

Healthcare Quarterly

# Performance Profiles

## **Elective Surgery**

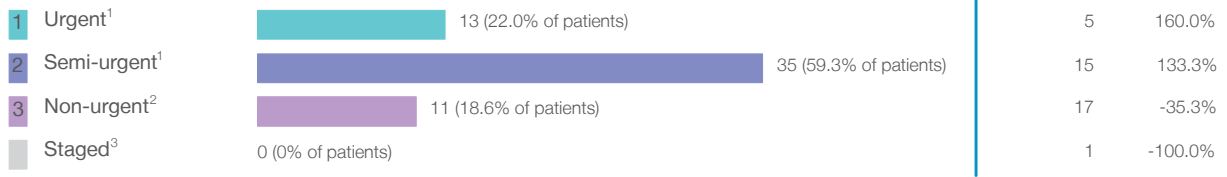
Murrumbidgee Local Health District

January to March 2017

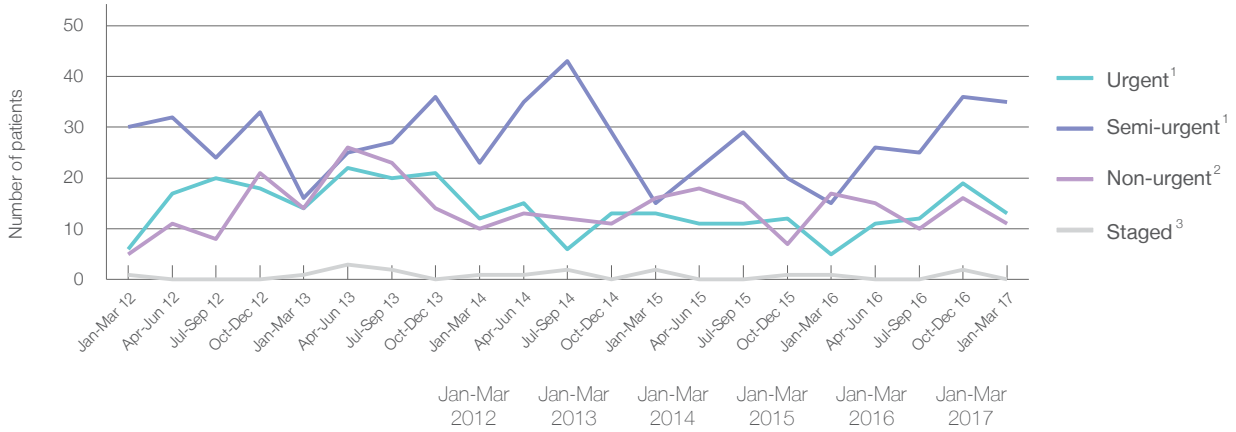
## Deniliquin Health Service: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 59 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2012 to March 2017





	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Jan-Mar 2017
All categories	42	45	46	46	38	59
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	6	14	12	13	5	13
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	30	16	23	15	15	35
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	5	14	10	16	17	11
Staged <sup>3</sup>	1	1	1	2	1	0



## Deniliquin Health Service: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 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	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	114
General surgery	 32 days (42 patients)	62	36
Gynaecology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	35
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	*	10
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	 119 days (13 patients)	151	191
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	52
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	158

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	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	45
Cataract extraction	* (9 patients)	*	196
Cholecystectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	39
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	37
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	73
Hysteroscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	30
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (< 5 patients)	*	70
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	71
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	227
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	167
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	n/a (0 patients)	*	163

## Deniliquin Health Service: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 36 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 37 patients

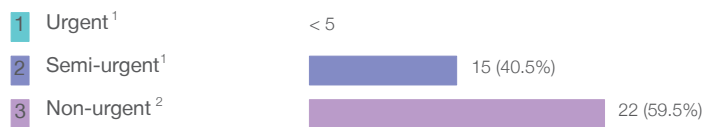
Patients not ready for surgery<sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter: 1 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	28	28.6%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	28	32.1%
Patients not ready for surgery <sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter	2	-50.0%

## Deniliquin Health Service: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 37 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	< 5	*
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	13	-8.3%
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	15	46.7%

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

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 37 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	37	28	32.1%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	21	17	23.5%
Gynaecology	0	0	n/a
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	16	11	45.5%
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 <sup>7</sup>

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	13	9	44.4%
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	< 5	< 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 March 2017

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

As at 31 Mar 2017      Same time last year

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

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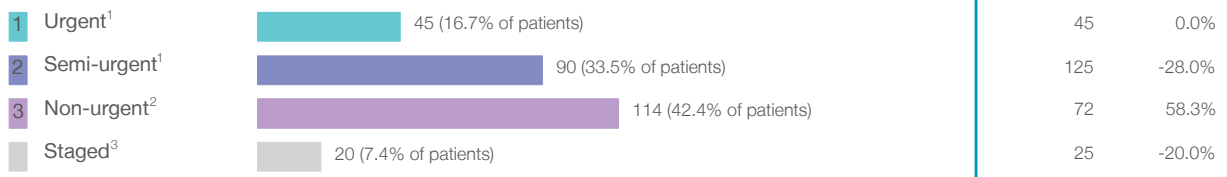
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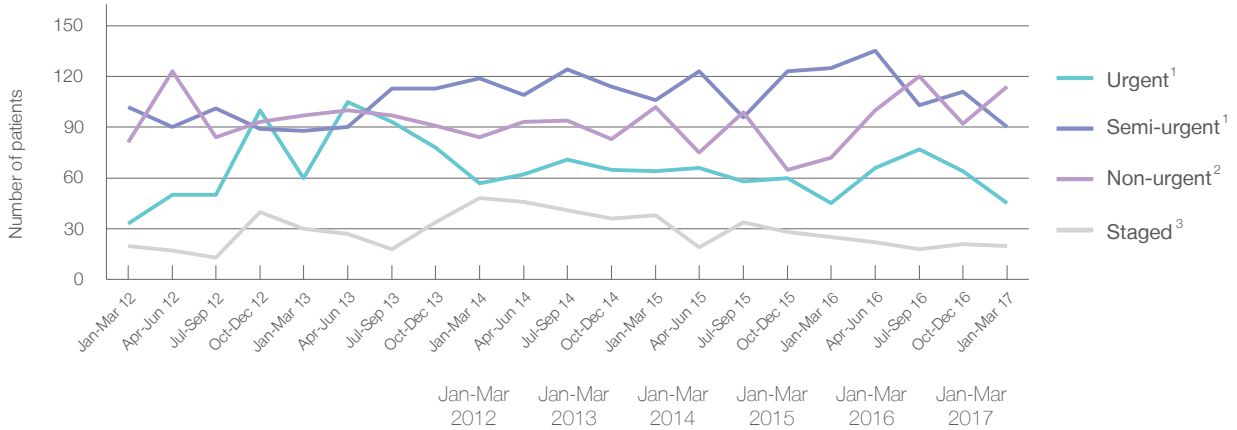
## Griffith Base Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 269 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2012 to March 2017



	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Jan-Mar 2017
All categories	236	275	308	310	267	269
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	33	60	57	64	45	45
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	102	88	119	106	125	90
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	81	97	84	102	72	114
Staged <sup>3</sup>	20	30	48	38	25	20



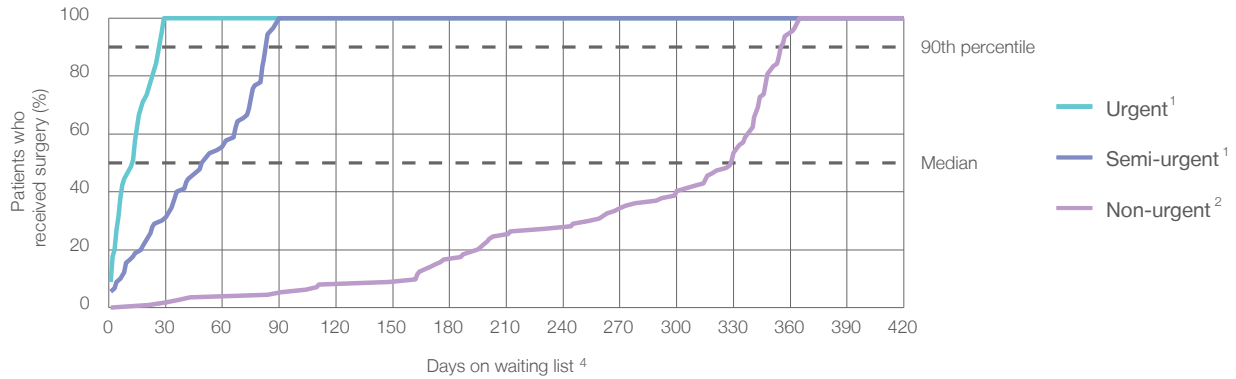
## Griffith Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended:		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent <sup>1</sup>	30 days	100%	100%	99.9%
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	90 days	100%	100%	98.7%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	365 days	100%	100%	98.5%

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)
<b>1 Urgent:</b> <sup>1</sup> 45 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	13 days	13	10	14
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	26	*	27
<b>2 Semi-urgent:</b> <sup>1</sup> 90 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	51 days	50	53	51
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	83	84	83
<b>3 Non-urgent:</b> <sup>2</sup> 114 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	329 days	254	287	272
90th percentile time to receive surgery	355 days	351	*	348

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

January to March 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	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	138
General surgery	46 days (59 patients)	68	48
Gynaecology	60 days (95 patients)	55	46
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	6
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	343 days (57 patients)	287	290
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	150
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	56
Urology	67 days (58 patients)	22	33
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	68

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	* (8 patients)	309	114
Cataract extraction	341 days (55 patients)	286	295
Cholecystectomy	74 days (11 patients)	38	52
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	* (7 patients)	*	31
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	63
Hysteroscopy	24 days (22 patients)	45	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	84 days (11 patients)	79	84
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	* (< 5 patients)	*	35
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	*	41
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	313
Tonsillectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	154
Total hip replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	231
Total knee replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	259
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	*	87

## Griffith Base Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 370 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 380 patients

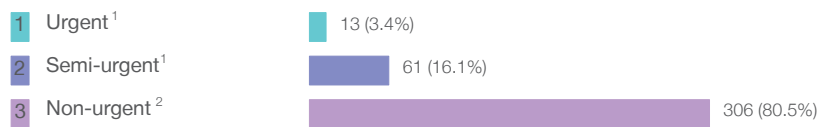
Patients not ready for surgery<sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter: 59 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	451	-18.0%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	464	-18.1%
Patients not ready for surgery <sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter	71	-16.9%

## Griffith Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 380 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	9	44.4%
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	78	-21.8%
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	377	-18.8%

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

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 380 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	380	464	-18.1%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	90	79	13.9%
Gynaecology	87	154	-43.5%
Medical	0	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	199	204	-2.5%
Orthopaedic surgery	0	0	n/a
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	< 5	25	*
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

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

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	11	33	-66.7%
Cataract extraction	181	195	-7.2%
Cholecystectomy	7	10	-30.0%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	< 5	< 5	*
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Hysteroscopy	16	10	60.0%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	13	15	-13.3%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	0	< 5	*
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 March 2017

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

As at 31 Mar 2017      Same time last year

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

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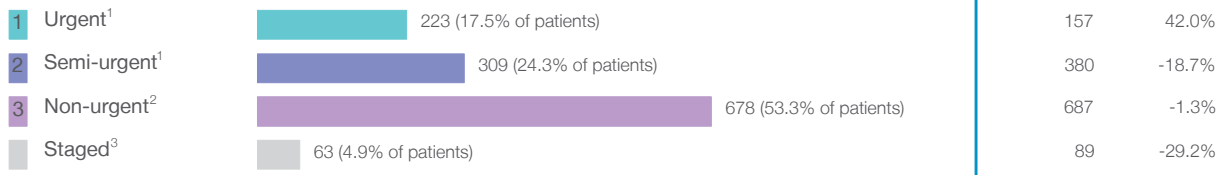
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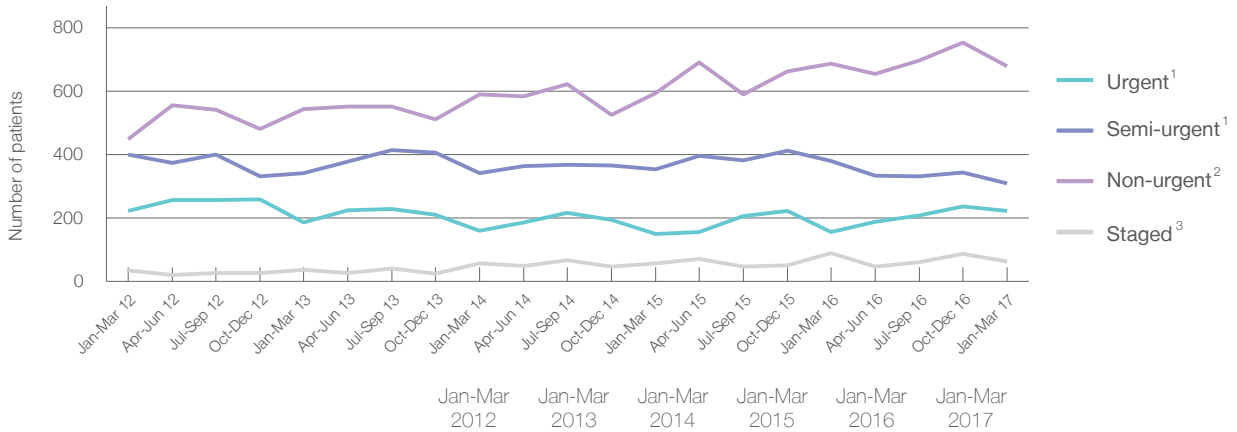
## Wagga Wagga Rural Referral Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 1,273 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2012 to March 2017



	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Jan-Mar 2017
All categories	1,107	1,110	1,151	1,155	1,313	1,273
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	222	187	161	151	157	223
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	401	342	342	353	380	309
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	449	543	590	594	687	678
Staged <sup>3</sup>	35	38	58	57	89	63

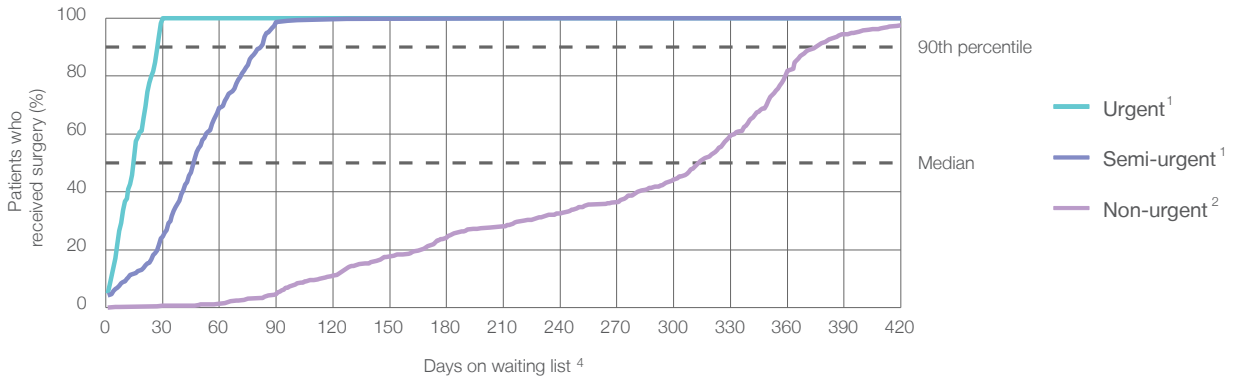
## Wagga Wagga Rural Referral Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

### Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

Urgency Category	Recommended Timeframe	Percentage	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent <sup>1</sup>	Recommended: 30 days	100%	99.4%	99.7%
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	Recommended: 90 days	98.7%	97.9%	97.1%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	Recommended: 365 days	85.4%	94.5%	95.9%

### 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:	223 patients	15 days	28 days	13	13	13
2 Semi-urgent:	309 patients	47 days	83 days	50	49	51
3 Non-urgent:	678 patients	314 days	375 days	266	287	273

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

January to March 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	342 days (177 patients)	324	247
General surgery	89 days (262 patients)	75	62
Gynaecology	33 days (96 patients)	71	49
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	*	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	194 days (185 patients)	280	287
Orthopaedic surgery	316 days (213 patients)	270	236
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	81
Urology	29 days (295 patients)	41	39
Vascular surgery	28 days (44 patients)	64	23

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	* (5 patients)	*	82
Cataract extraction	212 days (137 patients)	287	292
Cholecystectomy	102 days (26 patients)	94	70
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	27 days (126 patients)	30	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	78
Hysteroscopy	29 days (37 patients)	64	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	234 days (21 patients)	76	105
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	309
Myringotomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	64
Other - General	76 days (41 patients)	100	55
Prostatectomy	38 days (12 patients)	61	64
Septoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	324
Tonsillectomy	348 days (90 patients)	330	286
Total hip replacement	324 days (31 patients)	299	275
Total knee replacement	359 days (86 patients)	344	313
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (8 patients)	280	144



## Wagga Wagga Rural Referral Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 2,479 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 2,274 patients

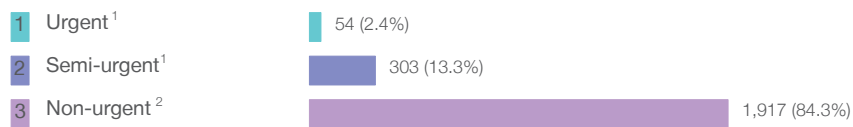
Patients not ready for surgery<sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter: 227 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	2,392	3.6%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	2,389	-4.8%
Patients not ready for surgery <sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter	232	-2.2%

## Wagga Wagga Rural Referral Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 2,274 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	48	12.5%
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	275	10.2%
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	2,066	-7.2%

## Wagga Wagga Rural Referral Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 2,274 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	2,274	2,389	-4.8%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	554	639	-13.3%
General surgery	355	379	-6.3%
Gynaecology	110	105	4.8%
Medical	< 5	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	490	448	9.4%
Orthopaedic surgery	587	639	-8.1%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	155	157	-1.3%
Vascular surgery	21	22	-4.5%

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

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	10	13	-23.1%
Cataract extraction	408	389	4.9%
Cholecystectomy	37	42	-11.9%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	37	41	-9.8%
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	28	26	7.7%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	17	29	-41.4%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	6	10	-40.0%
Myringotomy	6	34	-82.4%
Other - General	68	75	-9.3%
Prostatectomy	13	10	30.0%
Septoplasty	17	14	21.4%
Tonsillectomy	243	289	-15.9%
Total hip replacement	96	89	7.9%
Total knee replacement	205	252	-18.7%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	8	19	-57.9%

## Wagga Wagga Rural Referral Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

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

As at 31 Mar 2017      Same time last year

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	12	14

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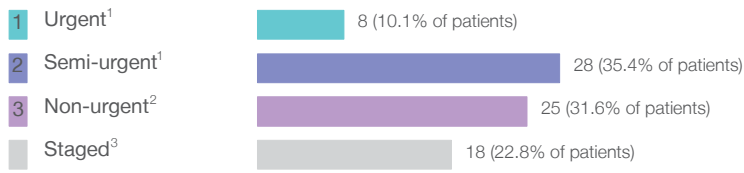
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## Young Health Service: Elective surgery performed

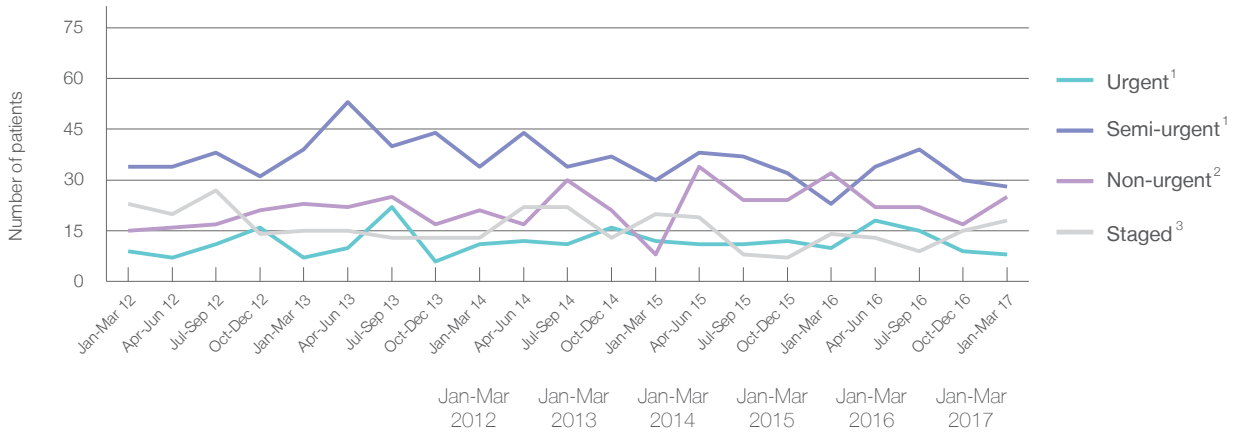
January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 79 patients



Urgency Category	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent <sup>1</sup>	10	-20.0%
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	23	21.7%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	32	-21.9%
Staged <sup>3</sup>	14	28.6%

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2012 to March 2017



Urgency Category	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Jan-Mar 2017
All categories	81	84	79	70	79	79
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	9	7	11	12	10	8
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	34	39	34	30	23	28
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	15	23	21	8	32	25
Staged <sup>3</sup>	23	15	13	20	14	18

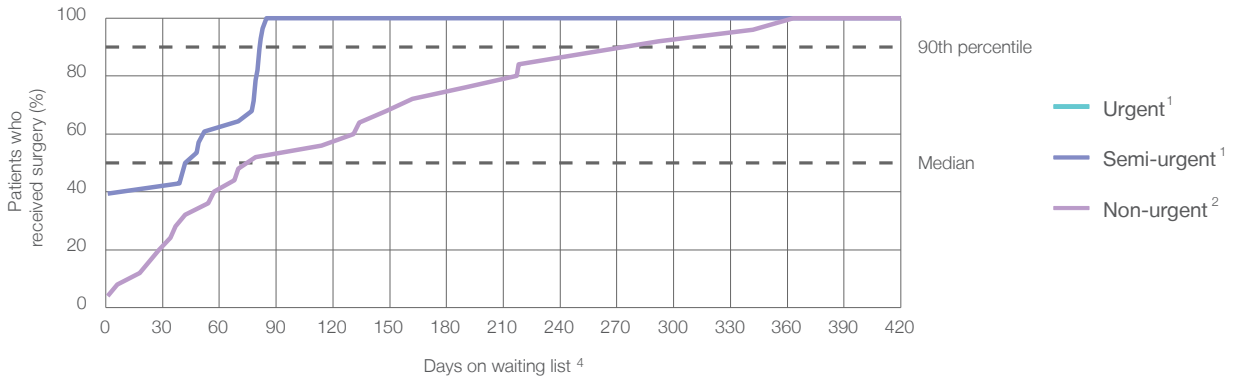
## Young Health Service: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

### Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

			Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1	Urgent <sup>1</sup>	Recommended: 30 days	100%	99.8%
2	Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	Recommended: 90 days	100%	99.4%
3	Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	Recommended: 365 days	100%	99.6%

### 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: <sup>1</sup> 8 patients			
	Median time to receive surgery	13	18	12
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	25	*	25
2	Semi-urgent: <sup>1</sup> 28 patients			
	Median time to receive surgery	41	21	38
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	77	*	78
3	Non-urgent: <sup>2</sup> 25 patients			
	Median time to receive surgery	179	146	202
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	329	*	334

## Young Health Service: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 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	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	114
General surgery	21 days (34 patients)	65	36
Gynaecology	31 days (10 patients)	*	35
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	10
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	191
Orthopaedic surgery	* (< 5 patients)	*	89
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	79 days (23 patients)	28	52
Vascular surgery	* (9 patients)	*	158

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	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	45
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	196
Cholecystectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	39
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	*	37
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	73
Hysteroscopy	* (< 5 patients)	*	30
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (< 5 patients)	*	70
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	* (< 5 patients)	*	27
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	71
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	227
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	167
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	* (8 patients)	*	163

### Young Health Service: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 60 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 70 patients

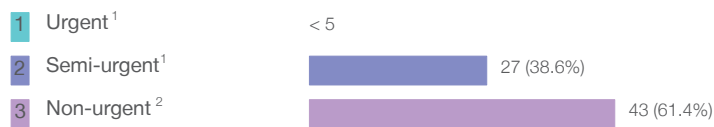
Patients not ready for surgery<sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter: 29 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	64	-6.3%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	59	18.6%
Patients not ready for surgery <sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter	25	16.0%

### Young Health Service: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 70 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	< 5	*
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	25	4.2%
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	34	26.5%

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

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 70 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	70	59	18.6%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	45	42	7.1%
Gynaecology	5	5	0.0%
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	10	5	100.0%
Vascular surgery	7	< 5	*

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

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	6	< 5	n/a
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	*
Haemorrhoidectomy	0	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	< 5	< 5	*
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	5	7	-28.6%
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	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	6	< 5	*



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

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

As at 31 Mar 2017      Same time last year

	As at 31 Mar 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 April 2017.).