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Performance Profiles

Elective Surgery

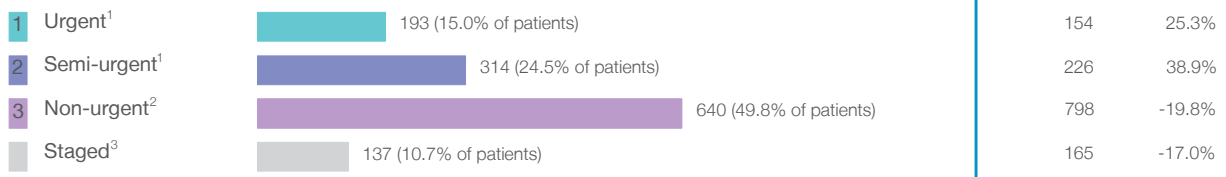
South Western Sydney Local Health District

January to March 2017

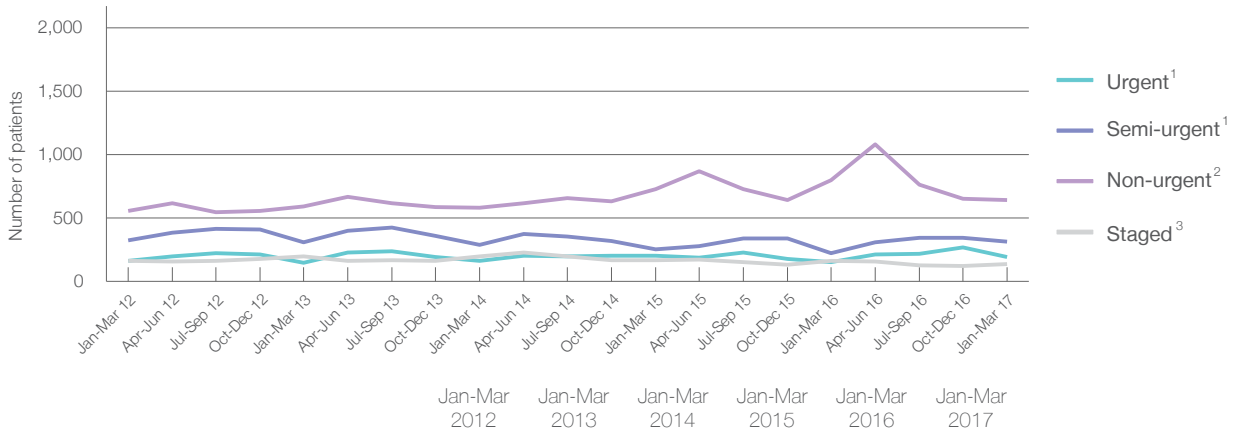
Bankstown / Lidcombe Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 1,284 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	1,210	1,251	1,231	1,354	1,343	1,284
Urgent ¹	166	149	162	205	154	193
Semi-urgent ¹	324	309	289	255	226	314
Non-urgent ²	558	594	582	726	798	640
Staged ³	162	199	198	168	165	137

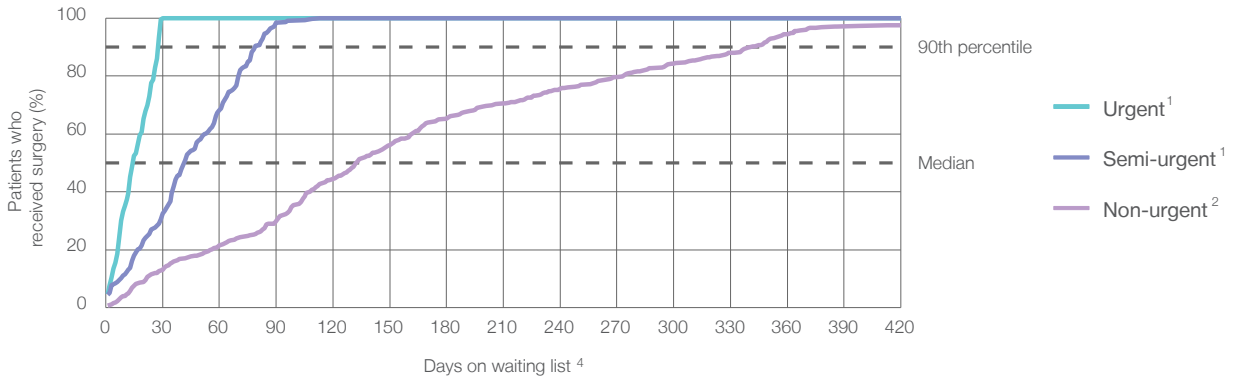
Bankstown / Lidcombe Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

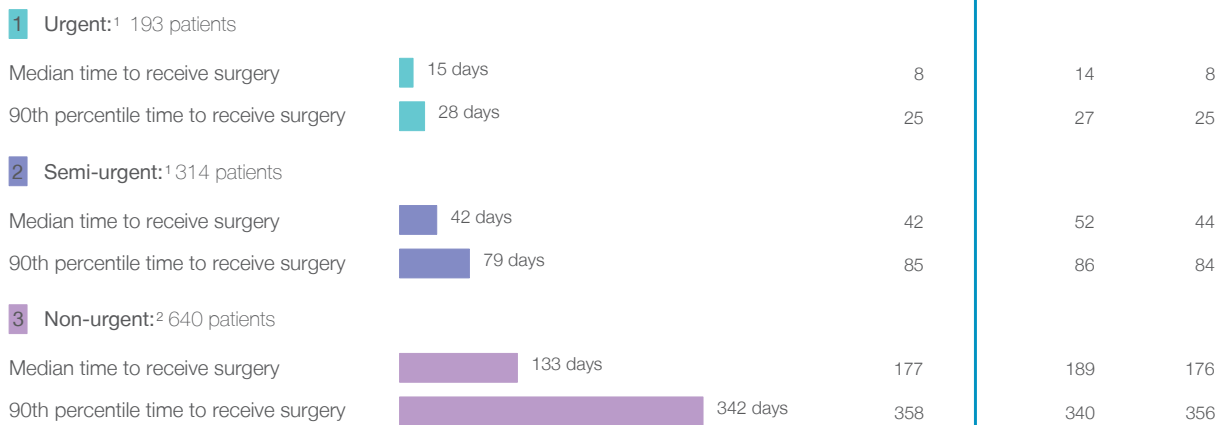
Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe



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



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



Bankstown / Lidcombe Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 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	28
Ear, nose and throat surgery	145 days (54 patients)	159	158
General surgery	34 days (379 patients)	50	30
Gynaecology	53 days (118 patients)	84	32
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	22
Neurosurgery	109 days (12 patients)	90	56
Ophthalmology	130 days (122 patients)	248	126
Orthopaedic surgery	150 days (217 patients)	296	86
Plastic surgery	33 days (82 patients)	30	23
Urology	40 days (230 patients)	51	34
Vascular surgery	89 days (70 patients)	65	21

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	76 days (10 patients)	*	49
Cataract extraction	130 days (106 patients)	251	156
Cholecystectomy	37 days (78 patients)	70	42
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	42
Cystoscopy	28 days (124 patients)	37	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	90 days (11 patients)	*	90
Hysteroscopy	29 days (49 patients)	63	34
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	40 days (40 patients)	87	69
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	269
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	*	88
Other - General	35 days (40 patients)	38	22
Prostatectomy	98 days (24 patients)	90	69
Septoplasty	* (9 patients)	*	337
Tonsillectomy	122 days (19 patients)	185	333
Total hip replacement	94 days (14 patients)	289	102
Total knee replacement	220 days (70 patients)	319	249
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	282 days (48 patients)	106	111

Bankstown / Lidcombe Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,783 patients	2,149	-17.0%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,790 patients	2,114	-15.3%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 517 patients	584	-11.5%

Bankstown / Lidcombe Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,790 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent ¹ 53 (3.0%)	47	12.8%
2 Semi-urgent ¹ 276 (15.4%)	218	26.6%
3 Non-urgent ² 1,461 (81.6%)	1,849	-21.0%

Bankstown / Lidcombe Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,790 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,790	2,114	-15.3%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	143	154	-7.1%
General surgery	287	343	-16.3%
Gynaecology	108	141	-23.4%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	18	5	260.0%
Ophthalmology	415	545	-23.9%
Orthopaedic surgery	476	634	-24.9%
Plastic surgery	73	81	-9.9%
Urology	169	110	53.6%
Vascular surgery	101	101	0.0%

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	12	8	50.0%
Cataract extraction	379	509	-25.5%
Cholecystectomy	54	60	-10.0%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	65	26	150.0%
Haemorrhoidectomy	19	29	-34.5%
Hysteroscopy	26	57	-54.4%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	51	69	-26.1%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	7	5	40.0%
Myringotomy	0	< 5	*
Other - General	24	26	-7.7%
Prostatectomy	57	39	46.2%
Septoplasty	11	16	-31.3%
Tonsillectomy	63	77	-18.2%
Total hip replacement	72	80	-10.0%
Total knee replacement	211	235	-10.2%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	92	94	-2.1%

Bankstown / Lidcombe 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	23	23

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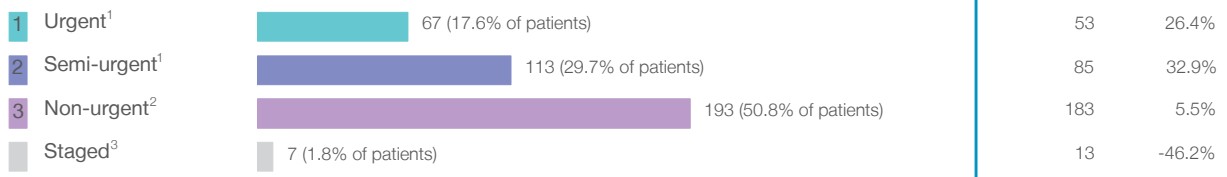
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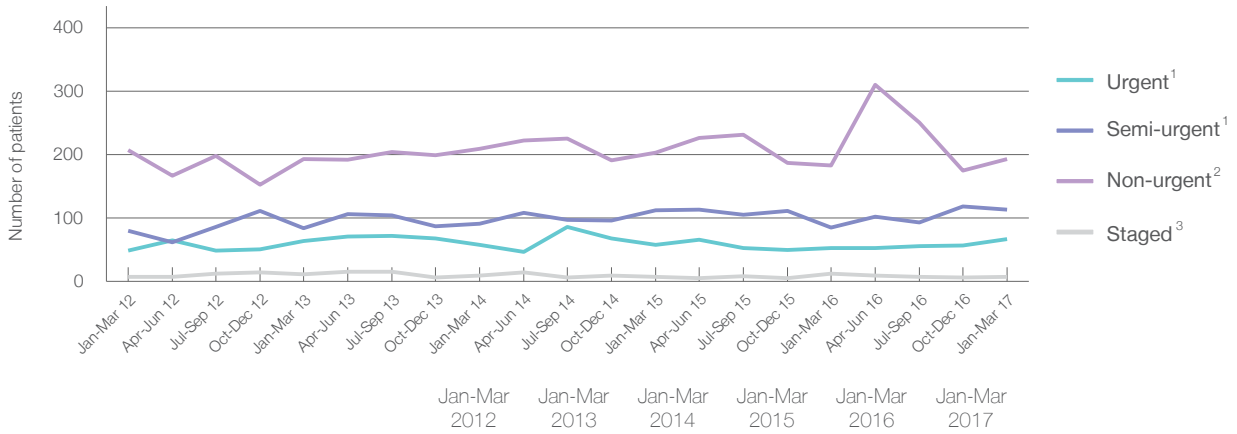
Bowral and District Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 380 patients



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	343	353	368	381	334	380
Urgent ¹	49	64	58	58	53	67
Semi-urgent ¹	80	84	91	112	85	113
Non-urgent ²	207	193	209	203	183	193
Staged ³	7	12	10	8	13	7

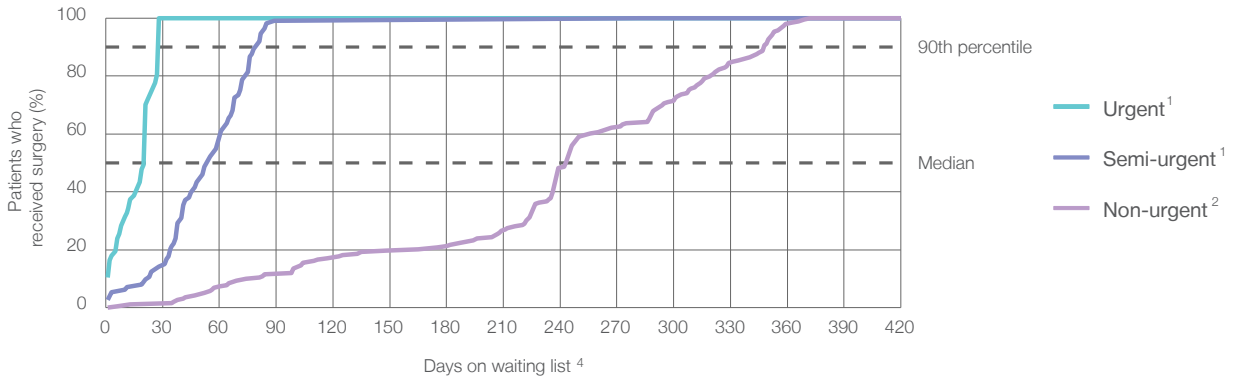
Bowral and District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 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%	100%	99.9%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	99.1%	100%	98.7%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	98.4%	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)
1 Urgent: ¹ 67 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	21 days	13	21
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	26	*
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 113 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	55 days	50	42
90th percentile time to receive surgery	79 days	83	*
3 Non-urgent: ² 193 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	243 days	254	323
90th percentile time to receive surgery	348 days	351	349

Bowral and District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 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	138
General surgery	32 days (98 patients)	34	48
Gynaecology	66 days (83 patients)	34	46
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	6
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	236 days (106 patients)	327	290
Orthopaedic surgery	301 days (93 patients)	306	150
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	56
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	33
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	68

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	* (< 5 patients)	*	114
Cataract extraction	236 days (103 patients)	330	295
Cholecystectomy	51 days (14 patients)	56	52
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	* (5 patients)	*	31
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	63
Hysteroscopy	46 days (41 patients)	32	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	85 days (12 patients)	49	84
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)	*	35
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	41
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	313
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	154
Total hip replacement	320 days (23 patients)	351	231
Total knee replacement	325 days (24 patients)	327	259
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	87

Bowral and District Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 740 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 794 patients

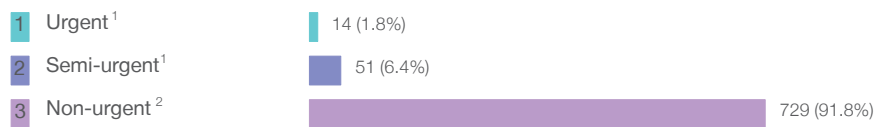
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 67 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	814	-9.1%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	781	1.7%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	69	-2.9%

Bowral and District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 794 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	9	55.6%
Semi-urgent ¹	48	6.3%
Non-urgent ²	724	0.7%

Bowral and District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 794 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	794	781	1.7%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	83	71	16.9%
Gynaecology	56	69	-18.8%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	255	242	5.4%
Orthopaedic surgery	400	399	0.3%
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 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	9	11	-18.2%
Cataract extraction	253	241	5.0%
Cholecystectomy	10	11	-9.1%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	0	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	13	18	-27.8%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	9	15	-40.0%
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	91	80	13.8%
Total knee replacement	150	146	2.7%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Bowral and District 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
All specialties	0	0

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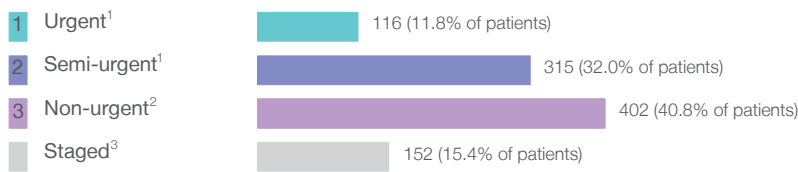
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Campbelltown Hospital: Elective surgery performed

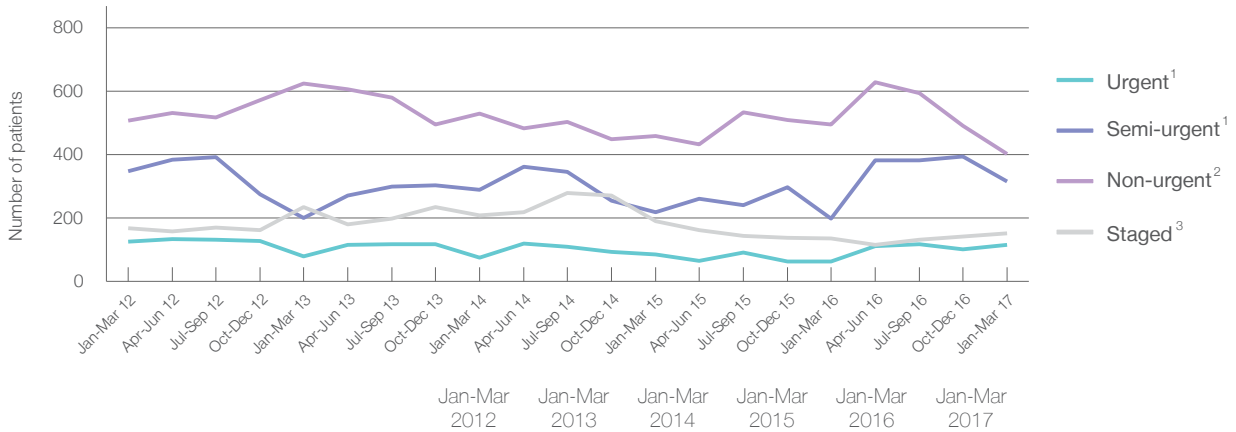
January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 985 patients



Urgency Category	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent ¹	63	84.1%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	199	58.3%
3 Non-urgent ²	495	-18.8%
Staged ³	136	11.8%

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	1,150	1,140	1,105	952	893	985
Urgent ¹	126	80	76	85	63	116
Semi-urgent ¹	347	201	290	219	199	315
Non-urgent ²	508	624	530	458	495	402
Staged ³	169	235	209	190	136	152

Campbelltown Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 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%	100%	99.7%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	99.7%	100%	97.1%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	97.0%	90.3%	95.9%

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: ¹ 116 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	20 days	13	15
90th percentile time to receive surgery	28 days	27	*
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 315 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	54 days	50	62
90th percentile time to receive surgery	81 days	84	85
3 Non-urgent: ² 402 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	273 days	266	267
90th percentile time to receive surgery	358 days	358	365

Campbelltown Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

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

Specialty	Median ⁵ waiting time (days)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	317 days (70 patients)	296	247
General surgery	73 days (270 patients)	86	62
Gynaecology	78 days (169 patients)	97	49
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	297 days (59 patients)	354	287
Orthopaedic surgery	257 days (79 patients)	269	236
Plastic surgery	21 days (31 patients)	17	81
Urology	47 days (306 patients)	82	39
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	23

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

Procedure	Median ⁵ waiting time (days)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	150 days (10 patients)	142	82
Cataract extraction	297 days (54 patients)	357	292
Cholecystectomy	70 days (68 patients)	87	70
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	28 days (147 patients)	65	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (9 patients)	102	78
Hysteroscopy	65 days (59 patients)	74	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	85 days (36 patients)	267	105
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	309
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	64
Other - General	36 days (14 patients)	44	55
Prostatectomy	76 days (21 patients)	103	64
Septoplasty	354 days (11 patients)	351	324
Tonsillectomy	288 days (41 patients)	296	286
Total hip replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	275
Total knee replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	313
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	144

Campbelltown Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,516 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,695 patients

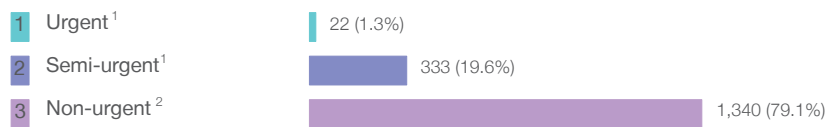
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 389 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	1,611	-5.9%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	1,741	-2.6%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	405	-4.0%

Campbelltown Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,695 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	26	-15.4%
Semi-urgent ¹	263	26.6%
Non-urgent ²	1,452	-7.7%

Campbelltown Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,695 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,695	1,741	-2.6%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	411	304	35.2%
General surgery	379	485	-21.9%
Gynaecology	247	278	-11.2%
Medical	< 5	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	146	233	-37.3%
Orthopaedic surgery	251	285	-11.9%
Plastic surgery	11	20	-45.0%
Urology	248	134	85.1%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	36	36	0.0%
Cataract extraction	127	210	-39.5%
Cholecystectomy	75	123	-39.0%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	56	10	460.0%
Haemorrhoidectomy	9	23	-60.9%
Hysteroscopy	56	61	-8.2%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	70	75	-6.7%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	< 5	< 5	*
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	12	22	-45.5%
Prostatectomy	33	36	-8.3%
Septoplasty	51	38	34.2%
Tonsillectomy	255	167	52.7%
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Campbelltown 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	< 5	34

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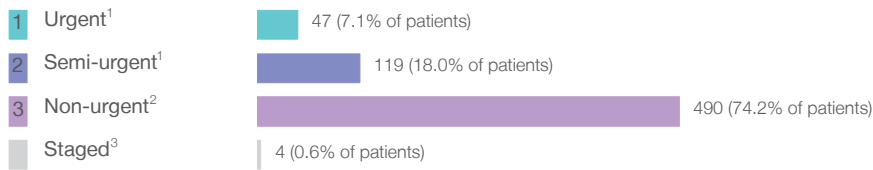
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Fairfield Hospital: Elective surgery performed

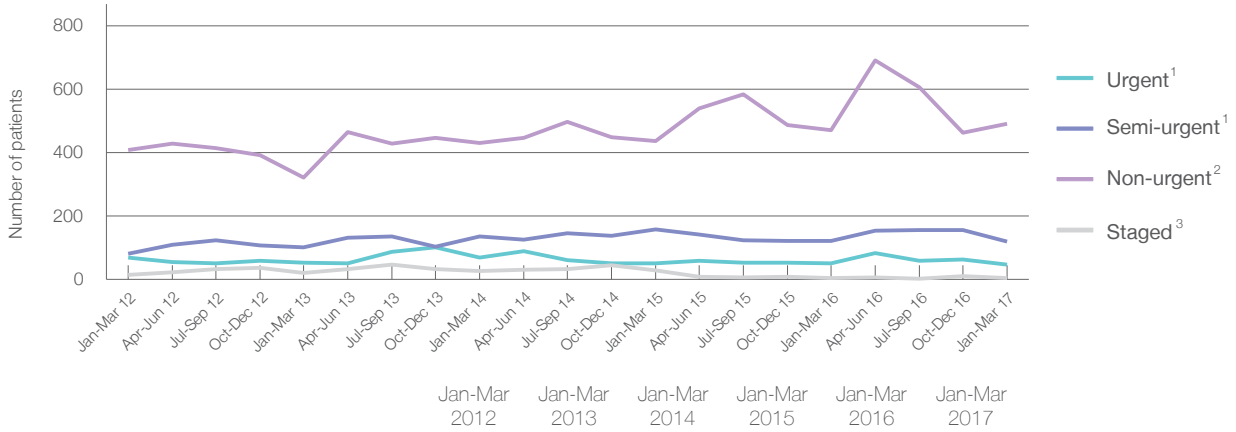
January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 660 patients



Urgency Category	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent ¹	51	-7.8%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	121	-1.7%
3 Non-urgent ²	470	4.3%
Staged ³	5	-20.0%

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	576	500	663	676	647	660
Urgent ¹	70	54	70	52	51	47
Semi-urgent ¹	82	102	135	158	121	119
Non-urgent ²	408	322	431	437	470	490
Staged ³	16	22	27	29	5	4

Fairfield 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 ¹	30 days	100%	100%	99.7%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	100%	99.2%	97.1%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	100%	99.1%	95.9%

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

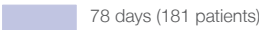





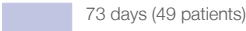
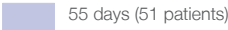
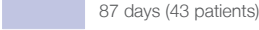




Waiting time (days) for people who received surgery by urgency category

		Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent: ¹ 47 patients	Median time to receive surgery	13	13	13
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	27	*	27
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 119 patients	Median time to receive surgery	50	56	51
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	84	82	85
3 Non-urgent: ² 490 patients	Median time to receive surgery	266	237	273
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	358	350	358

Fairfield Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 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	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	247
General surgery	 78 days (181 patients)	81	62
Gynaecology	 72 days (134 patients)	75	49
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	287
Orthopaedic surgery	 242 days (250 patients)	254	236
Plastic surgery	 182 days (86 patients)	211	81
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	39
Vascular surgery	* (9 patients)	138	23

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)	*	82
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	292
Cholecystectomy	 73 days (49 patients)	96	70
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (6 patients)	*	78
Hysteroscopy	 55 days (51 patients)	50	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	 87 days (43 patients)	183	105
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	309
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	64
Other - General	 14 days (11 patients)	*	55
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	64
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	324
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	286
Total hip replacement	 263 days (64 patients)	314	275
Total knee replacement	 263 days (68 patients)	297	313
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	 174 days (10 patients)	147	144

Fairfield Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,656 patients	1,715	-3.4%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,819 patients	1,776	2.4%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 236 patients	244	-3.3%

Fairfield Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,819 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent ¹ 17 (0.9%)	16	6.3%
2 Semi-urgent ¹ 129 (7.1%)	106	21.7%
3 Non-urgent ² 1,673 (92.0%)	1,654	1.1%

Fairfield Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,819 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,819	1,776	2.4%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	383	352	8.8%
Gynaecology	259	253	2.4%
Medical	< 5	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	935	948	-1.4%
Plastic surgery	186	209	-11.0%
Urology	0	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	55	14	292.9%

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	34	30	13.3%
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	81	67	20.9%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	17	11	54.5%
Hysteroscopy	65	65	0.0%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	112	111	0.9%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	15	13	15.4%
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	168	149	12.8%
Total knee replacement	376	382	-1.6%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	57	21	171.4%

Fairfield 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

All specialties	0	< 5
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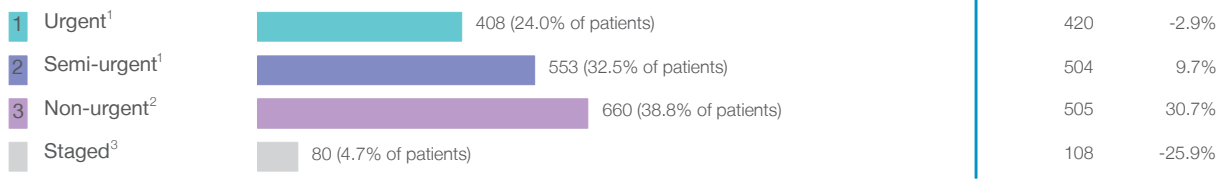
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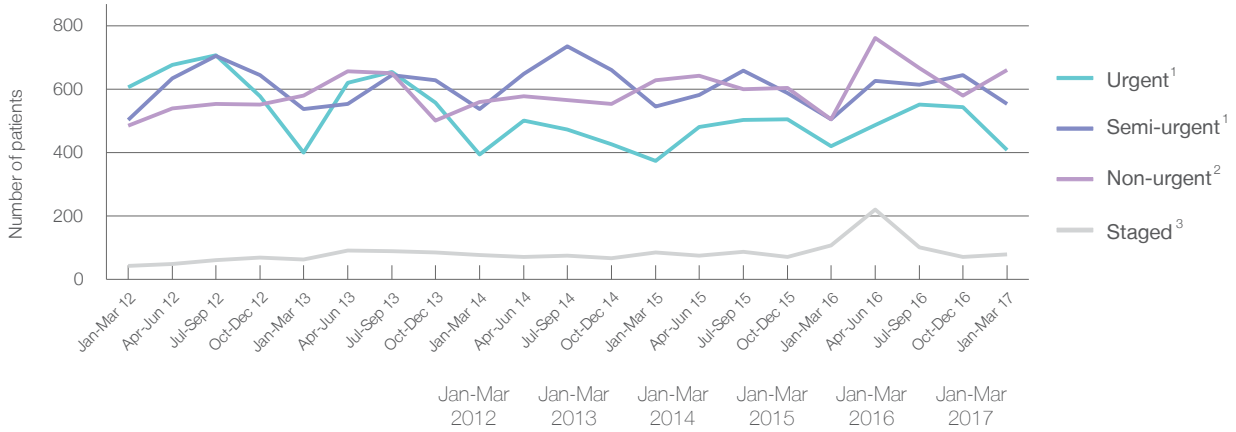
Liverpool Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 1,701 patients



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	1,636	1,580	1,570	1,633	1,537	1,701
Urgent ¹	606	400	395	373	420	408
Semi-urgent ¹	503	537	538	546	504	553
Non-urgent ²	484	580	560	628	505	660
Staged ³	43	63	77	86	108	80

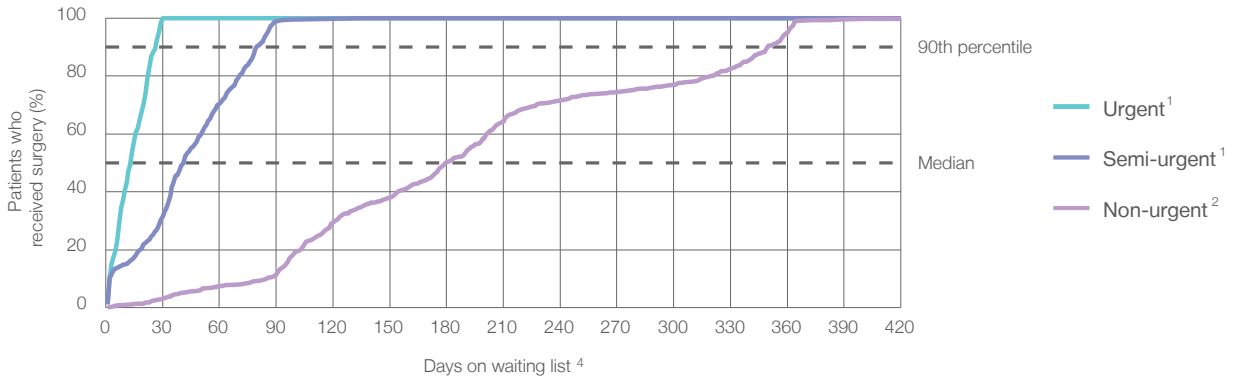
Liverpool Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

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 ¹	Recommended: 30 days	100%	100%	99.5%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	Recommended: 90 days	98.9%	97.8%	94.5%
3 Non-urgent ²	Recommended: 365 days	98.8%	98.6%	95.0%

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 ¹	408 patients	14 days	27 days	8	13	8
2 Semi-urgent ¹	553 patients	42 days	80 days	42	40	44
3 Non-urgent ²	660 patients	180 days	350 days	177	162	176

Liverpool Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Specialty	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	35 days (77 patients)	47	28
Ear, nose and throat surgery	216 days (109 patients)	117	158
General surgery	57 days (395 patients)	32	30
Gynaecology	39 days (255 patients)	34	32
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	*	22
Neurosurgery	92 days (108 patients)	85	56
Ophthalmology	190 days (208 patients)	160	126
Orthopaedic surgery	11 days (70 patients)	11	86
Plastic surgery	20 days (83 patients)	19	23
Urology	51 days (199 patients)	36	34
Vascular surgery	28 days (194 patients)	18	21

Procedure	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	36 days (38 patients)	29	49
Cataract extraction	190 days (181 patients)	160	156
Cholecystectomy	58 days (43 patients)	85	42
Coronary artery bypass graft	71 days (22 patients)	72	42
Cystoscopy	36 days (60 patients)	28	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	111 days (13 patients)	*	90
Hysteroscopy	27 days (105 patients)	22	34
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	108 days (45 patients)	103	69
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	269
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	88
Other - General	29 days (44 patients)	20	22
Prostatectomy	83 days (20 patients)	22	69
Septoplasty	342 days (10 patients)	*	337
Tonsillectomy	336 days (29 patients)	258	333
Total hip replacement	* (5 patients)	*	102
Total knee replacement	n/a (0 patients)	*	249
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	111

Liverpool Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 2,183 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 2,419 patients

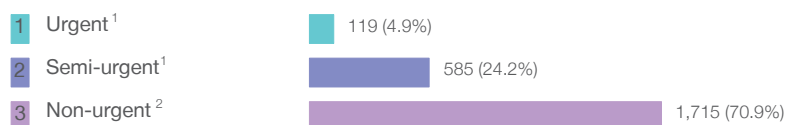
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 587 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	1,770	23.3%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	1,920	26.0%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	672	-12.6%

Liverpool Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 2,419 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	80	48.8%
Semi-urgent ¹	445	31.5%
Non-urgent ²	1,395	22.9%

Liverpool Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 2,419 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	2,419	1,920	26.0%
Cardiothoracic surgery	53	35	51.4%
Ear, nose and throat surgery	457	372	22.8%
General surgery	694	550	26.2%
Gynaecology	261	231	13.0%
Medical	0	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	177	210	-15.7%
Ophthalmology	394	298	32.2%
Orthopaedic surgery	40	24	66.7%
Plastic surgery	69	56	23.2%
Urology	205	86	138.4%
Vascular surgery	69	56	23.2%

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	38	41	-7.3%
Cataract extraction	319	247	29.1%
Cholecystectomy	119	91	30.8%
Coronary artery bypass graft	21	17	23.5%
Cystoscopy	30	5	500.0%
Haemorrhoidectomy	16	14	14.3%
Hysteroscopy	72	56	28.6%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	82	79	3.8%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	34	26	30.8%
Myringotomy	8	13	-38.5%
Other - General	40	40	0.0%
Prostatectomy	39	12	225.0%
Septoplasty	42	41	2.4%
Tonsillectomy	193	139	38.8%
Total hip replacement	< 5	< 5	*
Total knee replacement	< 5	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Liverpool 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	16	< 5

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