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Performance Profiles

Elective Surgery

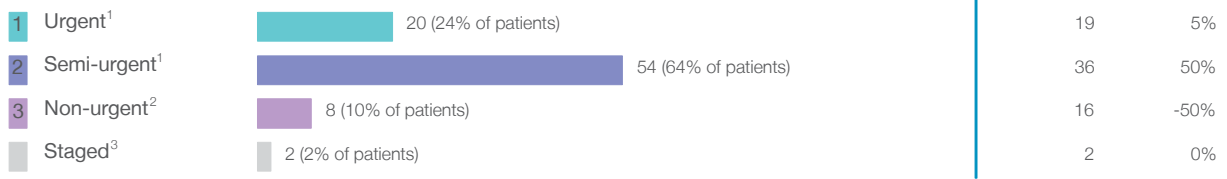
Murrumbidgee Local Health District

October to December 2017

Deniliquin Health Service: Elective surgery performed

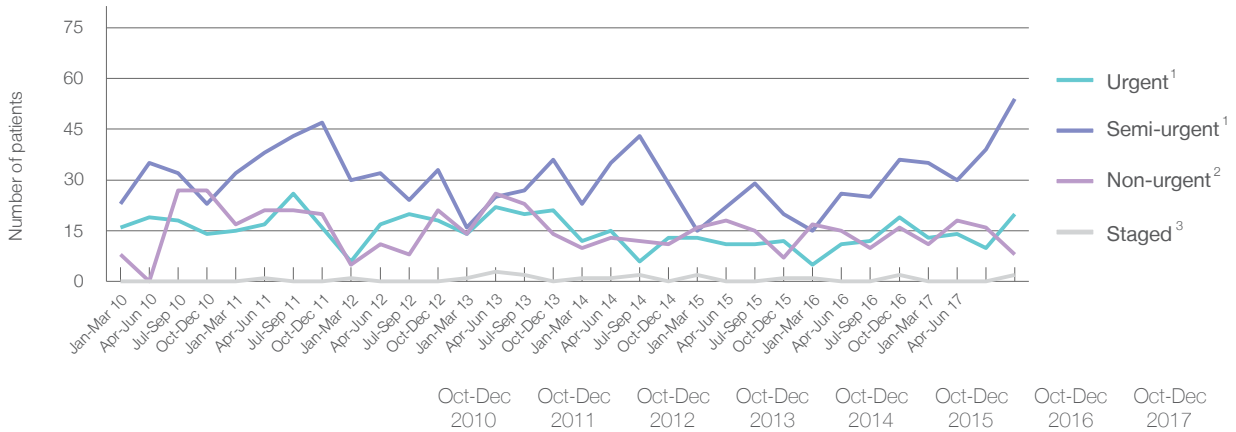
October to December 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 84 patients



Urgency Category	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent ¹	19	5%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	36	50%
3 Non-urgent ²	16	-50%
Staged ³	2	0%

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, October 2012 to December 2017



Urgency Category	Oct-Dec 2010	Oct-Dec 2011	Oct-Dec 2012	Oct-Dec 2013	Oct-Dec 2014	Oct-Dec 2015	Oct-Dec 2016	Oct-Dec 2017
All categories	64	83	72	71	53	40	73	84
Urgent ¹	14	16	18	21	13	12	19	20
Semi-urgent ¹	23	47	33	36	29	20	36	54
Non-urgent ²	27	20	21	14	11	7	16	8
Staged ³	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	2

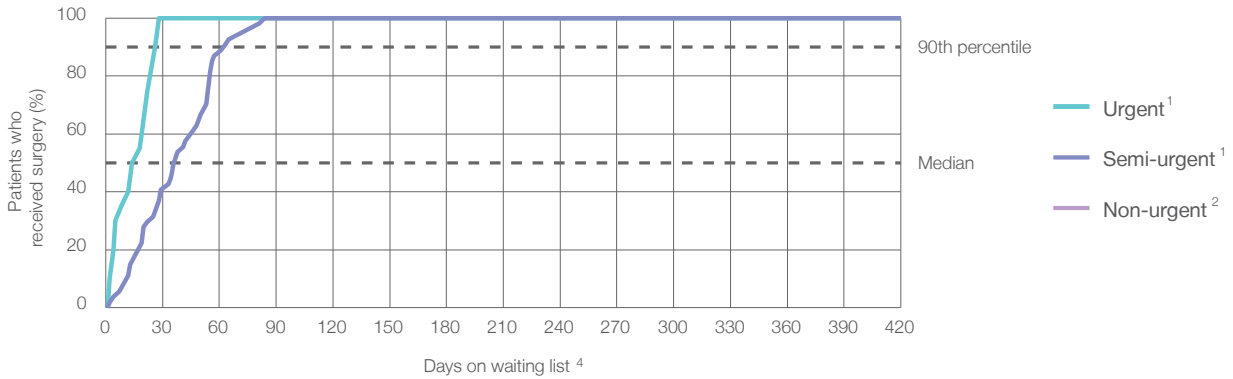
Deniliquin Health Service: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 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%	100%	99.4%
2 Semi-urgent¹	90 days	100%	100%	99.3%
3 Non-urgent²	365 days	*	100%	99.3%

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 20 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	9	14	11
90th percentile time to receive surgery	26	*	25
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 54 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	39	49	42
90th percentile time to receive surgery	77	*	77
3 Non-urgent: ² 8 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	148	105	168
90th percentile time to receive surgery	309	*	329

Deniliquin Health Service: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 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	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	102
General surgery	■ 28 days (72 patients)	33	33
Gynaecology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	37
Medical	* (5 patients)	*	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	* (7 patients)	97	156
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	89
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	34
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	142

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	46
Cataract extraction	* (6 patients)	*	157
Cholecystectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	42
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	28
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	42
Hysteroscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	31
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (< 5 patients)	*	55
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	19
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	34
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	140
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	144
Total hip replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Total knee replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	141

Deniliquin Health Service: Elective surgery waiting list

October to December 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 44 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 34 patients

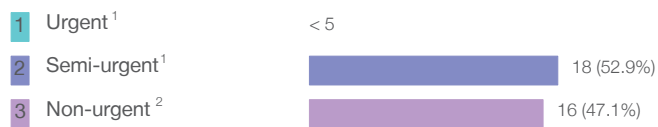
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 6 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	46	-4%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	36	-6%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	3	100%

Deniliquin Health Service: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 34 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	0	*
Semi-urgent ¹	15	13%
Non-urgent ²	21	-24%

Deniliquin Health Service: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st December 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 34 patients

	As at 31 Dec 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	34	36	-6%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	24	22	9%
Gynaecology	0	0	n/a
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	10	14	-29%
Orthopaedic surgery	0	0	n/a
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	0	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Dec 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	8	12	-33%
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	< 5	< 5	*
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	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Deniliquin Health Service: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 31st December 2017

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

As at 31 Dec 2017 Same time last year

	As at 31 Dec 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	0	0

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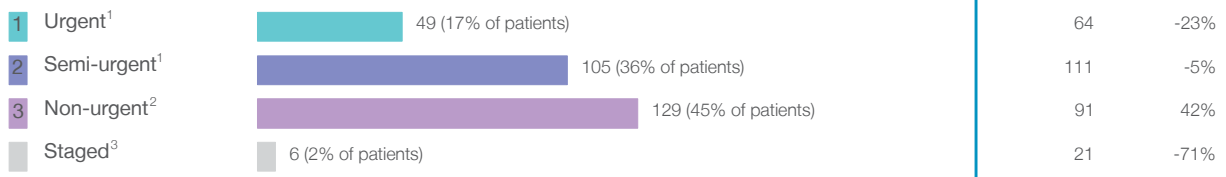
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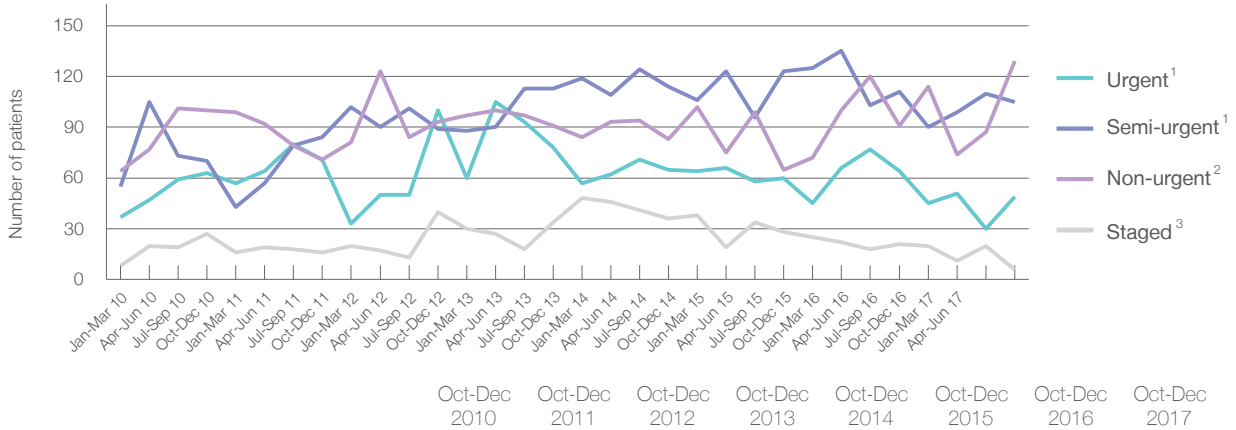
Griffith Base Hospital: Elective surgery performed

October to December 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 289 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, October 2012 to December 2017



Urgency Category	Oct-Dec 2010	Oct-Dec 2011	Oct-Dec 2012	Oct-Dec 2013	Oct-Dec 2014	Oct-Dec 2015	Oct-Dec 2016	Oct-Dec 2017
All categories	260	242	322	316	298	276	287	289
Urgent ¹	63	71	100	78	65	60	64	49
Semi-urgent ¹	70	84	89	113	114	123	111	105
Non-urgent ²	100	71	93	91	83	65	91	129
Staged ³	27	16	40	34	36	28	21	6

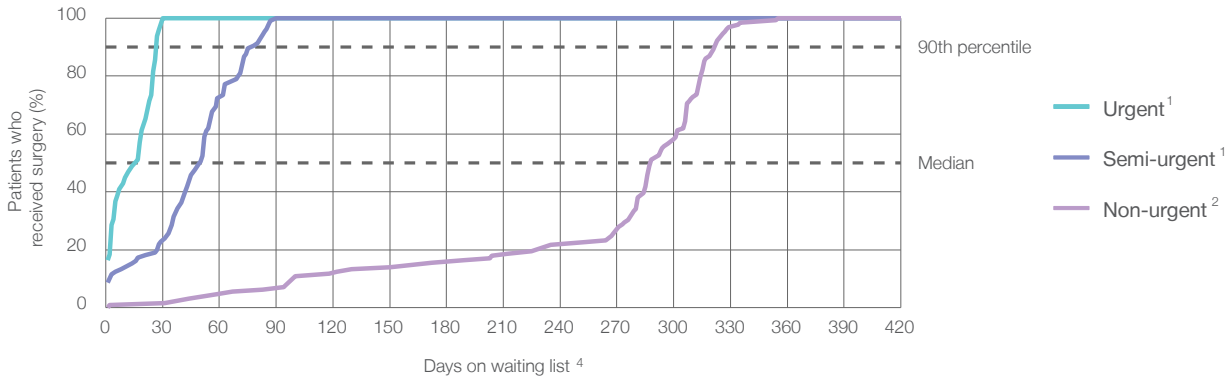
Griffith Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended: (days)	100%	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent¹	30 days	100%	100%	100%
2 Semi-urgent¹	90 days	100%	99.1%	99.1%
3 Non-urgent²	365 days	100%	97.8%	98.4%

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 49 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	17 days	14	12
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	27	27
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 105 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	50 days	49	45
90th percentile time to receive surgery	78 days	81	81
3 Non-urgent: ² 129 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	288 days	254	349
90th percentile time to receive surgery	322 days	352	351

Griffith Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 2017

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

Specialty	Waiting time (days) (n patients)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	* (< 5 patients)	*	100
General surgery	53 days (106 patients)	27	40
Gynaecology	43 days (66 patients)	47	48
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	*
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	292 days (91 patients)	355	286
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	141
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	49
Urology	27 days (24 patients)	39	35
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	93

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

Procedure	Waiting time (days) (n patients)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (8 patients)	*	81
Cataract extraction	292 days (85 patients)	355	288
Cholecystectomy	70 days (17 patients)	39	47
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	*	35
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	60
Hysteroscopy	26 days (11 patients)	45	34
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (6 patients)	29	77
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	23
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	76
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	271
Tonsillectomy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	153
Total hip replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	206
Total knee replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	244
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	98

Griffith Base Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

October to December 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 395 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 326 patients

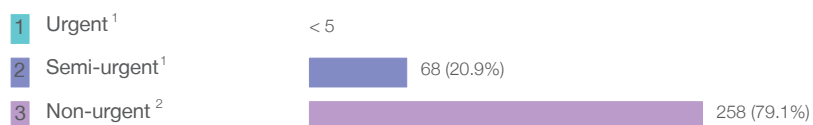
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 72 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	384	3%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	370	-12%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	69	4%

Griffith Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 326 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	8	*
Semi-urgent ¹	64	0%
Non-urgent ²	298	-13%

Griffith Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 326 patients

	As at 31 Dec 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	326	370	-12%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	82	85	-4%
Gynaecology	73	97	-25%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	155	162	-4%
Orthopaedic surgery	0	0	n/a
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	16	26	-38%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Dec 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	11	16	-31%
Cataract extraction	139	152	-9%
Cholecystectomy	9	10	-10%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Hysteroscopy	8	9	-11%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	19	15	27%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	< 5	< 5	n/a
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	< 5	< 5	*

Griffith Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 31st December 2017

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

As at 31 Dec 2017 Same time last year

	As at 31 Dec 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	0	0

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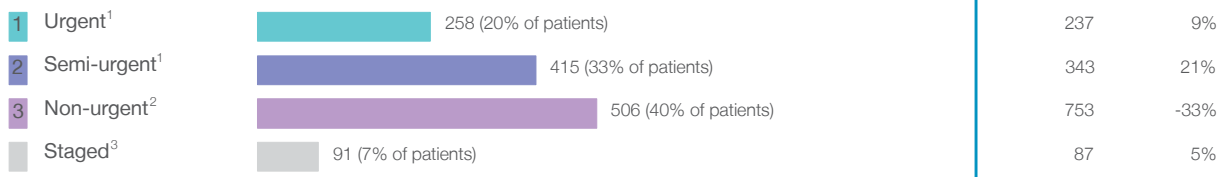
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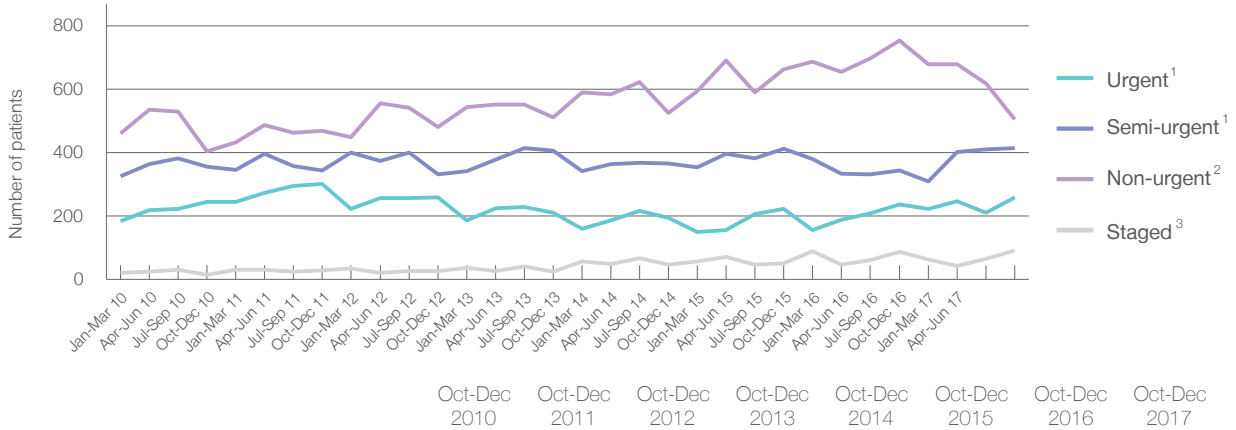
Wagga Wagga Rural Referral Hospital: Elective surgery performed

October to December 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 1,270 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, October 2012 to December 2017



Urgency Category	Oct-Dec 2010	Oct-Dec 2011	Oct-Dec 2012	Oct-Dec 2013	Oct-Dec 2014	Oct-Dec 2015	Oct-Dec 2016	Oct-Dec 2017
All categories	1,020	1,143	1,097	1,155	1,133	1,351	1,420	1,270
Urgent ¹	244	301	258	211	195	223	237	258
Semi-urgent ¹	356	344	331	406	365	413	343	415
Non-urgent ²	405	469	481	512	526	663	753	506
Staged ³	15	29	27	26	47	52	87	91

Wagga Wagga Rural Referral Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery October to December 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	99.2%	100%	99.8%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	98.6%	98.5%	98.2%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	99.8%	80.5%	97.6%

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



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

Urgency Category	Number of Patients	Median time to receive surgery (days)	90th percentile time to receive surgery (days)	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent:	258 patients	13 days	28 days	13	15	13
2 Semi-urgent:	415 patients	40 days	84 days	45	41	47
3 Non-urgent:	506 patients	315 days	360 days	259	277	257

Wagga Wagga Rural Referral Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 2017

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

Specialty	Waiting time (days) (n patients)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	337 days (137 patients)	335	252
General surgery	37 days (292 patients)	57	45
Gynaecology	26 days (103 patients)	29	41
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	*	20
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	200 days (187 patients)	206	283
Orthopaedic surgery	221 days (178 patients)	271	187
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	63
Urology	18 days (341 patients)	30	32
Vascular surgery	42 days (32 patients)	30	25

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

Procedure	Waiting time (days) (n patients)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (9 patients)	52	74
Cataract extraction	210 days (148 patients)	213	291
Cholecystectomy	63 days (25 patients)	45	57
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Cystoscopy	18 days (169 patients)	29	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	60
Hysteroscopy	27 days (44 patients)	23	30
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (6 patients)	67	88
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	317
Myringotomy	* (< 5 patients)	316	84
Other - General	45 days (71 patients)	49	26
Prostatectomy	28 days (18 patients)	35	56
Septoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	324
Tonsillectomy	342 days (59 patients)	358	276
Total hip replacement	181 days (20 patients)	340	245
Total knee replacement	297 days (52 patients)	355	284
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (6 patients)	*	136

Wagga Wagga Rural Referral Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

October to December 2017

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 2,545 patients	2,665	-5%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 2,532 patients	2,478	2%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 456 patients	317	44%

Wagga Wagga Rural Referral Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 2,532 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent ¹ 31 (1.2%)	22	41%
2 Semi-urgent ¹ 312 (12.3%)	201	55%
3 Non-urgent ² 2,189 (86.5%)	2,255	-3%

Wagga Wagga Rural Referral Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 2,532 patients

	As at 31 Dec 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	2,532	2,478	2%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	562	583	-4%
General surgery	419	425	-1%
Gynaecology	122	109	12%
Medical	0	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	558	549	2%
Orthopaedic surgery	688	668	3%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	163	119	37%
Vascular surgery	20	23	-13%

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Dec 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	15	10	50%
Cataract extraction	463	450	3%
Cholecystectomy	44	41	7%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	43	31	39%
Haemorrhoidectomy	5	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	29	19	53%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	28	36	-22%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	8	5	60%
Myringotomy	7	5	40%
Other - General	79	85	-7%
Prostatectomy	< 5	10	*
Septoplasty	12	17	-29%
Tonsillectomy	267	256	4%
Total hip replacement	100	110	-9%
Total knee replacement	229	259	-12%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	10	10	0%

Wagga Wagga Rural Referral Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 31st December 2017

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

As at 31 Dec 2017 Same time last year

	As at 31 Dec 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	0	22

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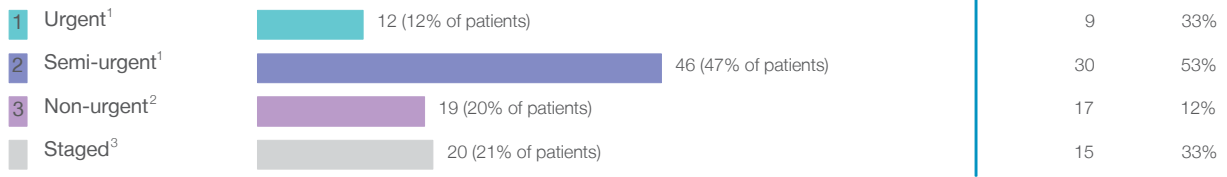
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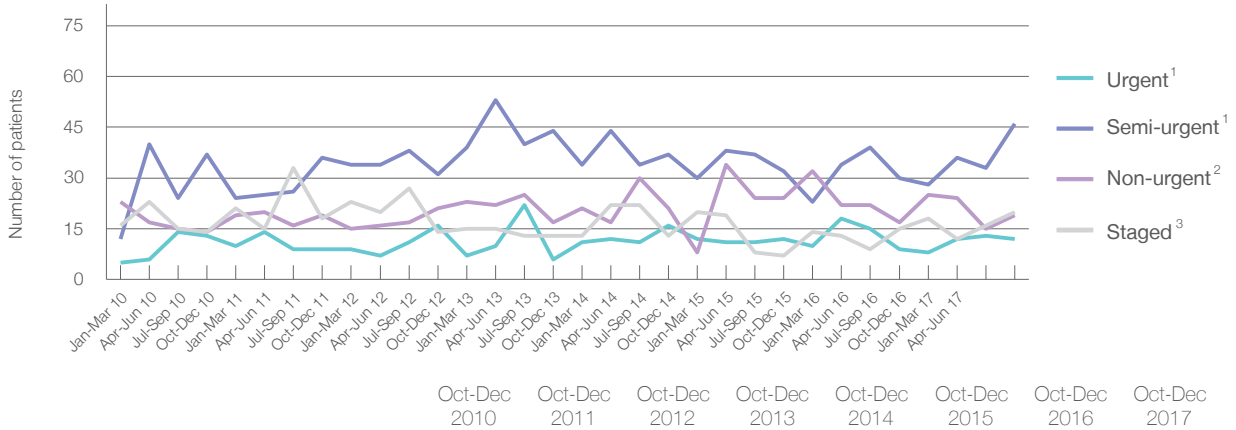
Young Health Service: Elective surgery performed

October to December 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 97 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, October 2012 to December 2017



Urgency Category	Oct-Dec 2010	Oct-Dec 2011	Oct-Dec 2012	Oct-Dec 2013	Oct-Dec 2014	Oct-Dec 2015	Oct-Dec 2016	Oct-Dec 2017
All categories	78	82	82	80	87	75	71	97
Urgent ¹	13	9	16	6	16	12	9	12
Semi-urgent ¹	37	36	31	44	37	32	30	46
Non-urgent ²	14	19	21	17	21	24	17	19
Staged ³	14	18	14	13	13	7	15	20

Young Health Service: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 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	100%	*	99.4%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	97.8%	100%	99.3%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	94.7%	100%	99.3%

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 12 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	2 days	9	* 11
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	26	* 25
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 46 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	54 days	39	60 42
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	77	* 77
3 Non-urgent: ² 19 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	152 days	148	93 168
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	309	* 329

Young Health Service: Time waited to receive elective surgery

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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	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	102
General surgery	60 days (49 patients)	68	33
Gynaecology	* (8 patients)	*	37
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	156
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	*	89
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	52 days (34 patients)	45	34
Vascular surgery	* (6 patients)	*	142

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)	*	46
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	157
Cholecystectomy	* (6 patients)	*	42
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	28
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	42
Hysteroscopy	* (6 patients)	*	31
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (5 patients)	*	55
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	19
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	34
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	140
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	144
Total hip replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Total knee replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)	*	141

Young Health Service: Elective surgery waiting list

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Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 58 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 57 patients

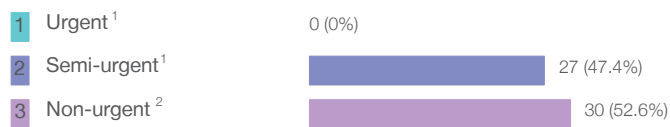
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 26 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	55	5%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	60	-5%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	44	-41%

Young Health Service: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 57 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent	0	
Semi-urgent	18	50%
Non-urgent	42	-29%

Young Health Service: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st December 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 57 patients

	As at 31 Dec 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	57	60	-5%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	34	37	-8%
Gynaecology	< 5	< 5	*
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	< 5	< 5	*
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	12	13	-8%
Vascular surgery	7	< 5	*

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Dec 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	-100%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Hysteroscopy	< 5	< 5	*
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	8	6	33%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	< 5	< 5	*
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	< 5	< 5	*

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as at 31st December 2017

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

As at 31 Dec 2017 Same time last year

	As at 31 Dec 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 23 January 2018.).