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Performance Profiles

Elective Surgery

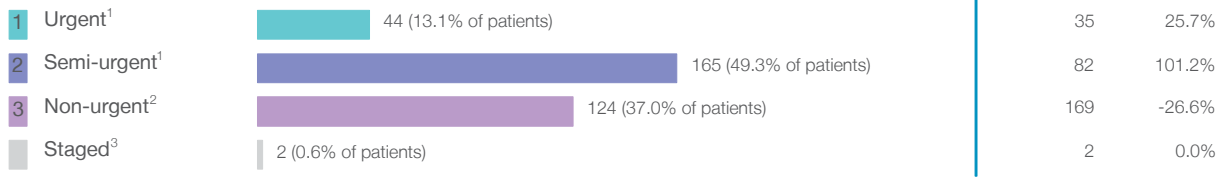
Hunter New England Local Health District

July to September 2017

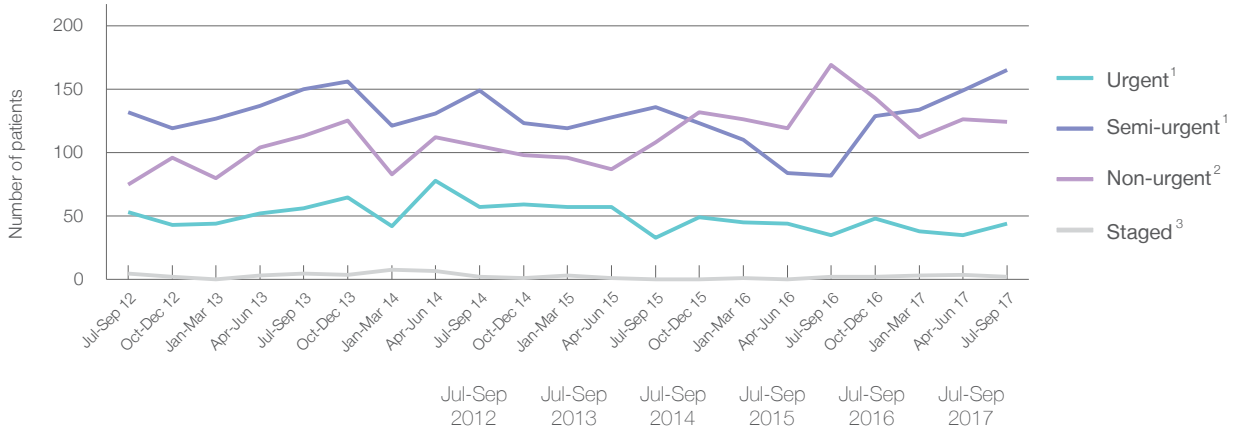
Armidale and New England Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 335 patients



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



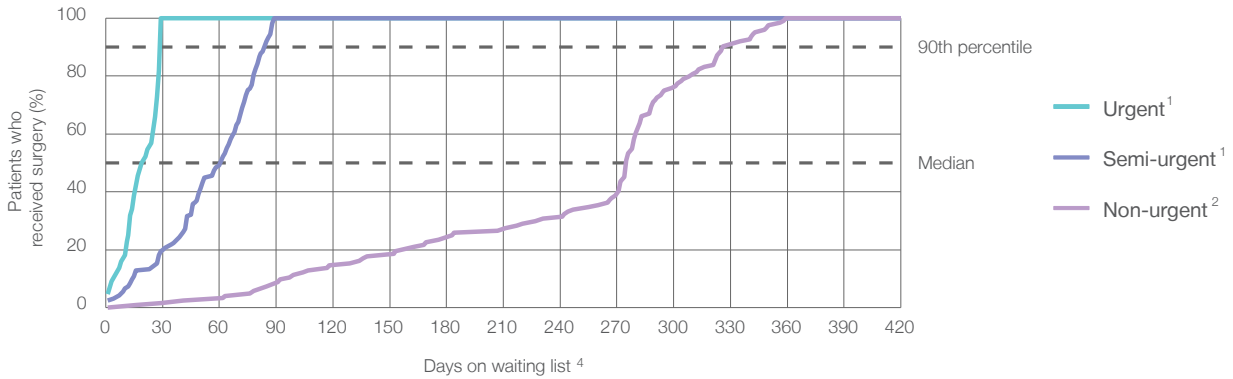
Urgency Category	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016	Jul-Sep 2017
All categories	265	324	313	277	288	335
Urgent ¹	53	56	57	33	35	44
Semi-urgent ¹	132	150	149	136	82	165
Non-urgent ²	75	113	105	108	169	124
Staged ³	5	5	2	0	2	2

Armidale and New England Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery July to September 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended: (days)	100%	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	100%	100%	99.9%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	100%	100%	99.3%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	100%	100%	96.7%

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



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

	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent: ¹ 44 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	14	15	15
90th percentile time to receive surgery	27	*	27
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 165 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	49	47	47
90th percentile time to receive surgery	83	*	80
3 Non-urgent: ² 124 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	269	231	247
90th percentile time to receive surgery	351	352	349

Armidale and New England Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	119
General surgery	50 days (72 patients)	31	47
Gynaecology	43 days (60 patients)	69	46
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	*	20
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	261 days (92 patients)	185	287
Orthopaedic surgery	95 days (82 patients)	101	159
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	57
Urology	50 days (27 patients)	*	34
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	88

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (6 patients)	*	74
Cataract extraction	261 days (92 patients)	185	288
Cholecystectomy	65 days (16 patients)	*	52
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	46 days (15 patients)	*	34
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	61
Hysteroscopy	29 days (23 patients)	31	38
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (5 patients)	*	73
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	27
Prostatectomy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	41
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	327
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	209
Total hip replacement	92 days (13 patients)	155	220
Total knee replacement	234 days (26 patients)	286	264
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	*	110

Armidale and New England Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 464 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 456 patients

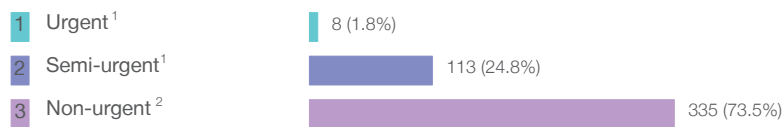
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 51 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	448	3.6%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	444	2.7%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	36	41.7%

Armidale and New England Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 456 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	18	-55.6%
Semi-urgent ¹	81	39.5%
Non-urgent ²	345	-2.9%

Armidale and New England Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 456 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	456	444	2.7%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	65	54	20.4%
Gynaecology	57	56	1.8%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	182	186	-2.2%
Orthopaedic surgery	134	142	-5.6%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	18	6	200.0%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	5	10	-50.0%
Cataract extraction	179	183	-2.2%
Cholecystectomy	15	6	150.0%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	8	5	60.0%
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	16	8	100.0%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	21	15	40.0%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	0	< 5	n/a
Prostatectomy	5	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	24	27	-11.1%
Total knee replacement	48	44	9.1%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Armidale and New England Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2017

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

As at 30 Sep 2017 Same time last year

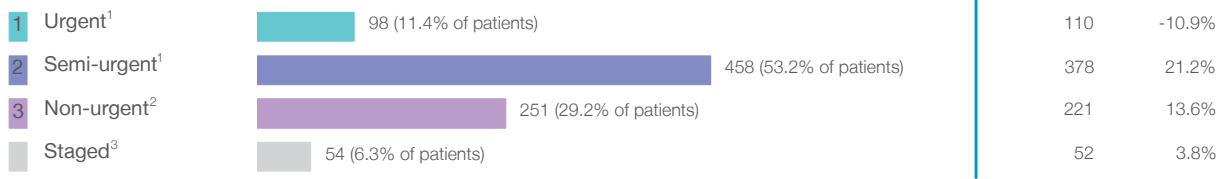
	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	0	0

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 8. Includes staged procedures, non-urgent cystoscopy, and patients currently not available for personal reasons.
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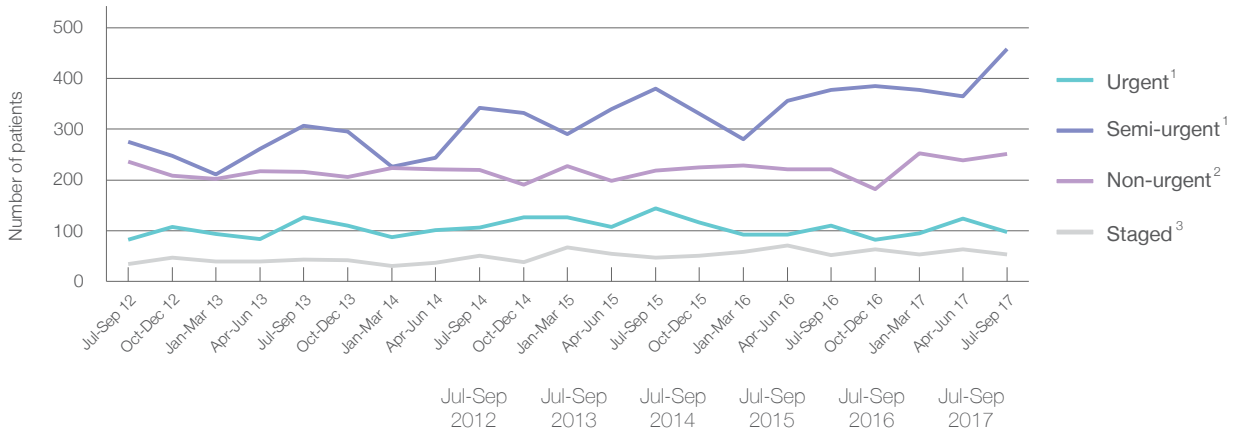
Belmont Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 861 patients



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



Urgency Category	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016	Jul-Sep 2017
All categories	629	694	719	790	761	861
Urgent ¹	83	127	106	144	110	98
Semi-urgent ¹	275	307	342	380	378	458
Non-urgent ²	236	216	220	219	221	251
Staged ³	35	44	51	47	52	54

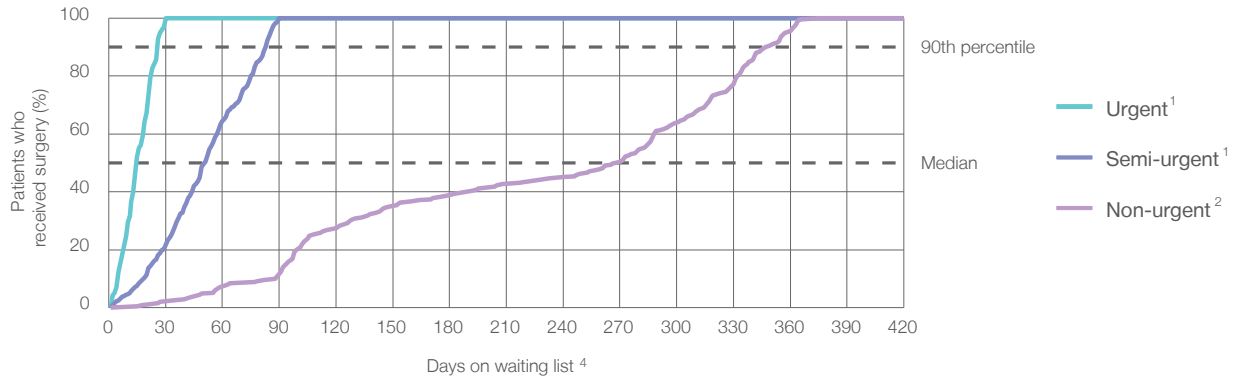
Belmont Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended:		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent¹	30 days	100%	100%	99.9%
2 Semi-urgent¹	90 days	100%	100%	99.3%
3 Non-urgent²	365 days	99.6%	100%	96.7%

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



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

		Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent: ¹ 98 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	15 days	14	13	15
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	27	26	27
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 458 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	51 days	49	45	47
90th percentile time to receive surgery	84 days	83	75	80
3 Non-urgent: ² 251 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	269 days	269	190	247
90th percentile time to receive surgery	347 days	351	328	349

Belmont Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	49 days (44 patients)	29	119
General surgery	73 days (151 patients)	56	47
Gynaecology	49 days (171 patients)	46	46
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	20
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	287
Orthopaedic surgery	145 days (178 patients)	108	159
Plastic surgery	69 days (129 patients)	55	57
Urology	37 days (188 patients)	34	34
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	88

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	74
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	288
Cholecystectomy	71 days (36 patients)	56	52
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	36 days (153 patients)	34	34
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	61
Hysteroscopy	48 days (77 patients)	35	38
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	76 days (32 patients)	250	73
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	*	*
Myringotomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	*
Other - General	58 days (13 patients)	43	27
Prostatectomy	52 days (10 patients)	42	41
Septoplasty	* (6 patients)	*	327
Tonsillectomy	40 days (15 patients)	51	209
Total hip replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	220
Total knee replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	264
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	110

Belmont Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 881 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,043 patients

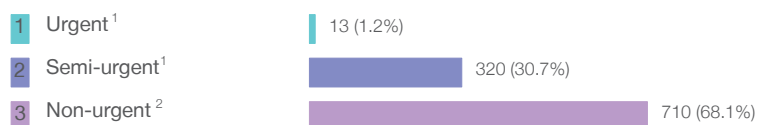
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 267 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	791	11.4%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	896	16.4%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	212	25.9%

Belmont Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,043 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	18	-27.8%
Semi-urgent ¹	292	9.6%
Non-urgent ²	586	21.2%

Belmont Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,043 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,043	896	16.4%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	90	12	650.0%
General surgery	170	162	4.9%
Gynaecology	210	153	37.3%
Medical	< 5	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	394	408	-3.4%
Plastic surgery	97	67	44.8%
Urology	80	94	-14.9%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	6	6	0.0%
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	31	29	6.9%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	57	61	-6.6%
Haemorrhoidectomy	5	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	60	28	114.3%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	47	50	-6.0%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	< 5	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Other - General	11	13	-15.4%
Prostatectomy	5	< 5	*
Septoplasty	19	< 5	*
Tonsillectomy	22	5	340.0%
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Belmont Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2017

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

As at 30 Sep 2017 Same time last year

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

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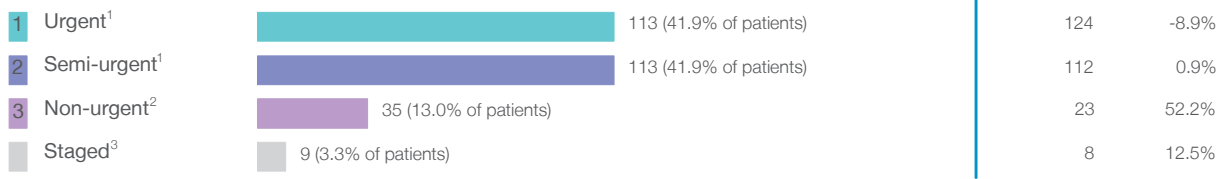
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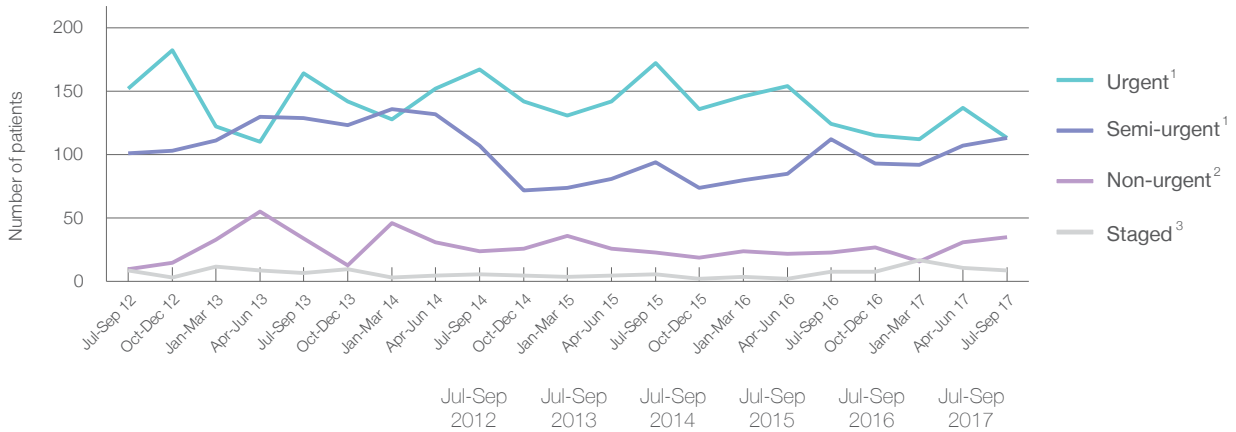
Calvary Mater Newcastle: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 270 patients



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



Urgency Category	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016	Jul-Sep 2017
All categories	272	334	304	295	267	270
Urgent ¹	152	164	167	172	124	113
Semi-urgent ¹	101	129	107	94	112	113
Non-urgent ²	10	34	24	23	23	35
Staged ³	9	7	6	6	8	9

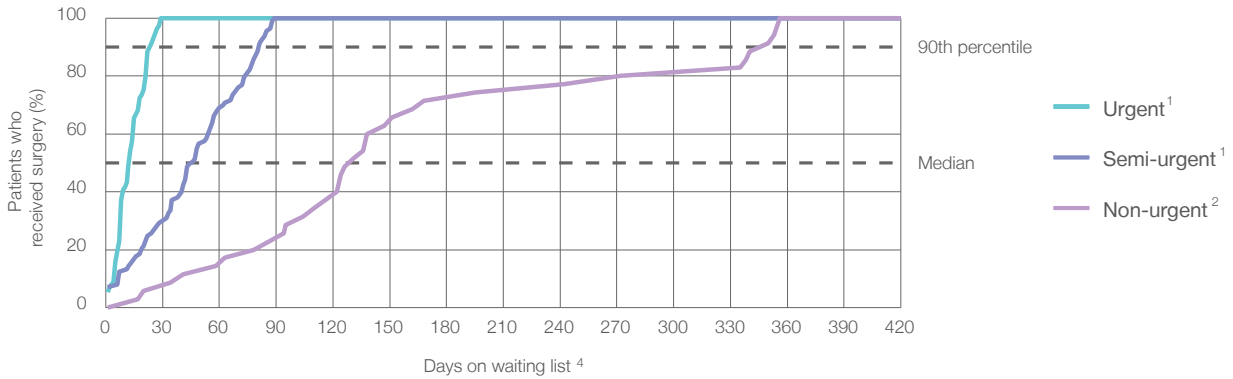
Calvary Mater Newcastle: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended: (days)	100%	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	100%	100%	100%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	100%	100%	100%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	100%	100%	99.7%

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



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

	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent: ¹ 113 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	8	14	10
90th percentile time to receive surgery	24	26	25
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 113 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	42	49	48
90th percentile time to receive surgery	82	82	81
3 Non-urgent: ² 35 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	267	132	276
90th percentile time to receive surgery	357	*	352

Calvary Mater Newcastle: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	* (7 patients)	*	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	327
General surgery	25 days (232 patients)	26	27
Gynaecology	* (6 patients)	*	25
Medical	* (5 patients)	*	*
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	133
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	33
Plastic surgery	20 days (20 patients)	*	20
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a

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)	*	20
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	257
Cholecystectomy	70 days (26 patients)	77	70
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	*	n/a
Hysteroscopy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	29
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	82 days (20 patients)	86	82
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Other - General	21 days (19 patients)	22	21
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	324
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
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)	n/a	n/a

Calvary Mater Newcastle: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 140 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 131 patients

Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 38 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	140	0.0%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	125	4.8%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	41	-7.3%

Calvary Mater Newcastle: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 131 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	21	0.0%
Semi-urgent ¹	58	13.8%
Non-urgent ²	46	-4.3%

Calvary Mater Newcastle: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 131 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	131	125	4.8%
Cardiothoracic surgery	5	< 5	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	115	115	0.0%
Gynaecology	< 5	0	n/a
Medical	< 5	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	0	0	n/a
Plastic surgery	9	8	12.5%
Urology	0	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	22	27	-18.5%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	20	16	25.0%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	8	10	-20.0%
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

Calvary Mater Newcastle: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2017

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

As at 30 Sep 2017 Same time last year

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

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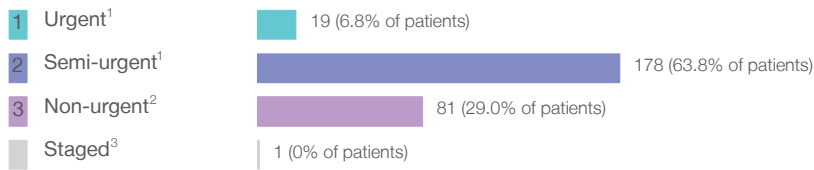
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Cessnock District Hospital: Elective surgery performed

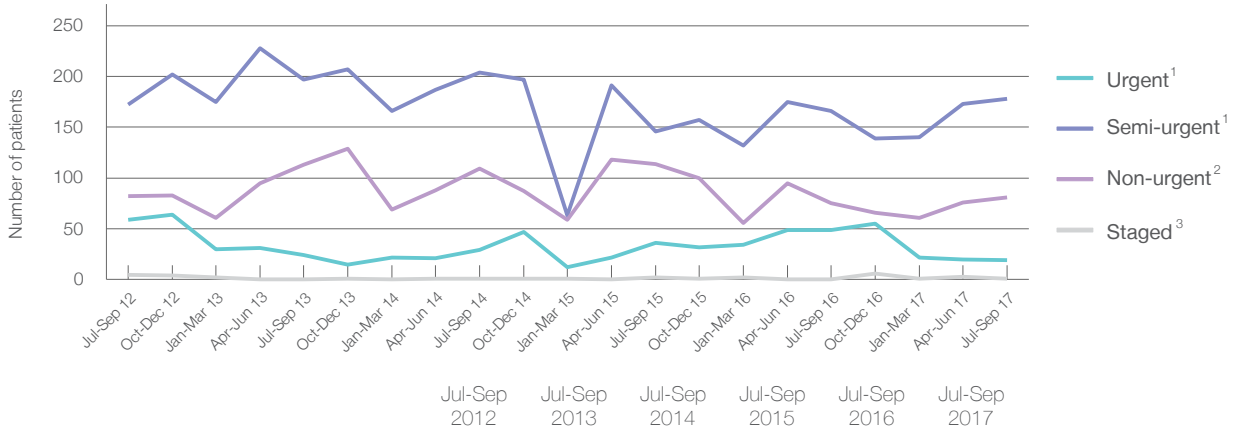
July to September 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 279 patients



Urgency Category	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent ¹	49	-61.2%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	166	7.2%
3 Non-urgent ²	75	8.0%
Staged ³	0	

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



Urgency Category	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016	Jul-Sep 2017
All categories	318	334	343	298	290	279
Urgent ¹	59	24	29	36	49	19
Semi-urgent ¹	172	197	204	146	166	178
Non-urgent ²	82	113	109	114	75	81
Staged ³	5	0	1	2	0	1

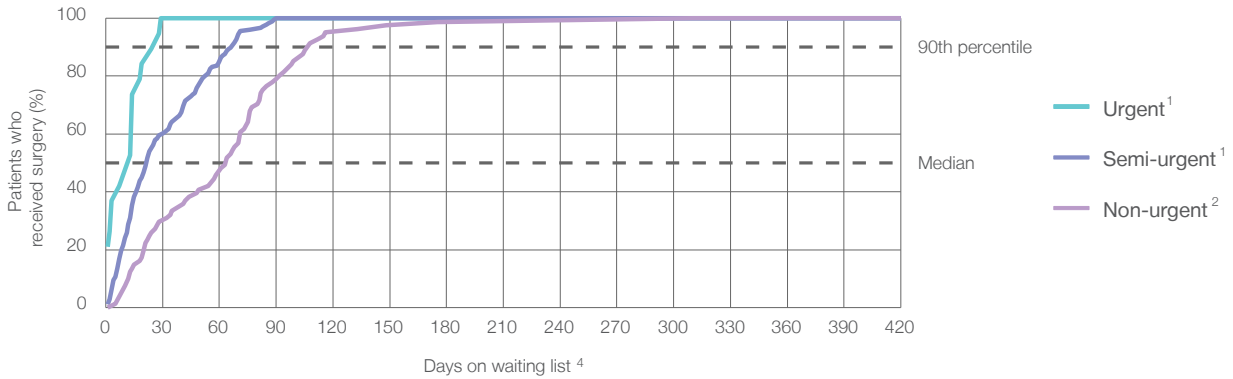
Cessnock District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended: (days)	100%	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	100%	100%	99.4%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	100%	100%	99.9%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	100%	100%	99.8%

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 19 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	13 days	11	9
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	27	*
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 178 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	22 days	40	14
90th percentile time to receive surgery	68 days	76	66
3 Non-urgent: ² 81 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	64 days	147	41
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	315	*

Cessnock District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	113
General surgery	■ 26 days (166 patients)	17	35
Gynaecology	* (7 patients)	15	46
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	152
Orthopaedic surgery	■ 28 days (29 patients)	31	92
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	■ 24 days (74 patients)	12	33
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	229

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)	n/a	58
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	156
Cholecystectomy	* (8 patients)	n/a	56
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	■ 23 days (31 patients)	13	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	59
Hysteroscopy	n/a (0 patients)	*	39
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (9 patients)	42	62
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	* (< 5 patients)	20	26
Prostatectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	40
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	151
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	224
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)	*	219

Cessnock District Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 124 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 125 patients

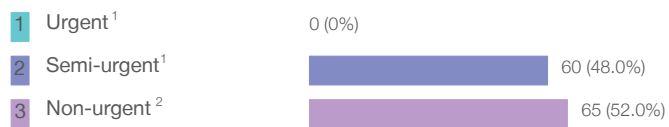
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 12 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	119	4.2%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	100	25.0%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	9	33.3%

Cessnock District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 125 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	8	-100.0%
Semi-urgent ¹	51	17.6%
Non-urgent ²	41	58.5%

Cessnock District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 125 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	125	100	25.0%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	81	63	28.6%
Gynaecology	< 5	< 5	*
Medical	0	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	14	20	-30.0%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	27	12	125.0%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	*
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	8	6	33.3%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	6	8	-25.0%
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	5	*
Hysteroscopy	0	< 5	*
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	5	11	-54.5%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	8	5	60.0%
Prostatectomy	< 5	< 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

Cessnock District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2017

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

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

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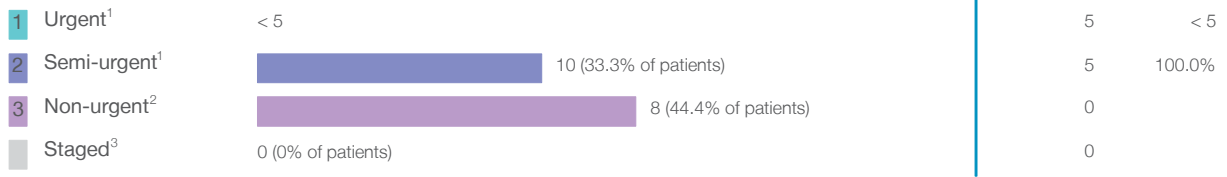
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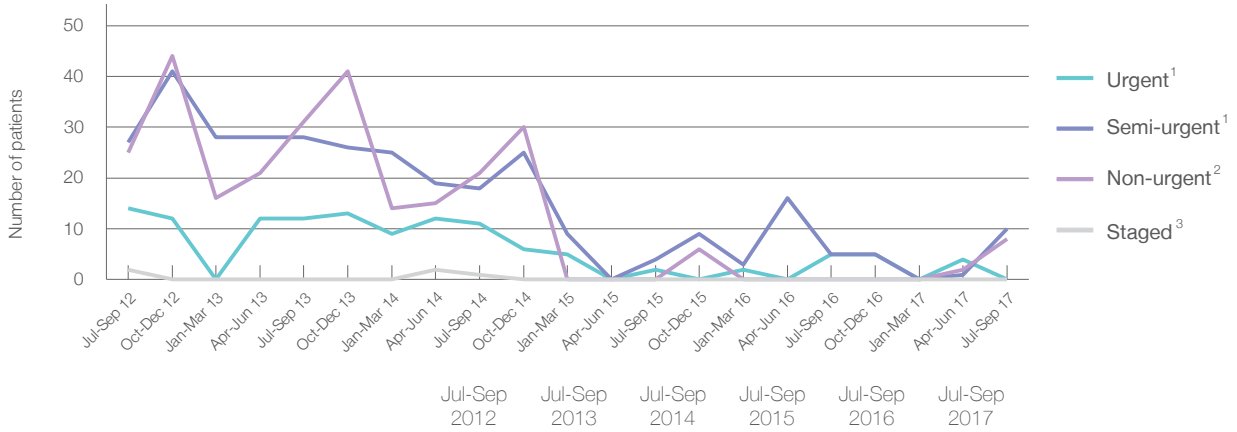
Gunnedah District Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 18 patients



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



Urgency Category	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016	Jul-Sep 2017
All categories	68	71	51	6	10	18
Urgent ¹	14	12	11	< 5	5	< 5
Semi-urgent ¹	27	28	18	< 5	5	10
Non-urgent ²	25	31	21	0	0	8
Staged ³	2	0	1	0	0	0

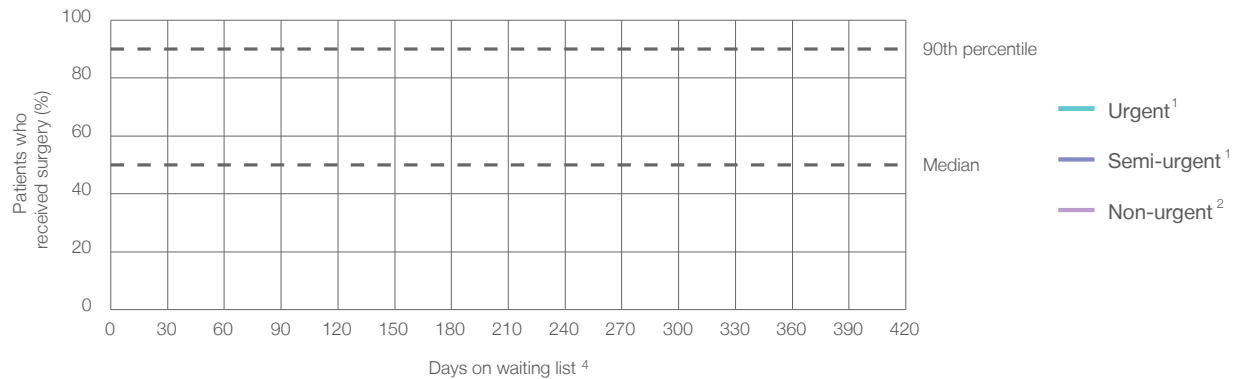
Gunnedah District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

			Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1	Urgent ¹	Recommended: 30 days	*	99.4%
2	Semi-urgent ¹	Recommended: 90 days	*	99.9%
3	Non-urgent ²	Recommended: 365 days	*	99.8%

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 < 5			
	Median time to receive surgery	*	11	*
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	27	*
2	Semi-urgent: ¹ 10 patients			
	Median time to receive surgery	*	40	*
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	76	*
3	Non-urgent: ² 8 patients			
	Median time to receive surgery	*	147	*
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	315	*

Gunnedah District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	113
General surgery	36 days (18 patients)	9	35
Gynaecology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	46
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	152
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	92
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	33
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	229

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	58
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	156
Cholecystectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	56
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	59
Hysteroscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	39
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	n/a (0 patients)	*	62
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	* (< 5 patients)	*	26
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	40
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	151
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	224
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)	n/a	219

Gunnedah District Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 11 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 15 patients

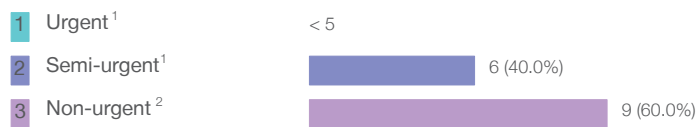
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 5 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	< 5	175.0%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	4	275.0%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	4	25.0%

Gunnedah District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 15 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	0	*
Semi-urgent ¹	< 5	*
Non-urgent ²	< 5	*

Gunnedah District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 15 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	15	< 5	*
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	15	< 5	*
Gynaecology	0	0	n/a
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
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 procedures⁷

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	< 5	< 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	n/a
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

Gunnedah District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2017

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

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

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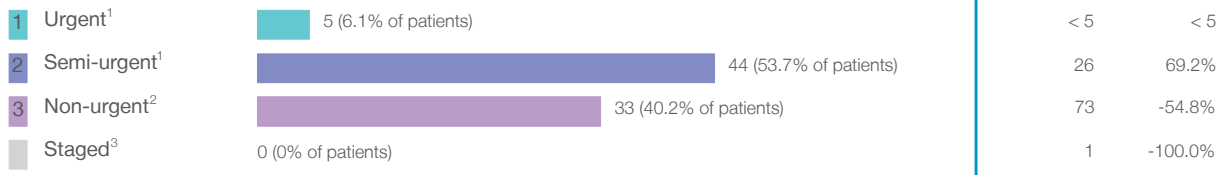
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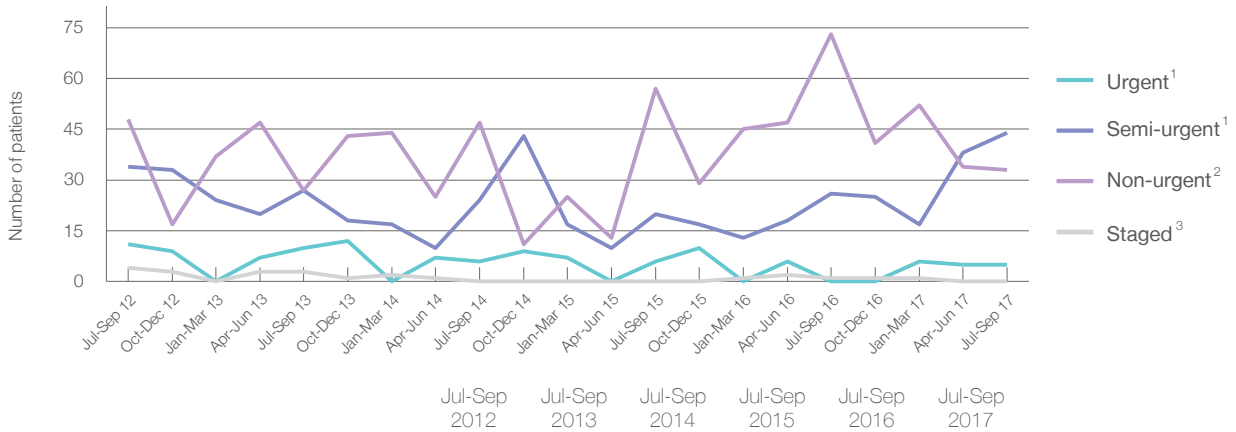
Inverell District Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 82 patients




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




Urgency Category	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016	Jul-Sep 2017
All categories	97	67	77	83	100	82
Urgent ¹	11	10	6	6	< 5	5
Semi-urgent ¹	34	27	24	20	26	44
Non-urgent ²	48	27	47	57	73	33
Staged ³	4	3	0	0	1	0

Inverell District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	113
General surgery	* (8 patients)	*	35
Gynaecology	* (7 patients)	31	46
Medical	* (7 patients)	*	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	 83 days (60 patients)	322	152
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	92
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	33
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	229

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	58
Cataract extraction	 83 days (60 patients)	322	156
Cholecystectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	56
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	*	59
Hysteroscopy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	39
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	n/a (0 patients)	*	62
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	26
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	40
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	151
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	224
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)	n/a	219

Inverell District Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 85 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 103 patients

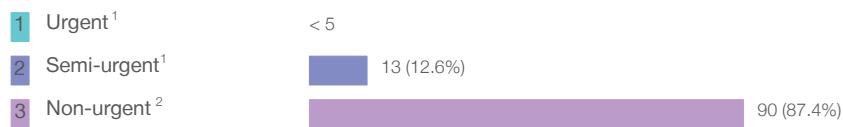
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 8 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	137	-38.0%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	103	0.0%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	12	-33.3%

Inverell District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 103 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	< 5	*
Semi-urgent ¹	25	-48.0%
Non-urgent ²	78	15.4%

Inverell District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 103 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	103	103	0.0%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	5	8	-37.5%
Gynaecology	< 5	0	n/a
Medical	< 5	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	94	94	0.0%
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 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	94	94	0.0%
Cholecystectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Hysteroscopy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	< 5	< 5	n/a
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

Inverell District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 30th September 2017

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

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

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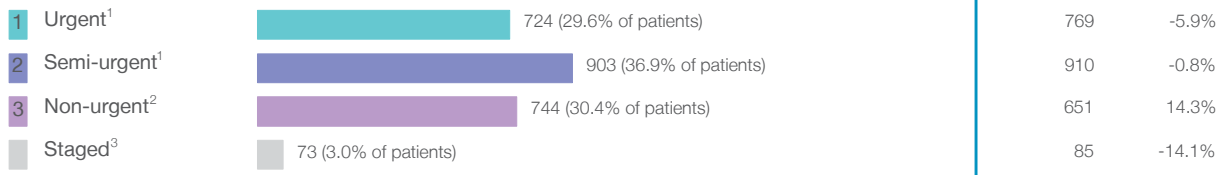
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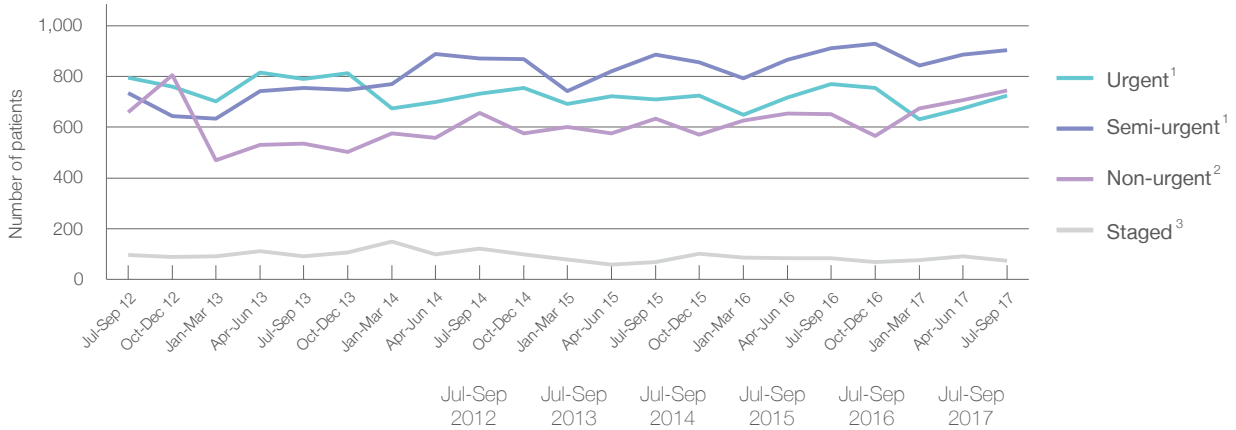
John Hunter Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 2,444 patients



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



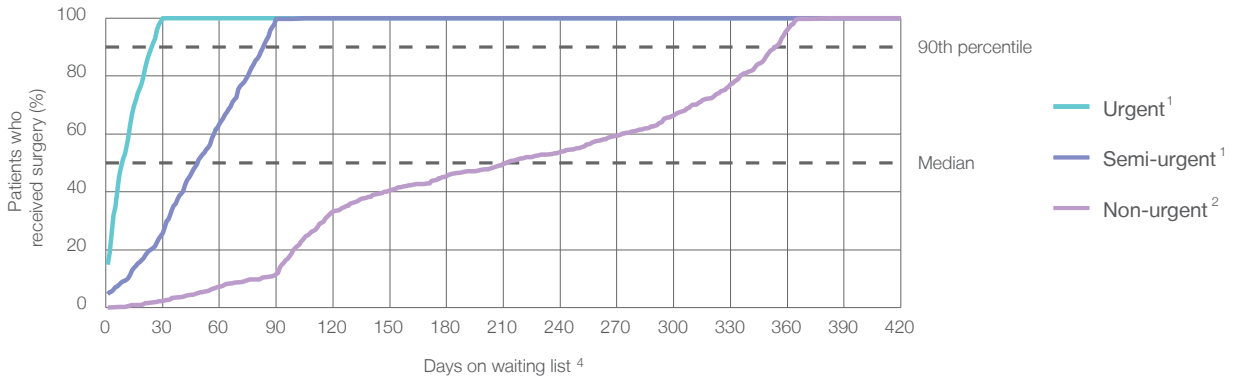
Urgency Category	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016	Jul-Sep 2017
All categories	2,287	2,173	2,380	2,298	2,415	2,444
Urgent ¹	795	789	732	710	769	724
Semi-urgent ¹	734	755	870	886	910	903
Non-urgent ²	660	536	656	634	651	744
Staged ³	98	93	122	68	85	73

John Hunter Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery July to September 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%	99.9%	100%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	99.7%	99.7%	96.8%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	99.6%	98.5%	94.3%

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 (days)	90th Percentile (days)	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent ¹	724 patients	9 days	25 days	9	9	9
2 Semi-urgent ¹	903 patients	49 days	84 days	41	48	41
3 Non-urgent ²	744 patients	212 days	354 days	172	211	167

John Hunter Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

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

Specialty	Median ⁵ waiting time (days) (patients)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	17 days (67 patients)	15	20
Ear, nose and throat surgery	49 days (260 patients)	79	140
General surgery	42 days (423 patients)	34	28
Gynaecology	46 days (351 patients)	38	30
Medical	36 days (85 patients)	57	21
Neurosurgery	47 days (251 patients)	49	44
Ophthalmology	54 days (95 patients)	38	95
Orthopaedic surgery	83 days (556 patients)	63	75
Plastic surgery	21 days (13 patients)	*	20
Urology	43 days (242 patients)	32	33
Vascular surgery	24 days (101 patients)	14	18

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

Procedure	Median ⁵ waiting time (days) (patients)	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	87 days (21 patients)	32	57
Cataract extraction	67 days (40 patients)	80	131
Cholecystectomy	82 days (38 patients)	64	40
Coronary artery bypass graft	22 days (20 patients)	12	27
Cystoscopy	30 days (154 patients)	27	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	*	60
Hysteroscopy	65 days (64 patients)	48	29
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	61 days (33 patients)	52	70
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	331
Myringotomy	* (7 patients)	*	67
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	18
Prostatectomy	* (9 patients)	*	69
Septoplasty	75 days (16 patients)	314	335
Tonsillectomy	69 days (72 patients)	84	326
Total hip replacement	192 days (66 patients)	142	137
Total knee replacement	322 days (107 patients)	310	232
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (6 patients)	*	81

John Hunter Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 2,745 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 2,847 patients

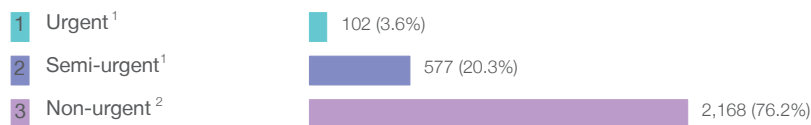
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 528 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	2,298	19.5%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	2,429	17.2%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	571	-7.5%

John Hunter Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 2,847 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	87	17.2%
Semi-urgent ¹	582	-0.9%
Non-urgent ²	1,760	23.2%

John Hunter Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 2,847 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	2,847	2,429	17.2%
Cardiothoracic surgery	27	8	237.5%
Ear, nose and throat surgery	388	292	32.9%
General surgery	393	331	18.7%
Gynaecology	373	331	12.7%
Medical	44	79	-44.3%
Neurosurgery	301	190	58.4%
Ophthalmology	99	106	-6.6%
Orthopaedic surgery	1,048	934	12.2%
Plastic surgery	< 5	5	*
Urology	128	114	12.3%
Vascular surgery	43	39	10.3%

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	16	24	-33.3%
Cataract extraction	41	48	-14.6%
Cholecystectomy	47	45	4.4%
Coronary artery bypass graft	9	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	65	53	22.6%
Haemorrhoidectomy	11	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	66	48	37.5%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	48	50	-4.0%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	17	14	21.4%
Myringotomy	7	< 5	*
Other - General	0	< 5	*
Prostatectomy	10	10	0.0%
Septoplasty	67	27	148.1%
Tonsillectomy	99	110	-10.0%
Total hip replacement	169	150	12.7%
Total knee replacement	344	326	5.5%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	6	5	20.0%

John Hunter Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 30th September 2017

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

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	10	6

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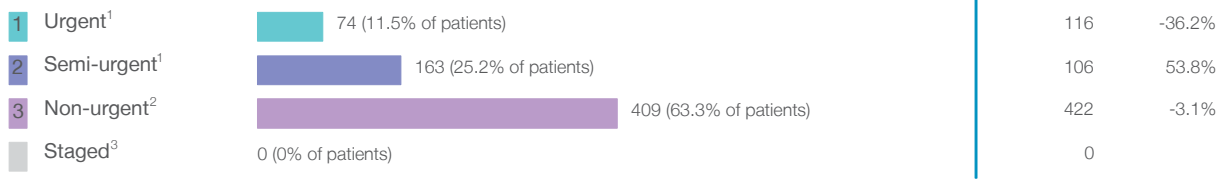
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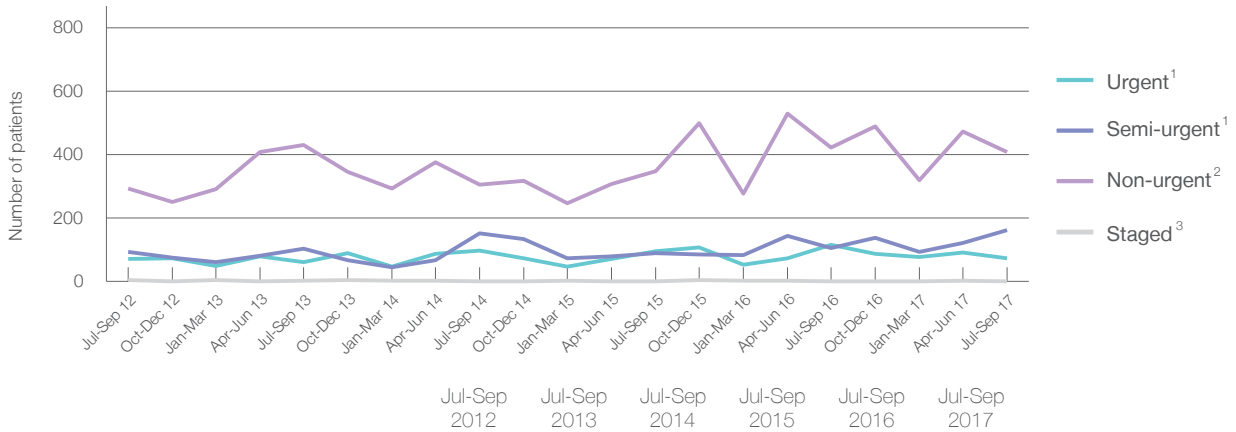
Kurri Kurri District Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 646 patients



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



Urgency Category	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016	Jul-Sep 2017
All categories	461	598	556	535	644	646
Urgent ¹	71	62	97	96	116	74
Semi-urgent ¹	93	103	153	90	106	163
Non-urgent ²	293	431	306	348	422	409
Staged ³	4	2	0	1	0	0

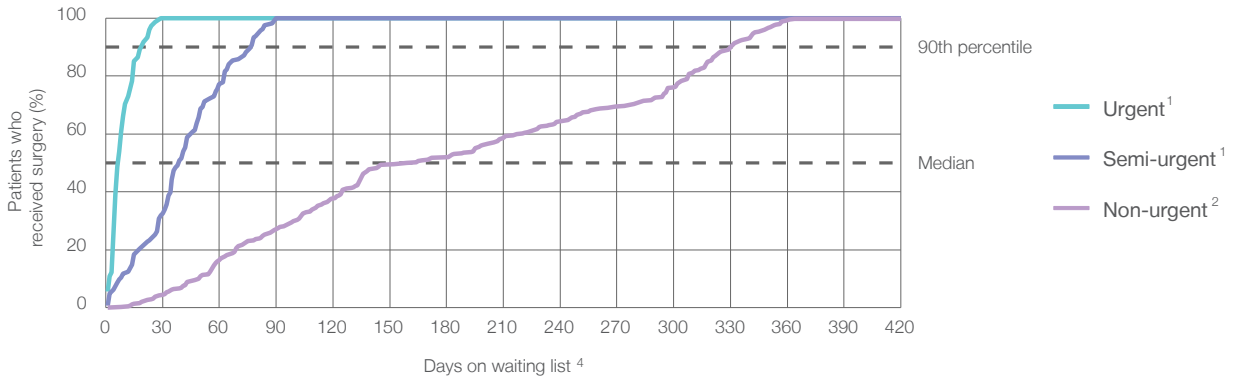
Kurri Kurri District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 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%	99.4%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	100%	97.2%	99.9%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	99.8%	99.3%	99.8%

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








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

Urgency Category	Median time to receive surgery	90th percentile time to receive surgery	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent: ¹ 74 patients	7 days	*	11	8	11
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 163 patients	39 days	77 days	40	35	35
3 Non-urgent: ² 409 patients	164 days	331 days	147	165	159

Kurri Kurri District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	 56 days (39 patients)	90	113
General surgery	 28 days (56 patients)	22	35
Gynaecology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	46
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	 102 days (551 patients)	104	152
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	92
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	33
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	229

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	58
Cataract extraction	 136 days (408 patients)	127	156
Cholecystectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	56
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	59
Hysteroscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	39
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	62
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)	*	26
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	40
Septoplasty	 57 days (10 patients)	220	151
Tonsillectomy	* (5 patients)	*	224
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)	n/a	219

Kurri Kurri District Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,062 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,113 patients

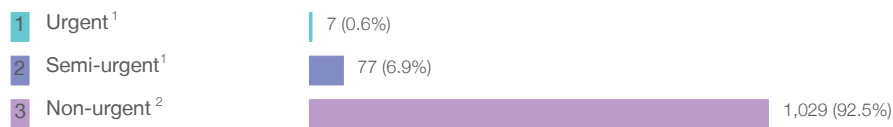
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 82 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	935	13.6%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	1,068	4.2%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	63	30.2%

Kurri Kurri District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,113 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	9	-22.2%
Semi-urgent ¹	71	8.5%
Non-urgent ²	988	4.1%

Kurri Kurri District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,113 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,113	1,068	4.2%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	91	91	0.0%
General surgery	24	< 5	*
Gynaecology	0	0	n/a
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	998	975	2.4%
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 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	865	843	2.6%
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	< 5	6	*
Myringotomy	< 5	< 5	*
Other - General	0	< 5	n/a
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	37	22	68.2%
Tonsillectomy	22	13	69.2%
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Kurri Kurri District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 30th September 2017

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

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	< 5	11

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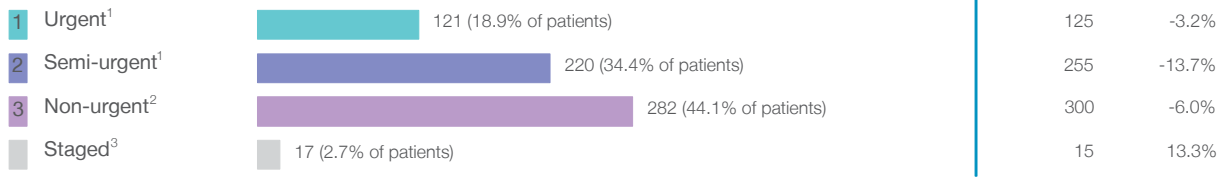
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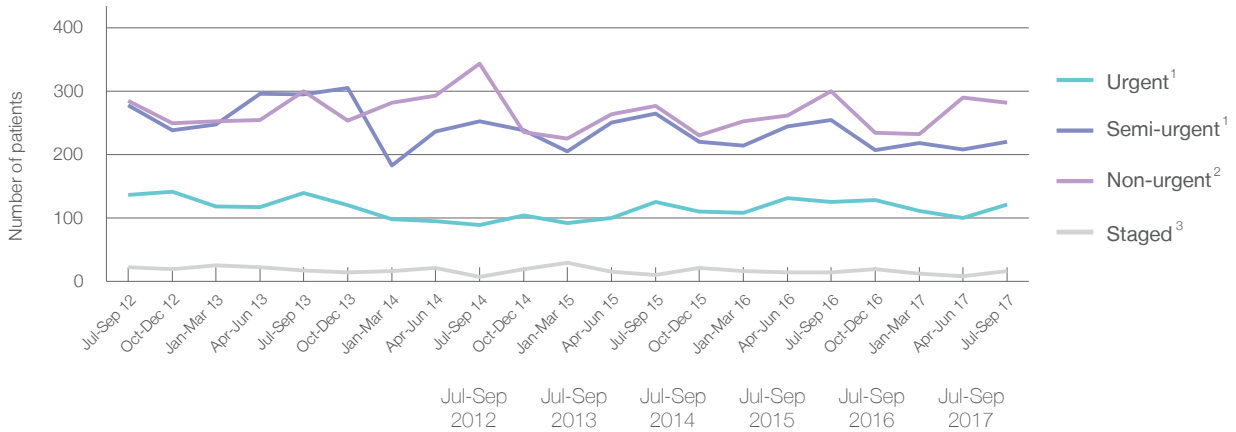
Maitland Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 640 patients



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



	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016	Jul-Sep 2017
All categories	723	753	692	678	695	640
Urgent ¹	137	140	89	125	125	121
Semi-urgent ¹	278	295	252	265	255	220
Non-urgent ²	285	300	343	277	300	282
Staged ³	23	18	8	11	15	17

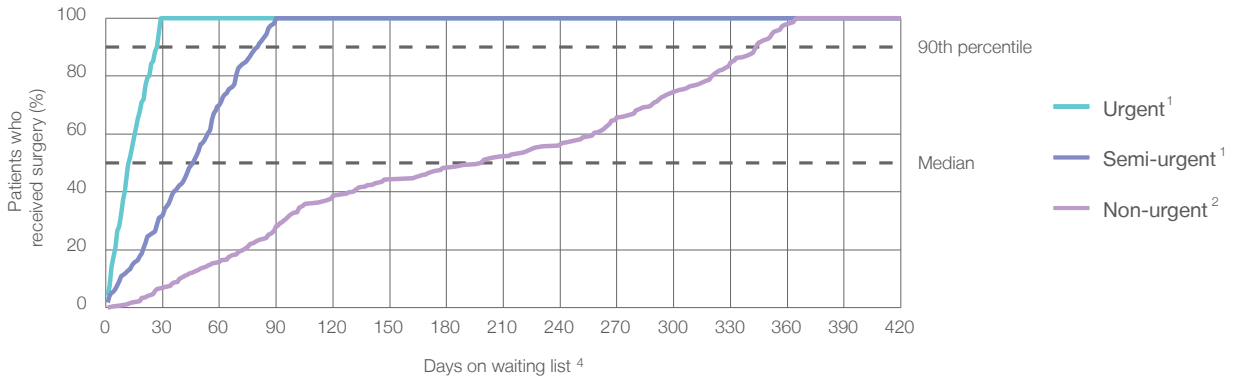
Maitland Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended:	100%	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	100%	100%	99.9%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	100%	100%	98.7%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	100%	100%	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: ¹ 121 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	13 days	13	10
90th percentile time to receive surgery	27 days	27	24
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 220 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	47 days	47	36
90th percentile time to receive surgery	81 days	83	75
3 Non-urgent: ² 282 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	199 days	261	264
90th percentile time to receive surgery	344 days	354	345

Maitland Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	62 days (62 patients)	238	277
General surgery	42 days (185 patients)	24	52
Gynaecology	45 days (98 patients)	50	45
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	14
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	279
Orthopaedic surgery	119 days (209 patients)	251	185
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	83
Urology	65 days (86 patients)	31	41
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	20

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	120 days (13 patients)	111	84
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	287
Cholecystectomy	47 days (36 patients)	26	58
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	30 days (29 patients)	23	34
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	*	75
Hysteroscopy	26 days (35 patients)	27	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	68 days (17 patients)	45	93
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	289
Myringotomy	* (7 patients)	*	55
Other - General	56 days (24 patients)	*	33
Prostatectomy	76 days (11 patients)	40	65
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	320
Tonsillectomy	66 days (26 patients)	270	295
Total hip replacement	302 days (18 patients)	308	255
Total knee replacement	325 days (28 patients)	315	294
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	123

Maitland Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 838 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 818 patients

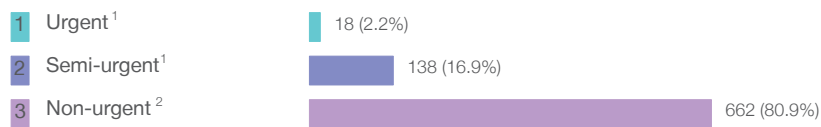
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 125 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	743	12.8%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	741	10.4%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	141	-11.3%

Maitland Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 818 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	20	-10.0%
Semi-urgent ¹	161	-14.3%
Non-urgent ²	560	18.2%

Maitland Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 818 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	818	741	10.4%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	81	56	44.6%
General surgery	177	141	25.5%
Gynaecology	86	96	-10.4%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	436	358	21.8%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	38	90	-57.8%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	16	21	-23.8%
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	23	26	-11.5%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	11	18	-38.9%
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	5	*
Hysteroscopy	14	15	-6.7%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	19	14	35.7%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	6	< 5	*
Other - General	15	8	87.5%
Prostatectomy	7	19	-63.2%
Septoplasty	0	< 5	*
Tonsillectomy	54	35	54.3%
Total hip replacement	52	43	20.9%
Total knee replacement	122	119	2.5%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	< 5	< 5	*

Maitland Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 30th September 2017

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

As at 30 Sep 2017 Same time last year

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

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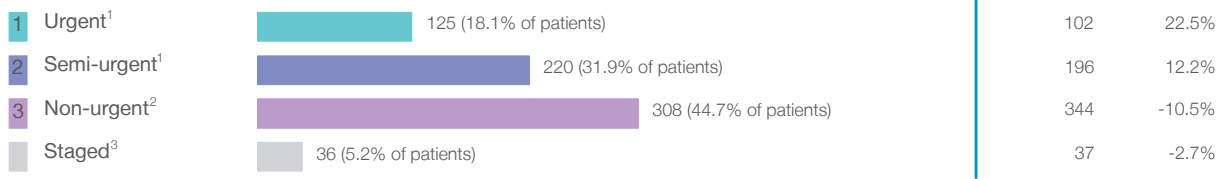
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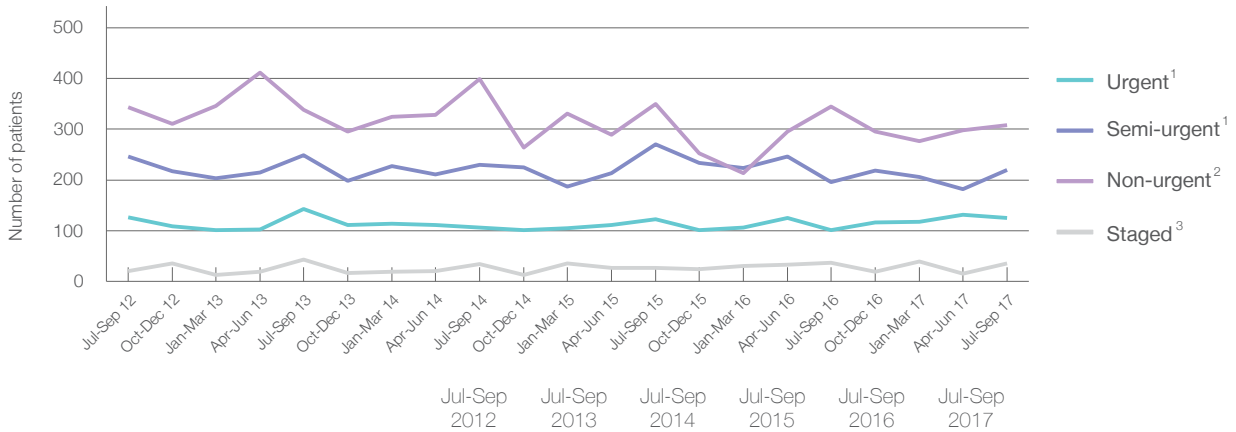
Manning Base Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 689 patients



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



Urgency Category	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016	Jul-Sep 2017
All categories	737	774	770	770	679	689
Urgent ¹	127	143	107	123	102	125
Semi-urgent ¹	246	249	230	270	196	220
Non-urgent ²	343	338	399	350	344	308
Staged ³	21	44	34	27	37	36

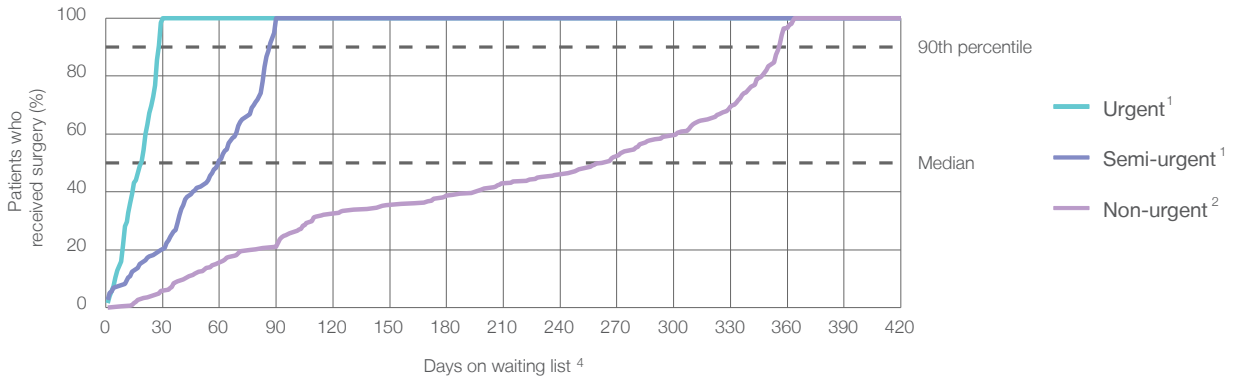
Manning Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended:	100%	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	100%	100%	99.9%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	100%	100%	98.7%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	100%	100%	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: ¹ 125 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	19 days	13	18
90th percentile time to receive surgery	28 days	27	28
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 220 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	60 days	47	57
90th percentile time to receive surgery	87 days	83	84
3 Non-urgent: ² 308 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	264 days	261	271
90th percentile time to receive surgery	356 days	354	343

Manning Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	277
General surgery	53 days (276 patients)	74	52
Gynaecology	46 days (60 patients)	67	45
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	*	14
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	330 days (113 patients)	295	279
Orthopaedic surgery	248 days (110 patients)	234	185
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	83
Urology	36 days (130 patients)	47	41
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	20

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)	*	84
Cataract extraction	334 days (105 patients)	298	287
Cholecystectomy	57 days (27 patients)	80	58
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	31 days (78 patients)	42	34
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	75
Hysteroscopy	24 days (21 patients)	28	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	46 days (13 patients)	261	93
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	289
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	55
Other - General	34 days (19 patients)	*	33
Prostatectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	65
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	320
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	295
Total hip replacement	250 days (25 patients)	256	255
Total knee replacement	283 days (38 patients)	228	294
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)	*	123

Manning Base Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,102 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,183 patients

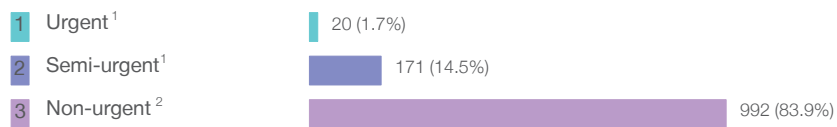
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 174 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	1,113	-1.0%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	1,089	8.6%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	161	8.1%

Manning Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,183 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	27	-25.9%
Semi-urgent ¹	171	0.0%
Non-urgent ²	891	11.3%

Manning Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,183 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,183	1,089	8.6%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	245	300	-18.3%
Gynaecology	66	48	37.5%
Medical	0	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	572	467	22.5%
Orthopaedic surgery	255	234	9.0%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	45	39	15.4%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures⁷

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	8	< 5	*
Cataract extraction	557	459	21.4%
Cholecystectomy	19	32	-40.6%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	21	14	50.0%
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	20	8	150.0%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	23	32	-28.1%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	20	17	17.6%
Prostatectomy	< 5	5	*
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	50	50	0.0%
Total knee replacement	116	96	20.8%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	10	10	0.0%

Manning Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2017

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

As at 30 Sep 2017 Same time last year

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

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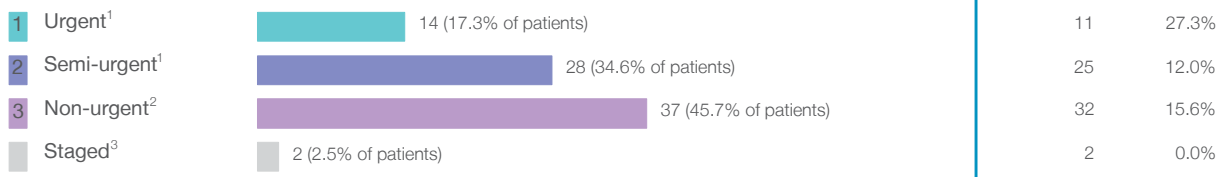
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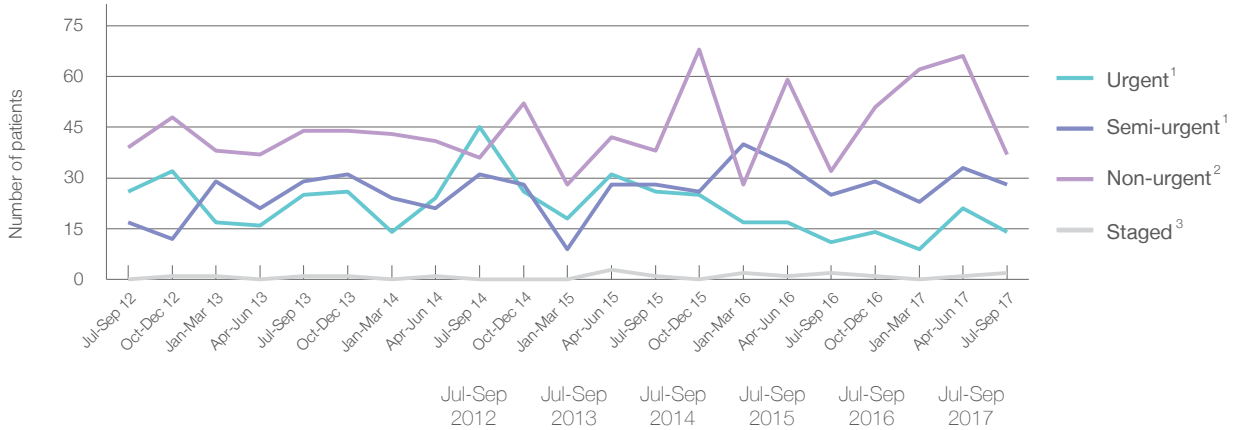
Moree District Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 81 patients



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



	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016	Jul-Sep 2017
All categories	82	99	112	93	70	81
Urgent ¹	26	25	45	26	11	14
Semi-urgent ¹	17	29	31	28	25	28
Non-urgent ²	39	44	36	38	32	37
Staged ³	0	1	0	1	2	2

Moree District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended: (days)	100%	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	100%	100%	99.4%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	100%	100%	99.9%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	100%	100%	99.8%

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 14 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	11 days	11	7
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	27	*
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 28 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	37 days	40	23
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	76	*
3 Non-urgent: ² 37 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	178 days	147	173
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	315	*

Moree District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	*	113
General surgery	 27 days (43 patients)	19	35
Gynaecology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	46
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	 212 days (35 patients)	232	152
Orthopaedic surgery	* (< 5 patients)	*	92
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	33
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	229

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	58
Cataract extraction	 225 days (31 patients)	232	156
Cholecystectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	56
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	59
Hysteroscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	39
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (< 5 patients)	*	62
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	26
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	40
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	151
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	*	224
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)	*	219

Moree District Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 102 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 121 patients

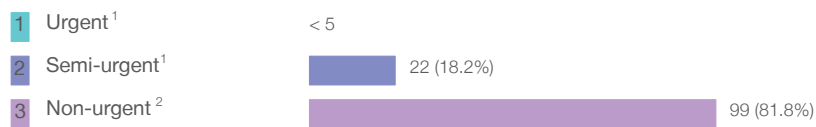
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 15 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	133	-23.3%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	144	-16.0%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	11	36.4%

Moree District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 121 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	< 5	*
Semi-urgent ¹	19	15.8%
Non-urgent ²	125	-20.8%

Moree District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 121 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	121	144	-16.0%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	8	< 5	*
General surgery	23	19	21.1%
Gynaecology	< 5	0	n/a
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	86	122	-29.5%
Orthopaedic surgery	< 5	< 5	*
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 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	76	114	-33.3%
Cholecystectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Hysteroscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	< 5	< 5	*
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Other - General	0	< 5	n/a
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	6	< 5	*
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Moree District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2017

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

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

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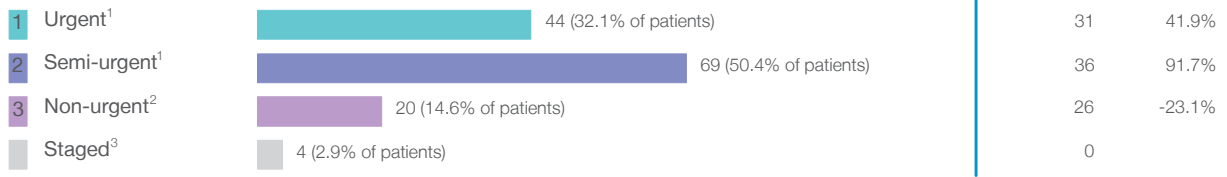
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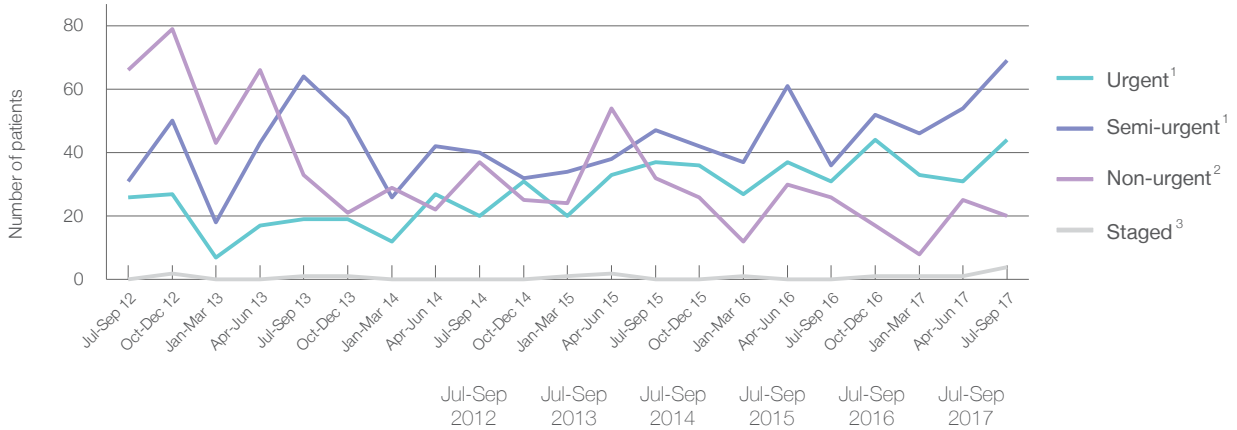
Source: Waiting List Collection On-Line System, NSW Health (extracted 16 Oct 2017.).

Muswellbrook District Hospital: Elective surgery performed July to September 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 137 patients



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



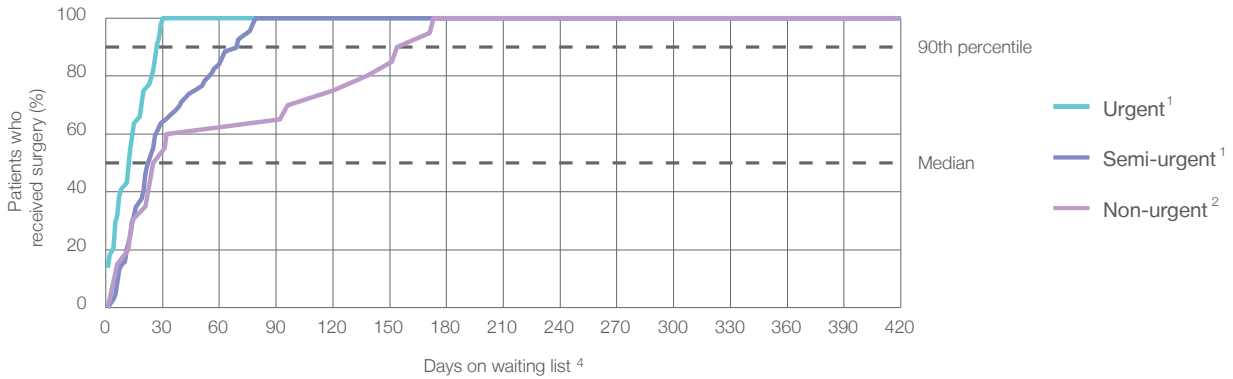
	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016	Jul-Sep 2017
All categories	123	117	97	116	93	137
Urgent ¹	26	19	20	37	31	44
Semi-urgent ¹	31	64	40	47	36	69
Non-urgent ²	66	33	37	32	26	20
Staged ³	0	1	0	0	0	4

Muswellbrook District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery July to September 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended:	100%	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	100%	100%	99.4%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	100%	100%	99.9%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	100%	100%	99.8%

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 44 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	13 days	11	8
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	27	*
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 69 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	25 days	40	36
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	76	*
3 Non-urgent: ² 20 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	28 days	147	49
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	315	*

Muswellbrook District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	113
General surgery	22 days (92 patients)	14	35
Gynaecology	60 days (11 patients)	10	46
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	14 days (33 patients)	46	152
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	92
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	33
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	229

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	58
Cataract extraction	14 days (33 patients)	46	156
Cholecystectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	56
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	59
Hysteroscopy	* (< 5 patients)	*	39
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	n/a (0 patients)	*	62
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	26
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	40
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	151
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	224
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	219

Muswellbrook District Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 52 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 32 patients

Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 10 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	30	73.3%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	48	-33.3%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	7	42.9%

Muswellbrook District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 32 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent	6	-16.7%
Semi-urgent	22	-40.9%
Non-urgent	20	-30.0%

Muswellbrook District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 32 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	32	48	-33.3%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	28	17	64.7%
Gynaecology	< 5	10	*
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	21	-100.0%
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 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	0	21	-100.0%
Cholecystectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Hysteroscopy	0	< 5	*
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	*

Muswellbrook District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 30th September 2017

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

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

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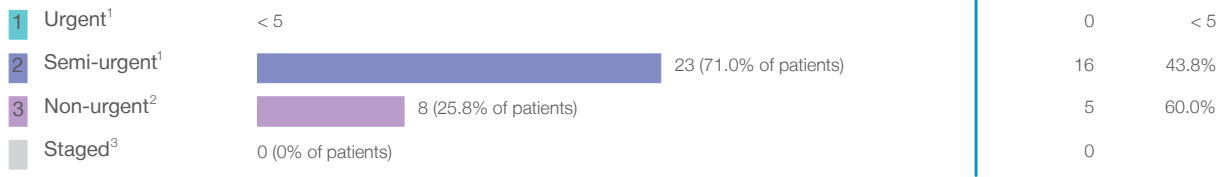
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Narrabri District Hospital: Elective surgery performed

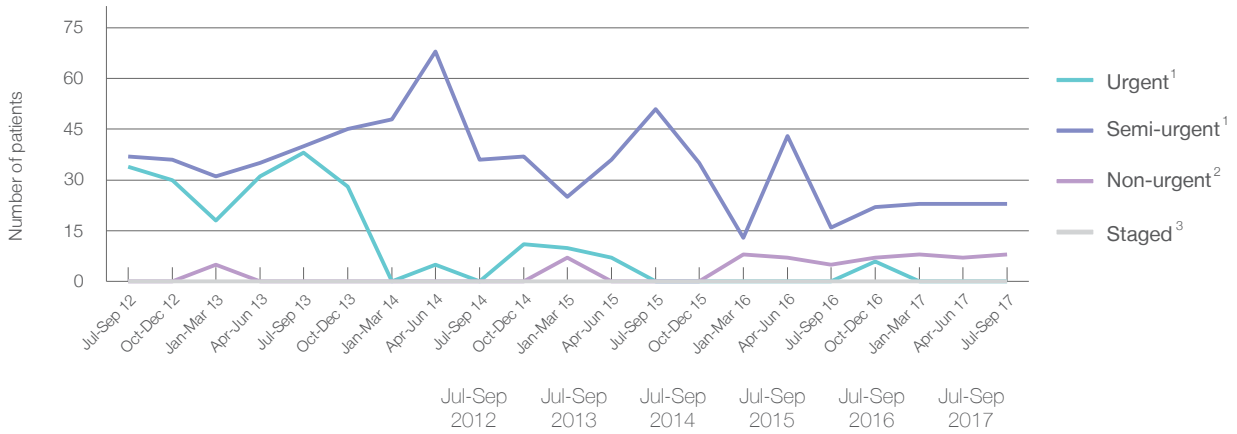
July to September 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 31 patients



Urgency Category	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent ¹	0	< 5
2 Semi-urgent ¹	16	43.8%
3 Non-urgent ²	5	60.0%
Staged ³	0	

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



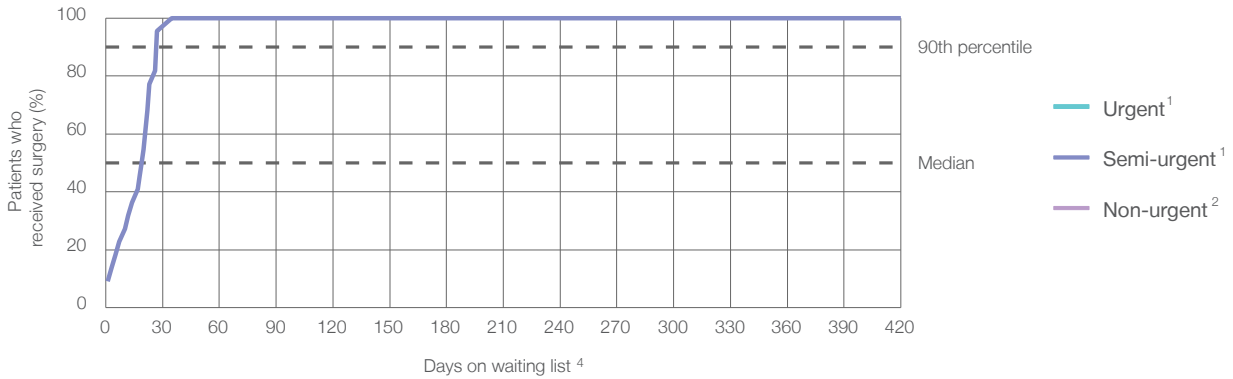
Urgency Category	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016	Jul-Sep 2017
All categories	71	78	36	51	21	31
Urgent ¹	34	38	< 5	< 5	0	< 5
Semi-urgent ¹	37	40	36	51	16	23
Non-urgent ²	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	5	8
Staged ³	0	0	0	0	0	0

Narrabri District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery July to September 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

			Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1	Urgent ¹	Recommended: 30 days	*	99.4%
2	Semi-urgent ¹	Recommended: 90 days	100%	99.9%
3	Non-urgent ²	Recommended: 365 days	*	99.8%

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 < 5			
	Median time to receive surgery	11	*	11
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	27	*	26
2	Semi-urgent: ¹ 23 patients			
	Median time to receive surgery	40	27	35
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	76	*	76
3	Non-urgent: ² 8 patients			
	Median time to receive surgery	147	*	159
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	315	*	334

Narrabri District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	113
General surgery	■ 19 days (28 patients)	27	35
Gynaecology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	46
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	152
Orthopaedic surgery	* (< 5 patients)	*	92
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	33
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	229

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
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Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	59
Hysteroscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	39
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (6 patients)	*	62
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
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Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	219

Narrabri District Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 8 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: < 5

Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 9 patients

Same period last year	Change since one year ago
12	-33.3%
23	-87.0%
7	28.6%

Narrabri District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: < 5

1	Urgent ¹	0 (0%)
2	Semi-urgent ¹	0 (0%)
3	Non-urgent ²	< 5

Same period last year	Change since one year ago
0	
13	-100.0%
10	*

Narrabri District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 3 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	< 5	23	*
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	< 5	18	*
Gynaecology	0	0	n/a
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	0	5	-100.0%
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 30 Sep 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	*
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	*
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

Narrabri District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 30th September 2017

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

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

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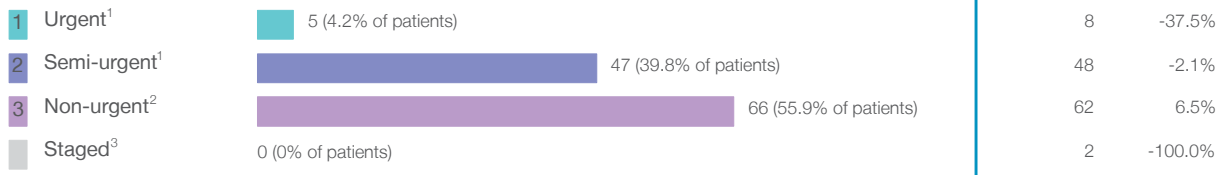
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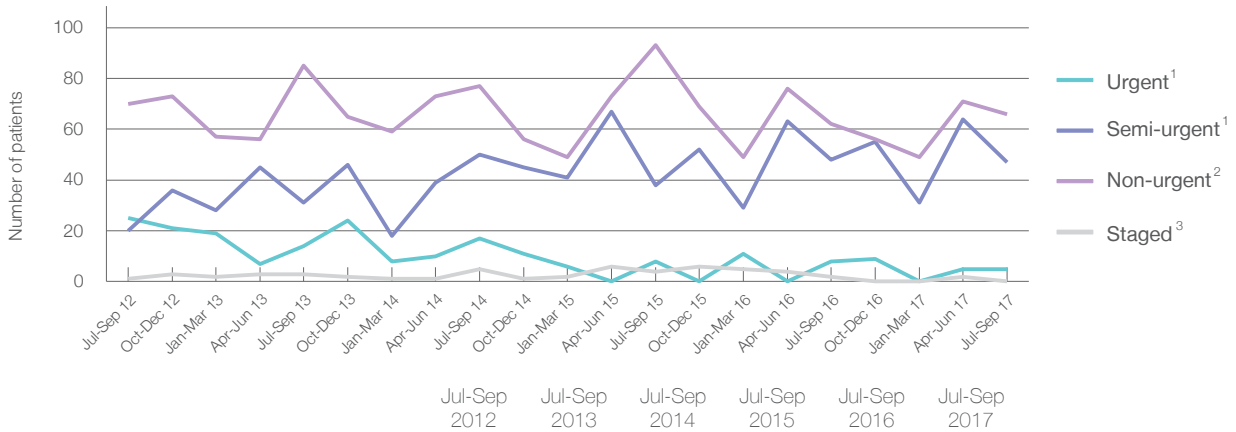
Singleton District Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 118 patients



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



	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016	Jul-Sep 2017
All categories	116	133	149	143	120	118
Urgent ¹	25	14	17	8	8	5
Semi-urgent ¹	20	31	50	38	48	47
Non-urgent ²	70	85	77	93	62	66
Staged ³	1	3	5	4	2	0

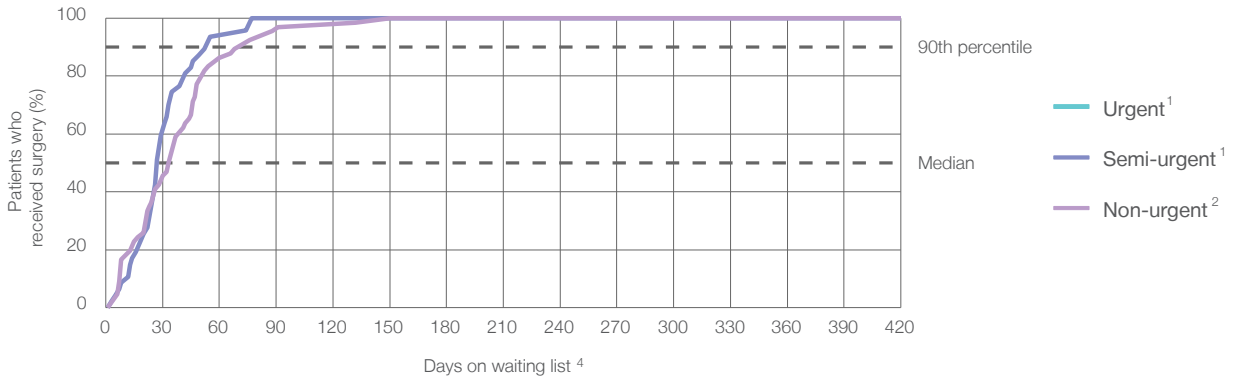
Singleton District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended:	100%	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent¹	30 days	*	*	99.4%
2 Semi-urgent¹	90 days	100%	100%	99.9%
3 Non-urgent²	365 days	100%	100%	99.8%

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 5 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	*	*	11
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	*	26
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 47 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	27 days	40	35
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	76	76
3 Non-urgent: ² 66 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	35 days	147	159
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	315	334

Singleton District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	113
General surgery	27 days (71 patients)	18	35
Gynaecology	46 days (32 patients)	56	46
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	152
Orthopaedic surgery	22 days (15 patients)	29	92
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	33
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	229

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)	*	58
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	156
Cholecystectomy	37 days (10 patients)	42	56
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	* (< 5 patients)	*	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	*	59
Hysteroscopy	* (7 patients)	*	39
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (< 5 patients)	*	62
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)	*	26
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	40
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	151
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	224
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	219

Singleton District Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 35 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 45 patients

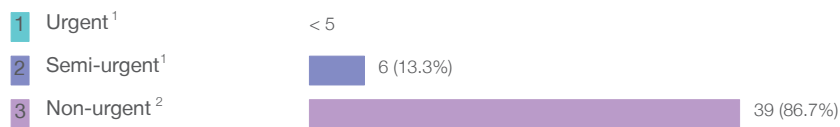
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 2 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	60	-41.7%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	53	-15.1%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	1	100.0%

Singleton District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 45 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	< 5	*
Semi-urgent ¹	23	-73.9%
Non-urgent ²	30	30.0%

Singleton District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 45 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	45	53	-15.1%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	26	37	-29.7%
Gynaecology	13	9	44.4%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	6	7	-14.3%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	0	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	< 5	6	*
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	0	6	-100.0%
Hysteroscopy	< 5	< 5	*
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	< 5	< 5	*
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	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

Singleton District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 30th September 2017

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

As at 30 Sep 2017 Same time last year

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

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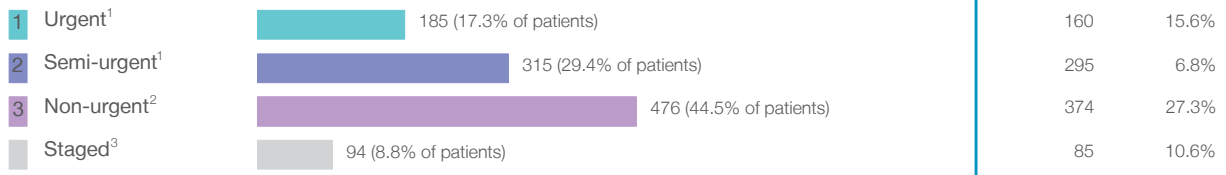
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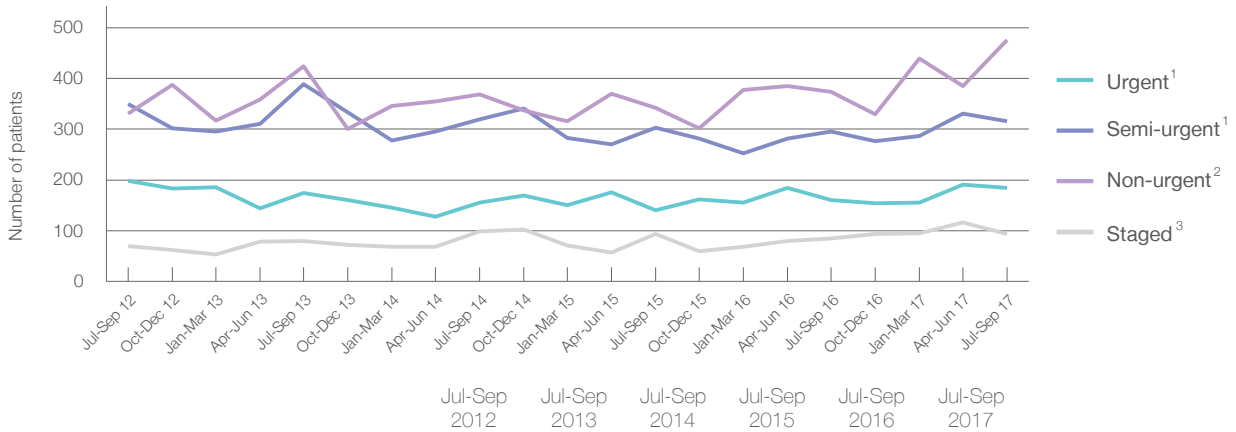
Tamworth Base Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 1,070 patients



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



	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016	Jul-Sep 2017
All categories	949	1,068	943	879	914	1,070
Urgent ¹	198	175	155	140	160	185
Semi-urgent ¹	350	389	320	303	295	315
Non-urgent ²	331	424	369	342	374	476
Staged ³	70	80	99	94	85	94

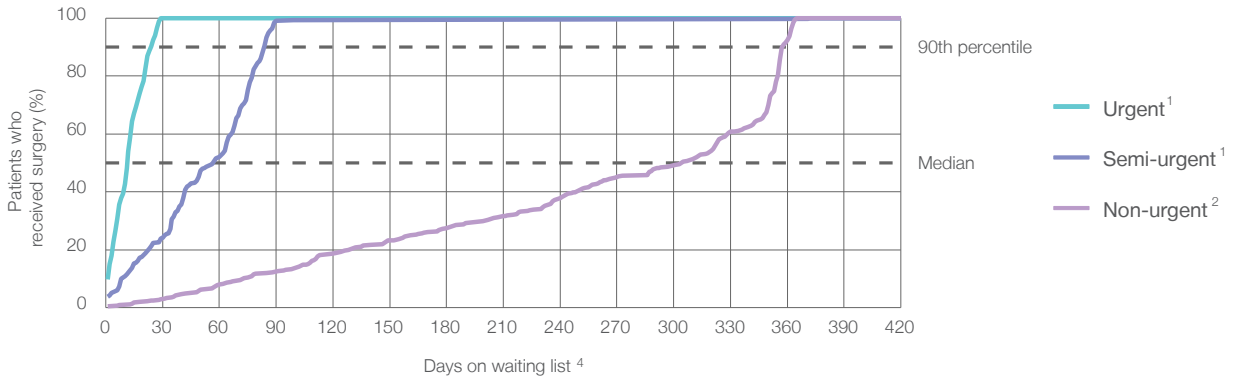
Tamworth Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended:		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	100%	100%	99.9%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	99.0%	100%	98.7%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	100%	100%	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: ¹ 185 patients	Median time to receive surgery	12 days	13	15
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	24 days	27	27
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 315 patients	Median time to receive surgery	58 days	47	61
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	84 days	83	86
3 Non-urgent: ² 476 patients	Median time to receive surgery	305 days	261	298
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	358 days	354	349

Tamworth Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	277
General surgery	42 days (287 patients)	50	52
Gynaecology	35 days (147 patients)	69	45
Medical	* (8 patients)	11	14
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	338 days (313 patients)	321	279
Orthopaedic surgery	175 days (114 patients)	231	185
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	83
Urology	65 days (201 patients)	55	41
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	20

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	71 days (13 patients)	110	84
Cataract extraction	350 days (257 patients)	324	287
Cholecystectomy	67 days (37 patients)	86	58
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	62 days (105 patients)	37	34
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	75
Hysteroscopy	* (< 5 patients)	*	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	91 days (23 patients)	150	93
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	289
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	55
Other - General	* (9 patients)	*	33
Prostatectomy	67 days (40 patients)	74	65
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	320
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	295
Total hip replacement	231 days (17 patients)	226	255
Total knee replacement	199 days (24 patients)	243	294
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (6 patients)	*	123

Tamworth Base Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2017

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

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,680 patients

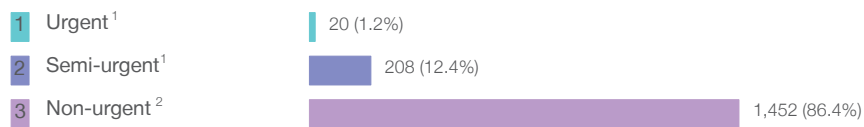
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 203 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	1,624	4.9%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	1,641	2.4%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	239	-15.1%

Tamworth Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,680 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	30	-33.3%
Semi-urgent ¹	272	-23.5%
Non-urgent ²	1,339	8.4%

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

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,680 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,680	1,641	2.4%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	293	235	24.7%
Gynaecology	108	135	-20.0%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	969	899	7.8%
Orthopaedic surgery	203	222	-8.6%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	107	150	-28.7%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	9	16	-43.8%
Cataract extraction	843	757	11.4%
Cholecystectomy	43	26	65.4%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	25	42	-40.5%
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	5	*
Hysteroscopy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	58	40	45.0%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	6	< 5	*
Prostatectomy	32	47	-31.9%
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	33	41	-19.5%
Total knee replacement	65	69	-5.8%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	6	< 5	*

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

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

As at 30 Sep 2017 Same time last year

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

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