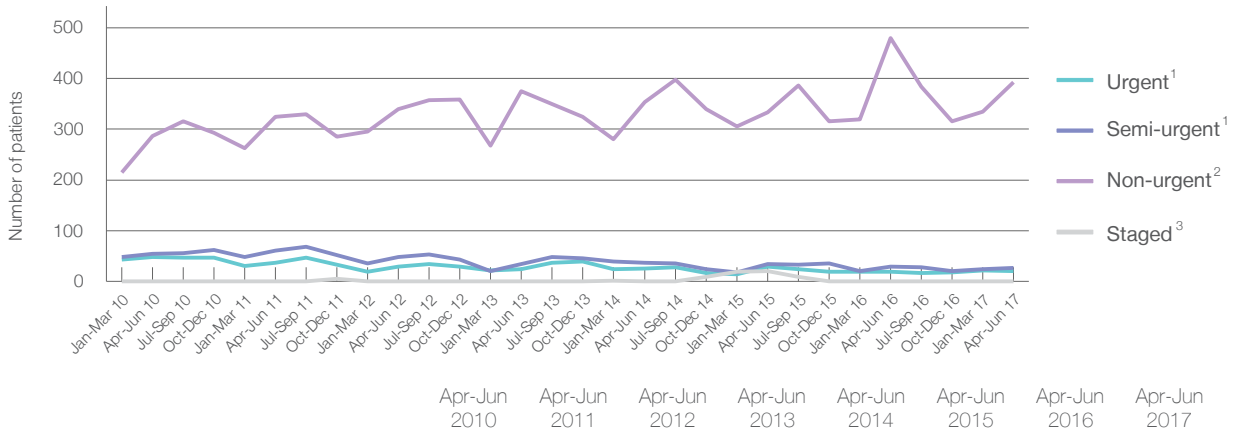
RPAH Institute of Rheumatology & Orthopaedics: Elective surgery performed

April to June 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 440 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	392	424	419	434	418	419	529	440
Urgent ¹	49	37	30	24	26	30	20	21
Semi-urgent ¹	55	61	49	34	37	35	29	27
Non-urgent ²	287	325	340	375	354	333	480	392
Staged ³	1	1	0	1	1	21	0	0

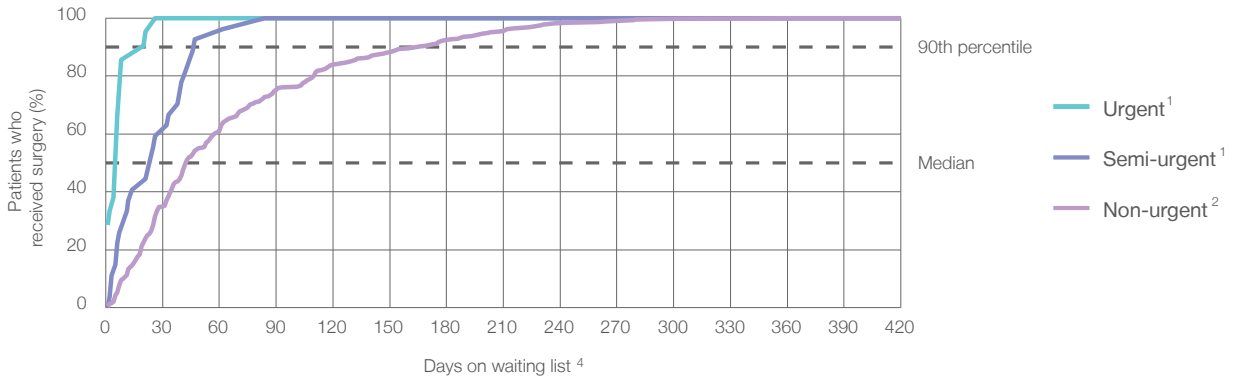
RPAH Institute of Rheumatology & Orthopaedics: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended:	100%	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	100%	100%	99.7%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	100%	100%	95.6%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	100%	100%	92.5%

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 Urgent: ¹ 21 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	5 days	10	5
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	26	*
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 27 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	25 days	42	18
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	84	*
3 Non-urgent: ² 392 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	43 days	197	43
90th percentile time to receive surgery	164 days	362	196

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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	27
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	190
General surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	28
Gynaecology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	31
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	19
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	46
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	132
Orthopaedic surgery	 40 days (440 patients)	36	80
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	23
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	33
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	20

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	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	53
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	165
Cholecystectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	45
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	24
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	32
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	71
Hysteroscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	32
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	64
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	312
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	87
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	17
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	64
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	344
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	303
Total hip replacement	 56 days (64 patients)	44	141
Total knee replacement	 71 days (108 patients)	68	264
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	79

RPAH Institute of Rheumatology & Orthopaedics: Elective surgery waiting list

April to June 2017

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 409 patients	392	4.3%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 360 patients	306	17.6%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 16 patients	17	-5.9%

RPAH Institute of Rheumatology & Orthopaedics: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 360 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent ¹ 5 (1.4%)	< 5	*
2 Semi-urgent ¹ 8 (2.2%)	8	14.3%
3 Non-urgent ² 347 (96.4%)	298	16.4%

RPAH Institute of Rheumatology & Orthopaedics: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 360 patients

	As at 30 Jun 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	360	306	17.6%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	0	0	n/a
Gynaecology	0	0	n/a
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	360	306	17.6%
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 30 Jun 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Hysteroscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	0	< 5	n/a
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	0	< 5	n/a
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	46	37	24.3%
Total knee replacement	131	124	5.6%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

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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	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: 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.).