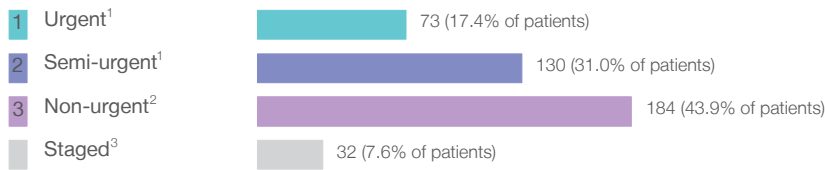


Hawkesbury District Health Services: Elective surgery performed

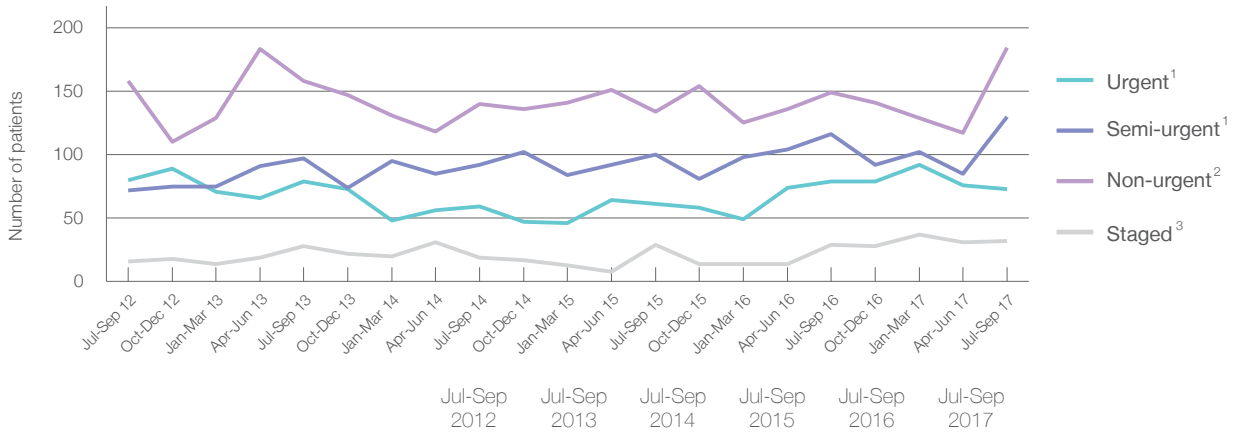
July to September 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 419 patients



Urgency Category	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent ¹	79	-7.6%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	116	12.1%
3 Non-urgent ²	149	23.5%
Staged ³	29	10.3%

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, July 2012 to September 2017



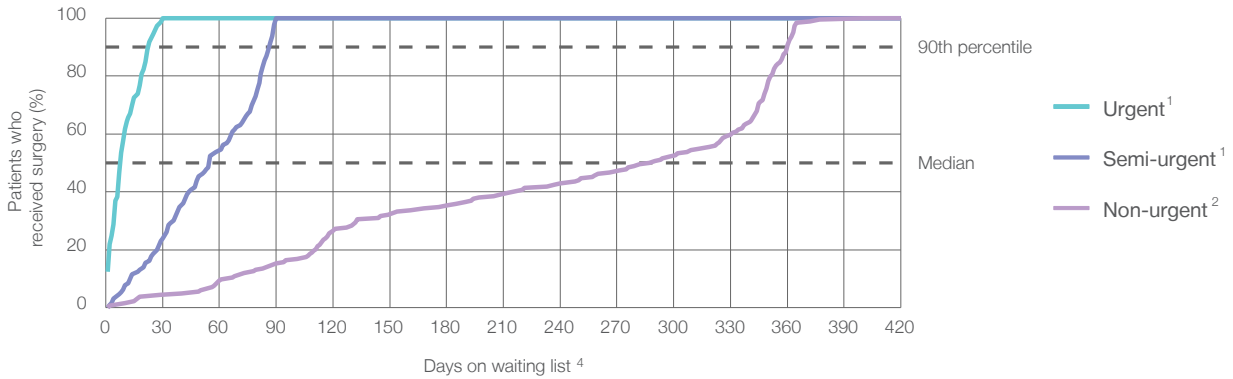
	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016	Jul-Sep 2017
All categories	326	362	310	324	373	419
Urgent ¹	80	79	59	61	79	73
Semi-urgent ¹	72	97	92	100	116	130
Non-urgent ²	158	158	140	134	149	184
Staged ³	16	28	19	29	29	32

Hawkesbury District Health Services: Time waited to receive elective surgery July to September 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended:		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent¹	30 days	100%	96.2%	99.9%
2 Semi-urgent¹	90 days	100%	98.3%	99.3%
3 Non-urgent²	365 days	98.4%	97.3%	96.7%

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 73 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	8 days	14	13	15
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	27	*	27
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 130 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	55 days	49	48	47
90th percentile time to receive surgery	87 days	83	79	80
3 Non-urgent: ² 184 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	289 days	269	175	247
90th percentile time to receive surgery	360 days	351	363	349

Hawkesbury District Health Services: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

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	64 days (16 patients)	*	119
General surgery	62 days (166 patients)	42	47
Gynaecology	48 days (80 patients)	33	46
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	20
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	* (6 patients)	*	287
Orthopaedic surgery	279 days (116 patients)	171	159
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	57
Urology	22 days (35 patients)	40	34
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	88

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	* (7 patients)	*	74
Cataract extraction	* (6 patients)	*	288
Cholecystectomy	69 days (30 patients)	52	52
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	22 days (13 patients)	*	34
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (6 patients)	n/a	61
Hysteroscopy	34 days (45 patients)	22	38
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	67 days (27 patients)	45	73
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	27
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	41
Septoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	327
Tonsillectomy	* (9 patients)	*	209
Total hip replacement	313 days (13 patients)	217	220
Total knee replacement	325 days (32 patients)	336	264
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)	*	110

Hawkesbury District Health Services: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 585 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 581 patients

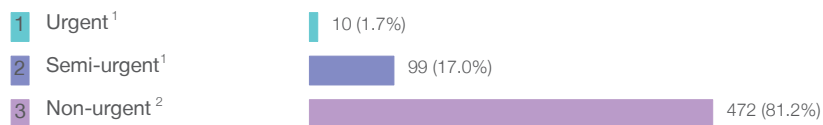
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 107 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	489	19.6%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	487	19.3%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	66	62.1%

Hawkesbury District Health Services: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 581 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	10	0.0%
Semi-urgent ¹	56	76.8%
Non-urgent ²	421	12.1%

Hawkesbury District Health Services: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 581 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	581	487	19.3%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	< 5	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	93	18	416.7%
General surgery	164	144	13.9%
Gynaecology	37	22	68.2%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	19	22	-13.6%
Orthopaedic surgery	247	271	-8.9%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	21	9	133.3%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures⁷

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Cataract extraction	18	21	-14.3%
Cholecystectomy	25	20	25.0%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	11	7	57.1%
Haemorrhoidectomy	6	5	20.0%
Hysteroscopy	16	5	220.0%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	37	33	12.1%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	< 5	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	0	< 5	n/a
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	*
Septoplasty	35	< 5	*
Tonsillectomy	33	10	230.0%
Total hip replacement	47	38	23.7%
Total knee replacement	86	97	-11.3%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	< 5	< 5	*

Hawkesbury District Health Services: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2017

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

As at 30 Sep 2017 Same time last year

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	0	< 5

* 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 16 Oct 2017.).