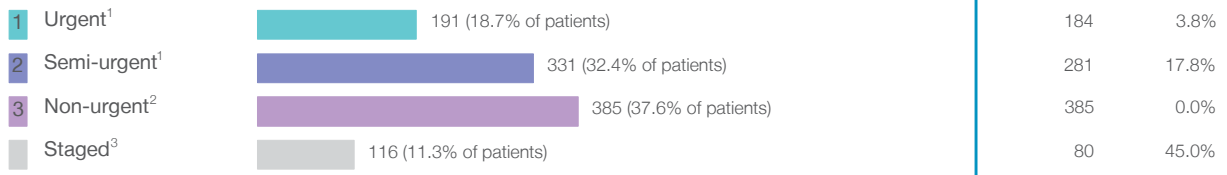


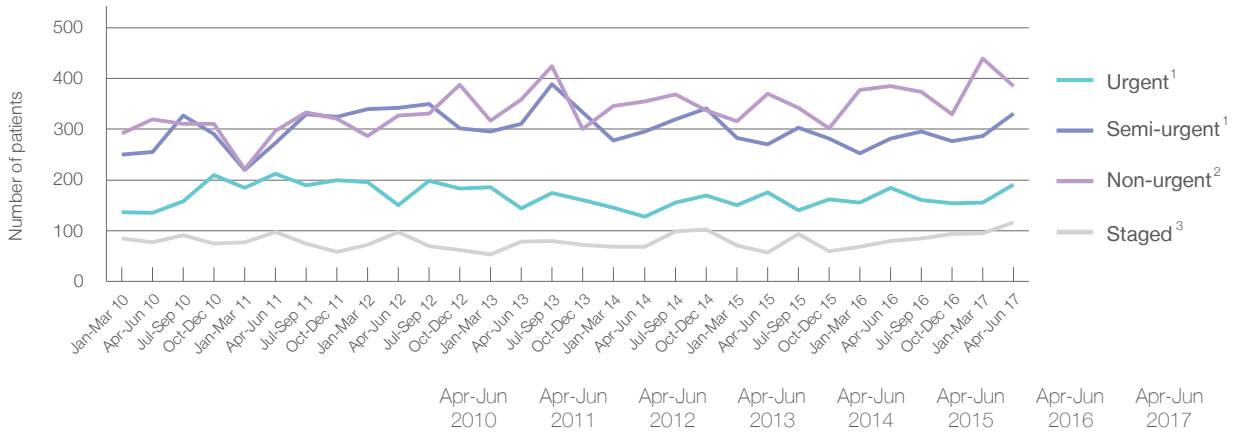
## Tamworth Base Hospital: Elective surgery performed

April to June 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 1,023 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	787	879	917	892	848	873	930	1,023
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	135	212	150	144	128	176	184	191
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	255	273	342	310	296	270	281	331
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	320	297	327	359	355	370	385	385
Staged <sup>3</sup>	77	97	98	79	69	57	80	116

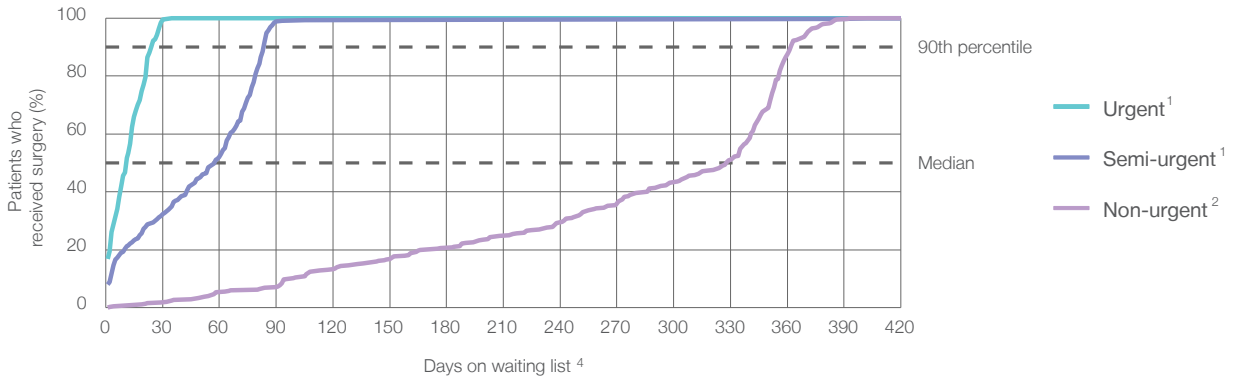
## Tamworth Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

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 <sup>1</sup>	30 days	99.5%	100%	99.9%
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	90 days	98.8%	99.3%	97.8%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	365 days	92.5%	100%	95.9%

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



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

	Waiting time (days)	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
<b>1 Urgent:</b> <sup>1</sup> 191 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	11 days	14	14	13
90th percentile time to receive surgery	24 days	27	28	27
<b>2 Semi-urgent:</b> <sup>1</sup> 331 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	58 days	49	60	50
90th percentile time to receive surgery	84 days	84	85	83
<b>3 Non-urgent:</b> <sup>2</sup> 385 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	328 days	267	303	276
90th percentile time to receive surgery	362 days	358	358	358

## Tamworth Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2017

Median <sup>5</sup> 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	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	247
General surgery	23 days (262 patients)	29	53
Gynaecology	48 days (107 patients)	77	48
Medical	7 days (17 patients)	1	23
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	335 days (318 patients)	326	258
Orthopaedic surgery	240 days (93 patients)	122	215
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	83
Urology	69 days (226 patients)	27	40
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	21

Median <sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures <sup>7</sup>		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	97 days (14 patients)	158	81
Cataract extraction	342 days (245 patients)	335	276
Cholecystectomy	52 days (30 patients)	46	59
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	54 days (124 patients)	26	30
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	*	64
Hysteroscopy	* (< 5 patients)	*	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	99 days (18 patients)	127	118
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	307
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	24
Other - General	* (5 patients)	*	29
Prostatectomy	78 days (37 patients)	53	70
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	316
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	272
Total hip replacement	243 days (19 patients)	189	266
Total knee replacement	243 days (20 patients)	213	301
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	*	131

### Tamworth Base Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

April to June 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,697 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,703 patients

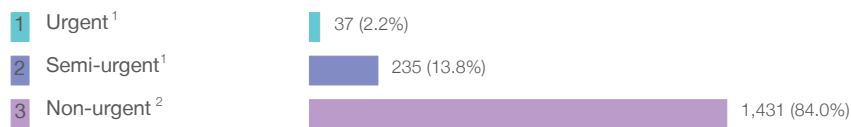
Patients not ready for surgery<sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter: 255 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	1,627	4.3%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	1,624	4.9%
Patients not ready for surgery <sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter	259	-1.5%

### Tamworth Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,703 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	35	5.7%
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	246	-4.5%
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	1,343	6.6%

**Tamworth Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery**  
as at 30th June 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,703 patients

	As at 30 Jun 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,703	1,624	4.9%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	278	253	9.9%
Gynaecology	120	147	-18.4%
Medical	0	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	1,007	879	14.6%
Orthopaedic surgery	182	213	-14.6%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	116	130	-10.8%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures<sup>7</sup>

	As at 30 Jun 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	16	19	-15.8%
Cataract extraction	861	734	17.3%
Cholecystectomy	33	32	3.1%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	27	34	-20.6%
Haemorrhoidectomy	6	6	0.0%
Hysteroscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	54	30	80.0%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	5	7	-28.6%
Prostatectomy	33	38	-13.2%
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	31	40	-22.5%
Total knee replacement	46	70	-34.3%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	6	< 5	*

**Tamworth Base 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	6	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.).