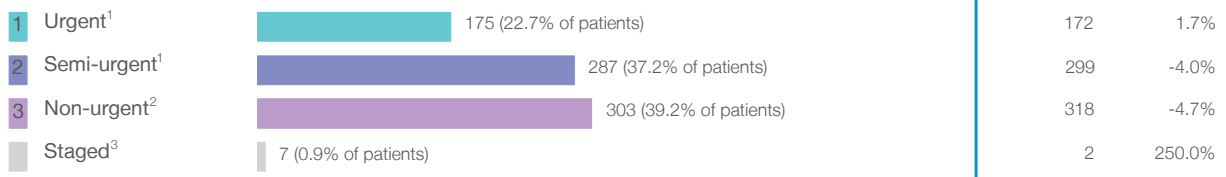


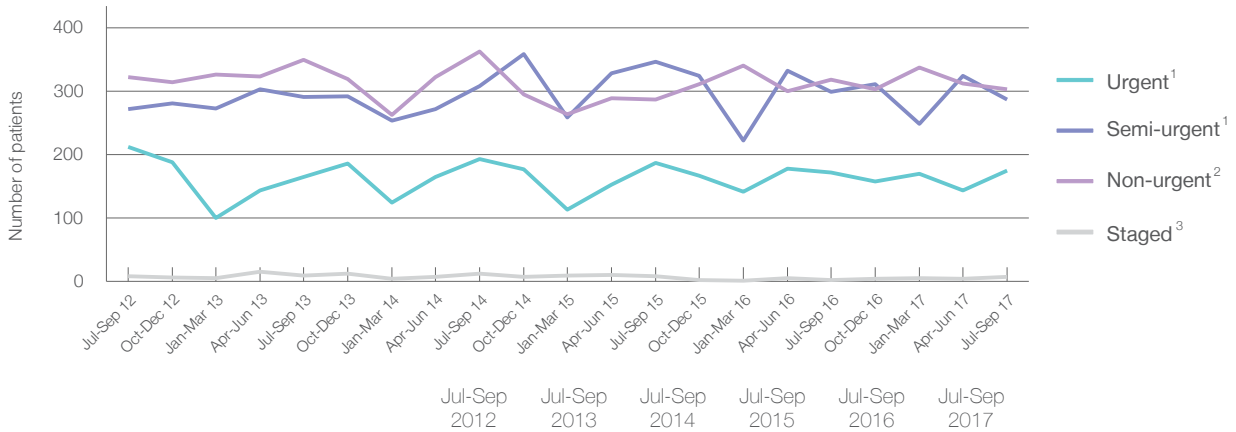
Sydney Children's Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 772 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	815	815	876	829	791	772
Urgent ¹	212	165	193	187	172	175
Semi-urgent ¹	272	291	308	346	299	287
Non-urgent ²	322	349	362	287	318	303
Staged ³	9	10	13	9	2	7

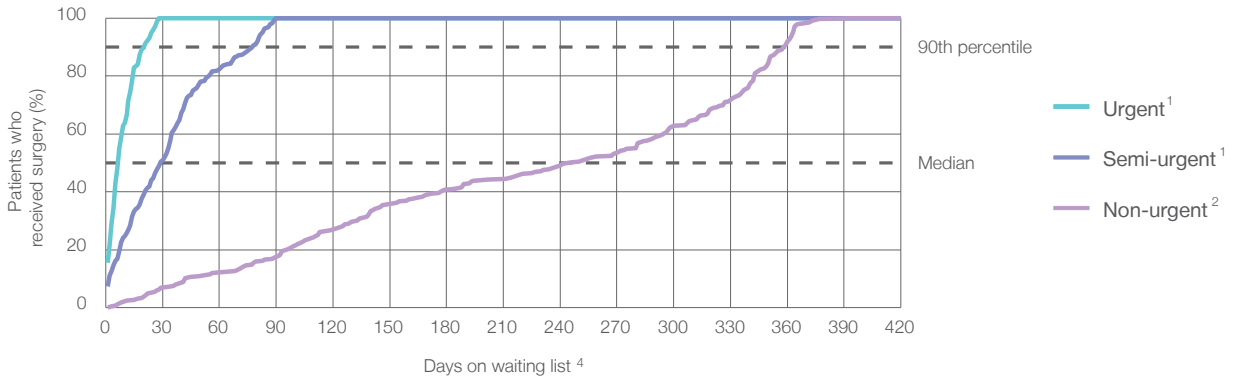
Sydney Children's Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended:	Percentage	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	100%	100%	100%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	100%	99.3%	99.3%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	97.7%	92.5%	93.8%

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: ¹ 175 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	5	6	5
90th percentile time to receive surgery	20	22	20
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 287 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	37	25	39
90th percentile time to receive surgery	77	71	80
3 Non-urgent: ² 303 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	192	177	184
90th percentile time to receive surgery	359	364	366

Sydney Children's 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

		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	* (5 patients)	14	54
Ear, nose and throat surgery	105 days (205 patients)	98	103
General surgery	19 days (239 patients)	22	19
Gynaecology	* (< 5 patients)	*	28
Medical	8 days (13 patients)	9	7
Neurosurgery	21 days (26 patients)	16	14
Ophthalmology	27 days (41 patients)	42	91
Orthopaedic surgery	55 days (92 patients)	71	52
Plastic surgery	70 days (69 patients)	77	56
Urology	21 days (80 patients)	33	26
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a

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

		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cataract extraction	* (< 5 patients)	*	*
Cholecystectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	*
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	12 days (22 patients)	39	18
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Hysteroscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	8 days (28 patients)	13	8
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	*	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	31 days (107 patients)	25	19
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Tonsillectomy	123 days (101 patients)	145	142
Total hip replacement	n/a (0 patients)	*	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

Sydney Children's Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 900 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 979 patients

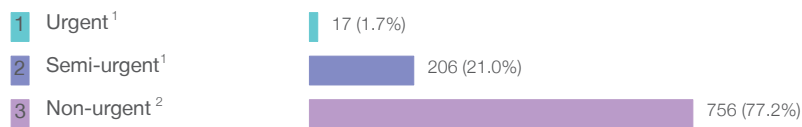
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 152 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	1,020	-11.8%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	1,017	-3.7%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	208	-26.9%

Sydney Children's Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 979 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	17	0.0%
Semi-urgent ¹	197	4.6%
Non-urgent ²	803	-5.9%

Sydney Children's Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery
as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 979 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	979	1,017	-3.7%
Cardiothoracic surgery	< 5	5	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	379	387	-2.1%
General surgery	218	248	-12.1%
Gynaecology	0	< 5	*
Medical	5	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	16	17	-5.9%
Ophthalmology	52	57	-8.8%
Orthopaedic surgery	134	119	12.6%
Plastic surgery	145	124	16.9%
Urology	29	55	-47.3%
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	< 5	< 5	*
Cholecystectomy	0	< 5	*
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	9	< 5	*
Haemorrhoidectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Hysteroscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	13	22	-40.9%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	8	6	33.3%
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	91	98	-7.1%
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	< 5	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	193	231	-16.5%
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	*
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Sydney Children's 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	< 5
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* Suppressed due to small numbers and to protect privacy. Relevant graphs are also suppressed.

< 5 Less than five patients. For measures by urgency category, counts are included in an adjacent category. Relevant graphs are also suppressed.

1. Excluding staged procedures.
2. Excluding staged procedures and cystoscopy.
3. Including non-urgent cystoscopy.
4. Excludes the total number of days the patient was coded as 'not ready for surgery'.
5. This is the number of days it took for half of patients who received elective surgery during the period to be admitted and receive their surgery. The other half took equal to or longer than the median to be admitted for surgery.
6. This is the number of days it took for 90% of patients who received elective surgery during the period to be admitted and receive their surgery. The final 10% of patients took equal to or longer than the 90th percentile.
7. The procedures included in this list are procedures which are high volume; some may be associated with long waiting periods. For a description of these procedures see *Elective Surgery Glossary of Common Procedures, December 2012*.
8. Includes staged procedures, non-urgent cystoscopy, and patients currently not available for personal reasons.

For more information: For details of methods, see the *Technical Supplement: Elective surgery measures, July to September 2016*.

Note: All percentages rounded to whole numbers and therefore percentages may not add to 100%.

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