

Healthcare Quarterly

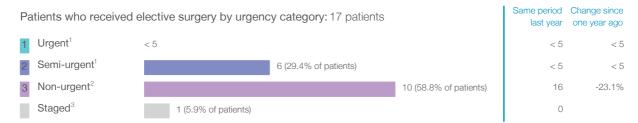
Performance Profiles

Elective Surgery

Illawarra Shoalhaven Local Health District

Milton and Ulladulla Hospital: Elective surgery performed

April to June 2017



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, April 2012 to June 2017



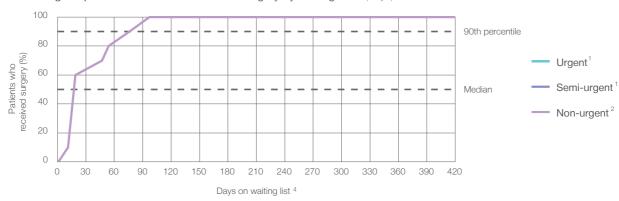
All categories	38	21	35	24	25	19	16	17
Urgent ¹	17	12	14	6	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5
Semi-urgent ¹	5	< 5	< 5	< 5	< 5	6	< 5	6
Non-urgent ²	16	9	21	18	25	12	16	10
Staged ³	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1

Milton and Ulladulla Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2017

Same period Peer group Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe (this period) last year Urgent 1 Recommended: 30 days 99.8% Semi-urgent¹ Recommended: 90 days 99.8% Non-urgent 2 Recommended: 365 days 100% 100% 99.3%

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



Waiting time (days) for people who received surgery by urgency ca	tegory Peer group (this period)	(same period last year)	(same period last year)	
1 Urgent: 1 < 5				
Median time to receive surgery *	13	*	12	
90th percentile time to receive surgery *	27	*	26	
2 Semi-urgent: 16 patients				
Median time to receive surgery *	39	*	35	
90th percentile time to receive surgery *	77	*	72	
3 Non-urgent: 2 10 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	174	27	193	
90th percentile time to receive surgery *	327	*	322	

Milton and Ulladulla Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2017

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon			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	127
General surgery	30 days (14 patients)	27	36
Gynaecology	* (< 5 patients)	*	32
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	49
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	183
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	114
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	191

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patie	nts who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	43
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	193
Cholecystectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	57
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	21
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Hysteroscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	28
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	n/a (0 patients)	*	64
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	29
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	80
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	312
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	154
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	198

Milton and Ulladulla Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list April to June 2017

April to June 2017		Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 10 patients	7	42.9%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 9 patients	3	200.0%
Patients not ready for surgery 8 on waiting list at end of quarter: 0 patients	1	-100.0%

Milton and Ulladulla Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th June 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 9 patients			Same period last year	Change since one year ago	
1	Urgent 1	0 (0%)		0	
2	Semi-urgent ¹	< 5		0	*
3	Non-urgent ²		9 (100%)	< 5	*

Milton and Ulladulla Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 9 patients

	As at 30 Jun 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
		-	*
All specialties	9	< 5	^
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	9	< 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 procedures ⁷

	As at 30 Jun 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	n/a
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Hysteroscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	0	< 5	n/a
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	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

Milton and Ulladulla Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2017

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

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

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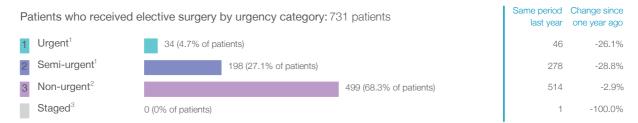
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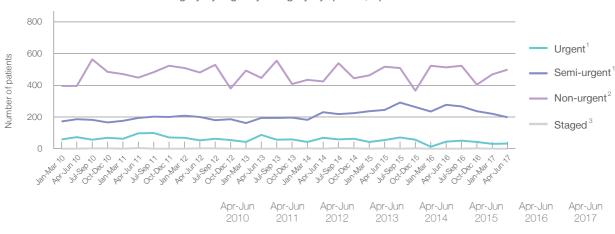
Source: Waiting List Collection On-Line System, NSW Health (extracted 18 July 2017.).

Shellharbour Hospital: Elective surgery performed

April to June 2017



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, April 2012 to June 2017



All categories	657	746	737	728	726	822	839	731
Urgent ¹	74	98	53	88	70	56	46	34
Semi-urgent ¹	187	194	201	194	231	245	278	198
Non-urgent ²	396	449	480	446	424	518	514	499
Staged ³	0	5	3	0	1	3	1	0

Shellharbour Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2017

Non-urgent 2

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

Same period last year (this period)

Urgent 1 Recommended: 30 days 100% 100% 99.8%

Semi-urgent 1 Recommended: 90 days 100% 100% 99.6%

100%

98.6%

98.6%

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



Waiting time (days) for people who red	eived surgery by urgency cate	∺(1OrV	Peer group (this period)	(same period last year)	(same period last year)	
1 Urgent: 1 34 patients						
Median time to receive surgery	14 days		14	15	15	
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*		27	*	28	
2 Semi-urgent: 1198 patients						
Median time to receive surgery	56 days		47	62	50	
90th percentile time to receive surgery	79 days		81	82	81	
3 Non-urgent: 2 499 patients						
Median time to receive surgery	3	306 days	257	315	267	
90th percentile time to receive surgery		342 days	351	350	348	

Shellharbour Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 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	125
General surgery	87 days (118 pa	atients)		64	42
Gynaecology	69 days (102 pati	ents)		52	41
Medical	n/a (0 patients)			n/a	8
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)			n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology			314 days (358 patients)	322	285
Orthopaedic surgery		230 days	s (73 patients)	216	168
Plastic surgery	45 days (80 patients))		67	42
Urology	n/a (0 patients)			n/a	29
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)			n/a	82

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patie	nts who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (5 patients)	*	103
Cataract extraction	315 days (342 patients)	322	285
Cholecystectomy	49 days (21 patients)	35	47
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	28
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (5 patients)	69	70
Hysteroscopy	65 days (40 patients)	29	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	140 days (44 patients)	58	73
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	* (8 patients)	*	19
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	66
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	308
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	89
Total hip replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	217
Total knee replacement	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	242
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	88

Shellharbour Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

April to June 2017		Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,686 patients	1,607	4.9%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,716 patients	1,646	4.3%
Patients not ready for surgery 8 on waiting list at end of quarter: 96 patients	74	29.7%

Shellharbour Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2017

April to June 2017

Р	atients ready for surgery on	waiting list by urgency category: 1,716 patie	nts	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1	Urgent 1	10 (0.6%)		10	0.0%
2	Semi-urgent ¹	133 (7.8%)		180	-26.1%
3	Non-urgent 2		1.573 (91.7%)	1 /56	8.0%

Shellharbour Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,716 patients

	As at 30 Jun 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,716	1,646	4.3%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	184	138	33.3%
Gynaecology	161	165	-2.4%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	1,114	1,080	3.1%
Orthopaedic surgery	222	210	5.7%
Plastic surgery	35	53	-34.0%
Urology	0	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 30 Jun 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	< 5	6	*
Cataract extraction	1,049	1,026	2.2%
Cholecystectomy	27	23	17.4%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	8	*
Hysteroscopy	61	57	7.0%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	70	58	20.7%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	< 5	< 5	*
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	< 5	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Shellharbour Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2017

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

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

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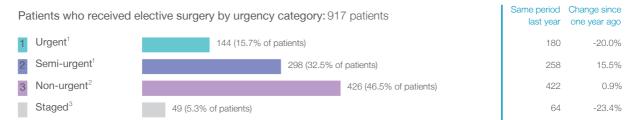
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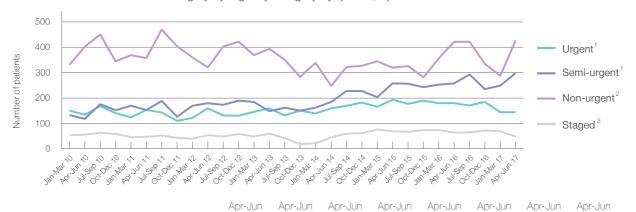
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Shoalhaven District Memorial Hospital: Elective surgery performed

April to June 2017



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, April 2012 to June 2017



All categories	710	710	712	761	636	841	924	917
Urgent ¹	134	153	159	159	159	194	180	144
Semi-urgent ¹	118	153	179	148	185	258	258	298
Non-urgent ²	402	357	321	394	247	320	422	426
Staged ³	56	47	53	60	45	69	64	49

2011

2010

2012

2013

2014

2015

2016

2017

Shoalhaven District Memorial Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery April to June 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

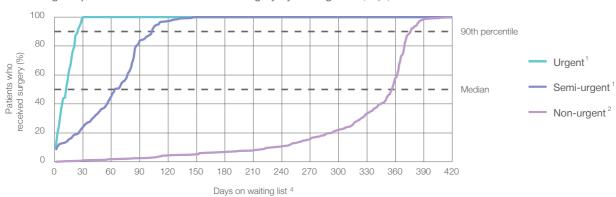
Same period last year (this period)

1 Urgent 1 Recommended: 30 days 100% 100% 99.9%

2 Semi-urgent 1 Recommended: 90 days 83.6% 89.9% 97.8%

3 Non-urgent 2 Recommended: 365 days 69.2% 76.8% 95.9%

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



Waiting time (days) for people who rece	ived surgery by urgency categor	y Peer group (this period)	(same period last year)	(same period last year)
1 Urgent: 1 144 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	13 days	14	12	13
90th percentile time to receive surgery	25 days	27	28	27
2 Semi-urgent: 1 298 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	64 days	49	70	50
90th percentile time to receive surgery	103 days	84	91	83
3 Non-urgent: 2 426 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	3	357 days 267	343	276
90th percentile time to receive surgery		376 days 358	387	358

This hospital

Peer group

Shoalhaven District Memorial Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery April to June 2017

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patier	Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon			
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery		270 days (66 patients)	335	247
General surgery	55 days (234 patients)		50	53
Gynaecology	33 days (124 patients)		42	48
Medical	n/a (0 patients)		*	23
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology		364 days (186 patients)	335	258
Orthopaedic surgery		317 days (99 patients)	369	215
Plastic surgery	84 days (117 patient	s)	81	83
Urology	75 days (91 patients)		27	40
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	21

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patie	nts who received elective surgery b	by common procedures ⁷	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	75 days (15 patients)		88	81
Cataract extraction		364 days (183 patients)	335	276
Cholecystectomy	48 days (53 patients)		66	59
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	75 days (36 patients)		62	30
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (7 patients)		*	64
Hysteroscopy	29 days (48 patients)		28	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	32	21 days (29 patients)	313	118
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)		*	307
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	24
Other - General	7 days (17 patients)		14	29
Prostatectomy	88 days (19 patients)		50	70
Septoplasty	* (8 patients)		359	316
Tonsillectomy	265 days	s (29 patients)	300	272
Total hip replacement	93 days (20 patients)		*	266
Total knee replacement		370 days (17 patients)	400	301
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	131

Shoalhaven District Memorial Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list April to June 2017

April to June 2017		Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,737 patients	1,739	-0.1%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,671 patients	1,649	1.3%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 225 patients	229	-1.7%

Shoalhaven District Memorial Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th June 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,671 patients

Same period last year one year ago

1 Urgent 1 20 (1.2%)

2 Semi-urgent 1 201 (12.0%)

Same period change since one year ago

24 -16.7%

1,450 (86.8%)

1,432

1.3%

Non-urgent²

Shoalhaven District Memorial Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th June 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,671 patients

	As at 30 Jun 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,671	1,649	1.3%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	322	203	58.6%
General surgery	214	239	-10.5%
Gynaecology	124	109	13.8%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	586	657	-10.8%
Orthopaedic surgery	201	197	2.0%
Plastic surgery	191	186	2.7%
Urology	33	58	-43.1%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 30 Jun 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	19	16	18.8%
Cataract extraction	579	641	-9.7%
Cholecystectomy	29	45	-35.6%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	9	12	-25.0%
Haemorrhoidectomy	11	13	-15.4%
Hysteroscopy	25	12	108.3%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	62	66	-6.1%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	8	7	14.3%
Myringotomy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Other - General	< 5	< 5	*
Prostatectomy	5	16	-68.8%
Septoplasty	44	34	29.4%
Tonsillectomy	109	75	45.3%
Total hip replacement	41	30	36.7%
Total knee replacement	76	83	-8.4%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Shoalhaven District Memorial Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th June 2017

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

	As at 30 Jun 2017 Same time last ye	
All procipities	0	0
All specialties	U	U

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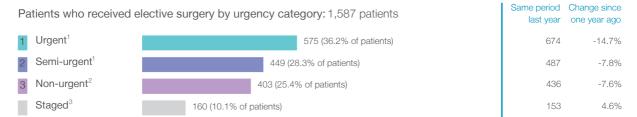
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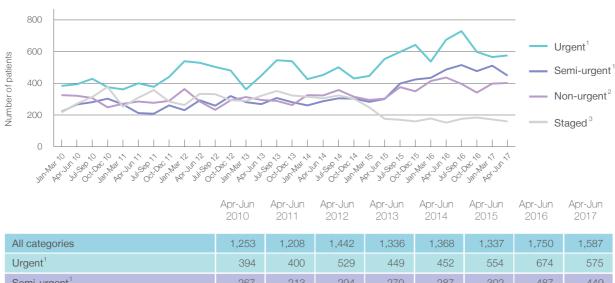
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Wollongong Hospital: Elective surgery performed

April to June 2017

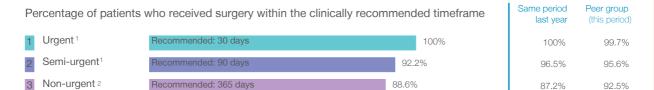


Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, April 2012 to June 2017



Wollongong Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2017



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



Waiting time (days) for people who rece	ived surgery by urgency category	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent: 1 575 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	12 days	10	11	10
90th percentile time to receive surgery	28 days	26	28	26
2 Semi-urgent: 1 449 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	55 days	42	60	42
90th percentile time to receive surgery	87 days	84	89	84
3 Non-urgent: 2 403 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	348	3 days 197	343	179
90th percentile time to receive surgery	3	68 days 362	369	358

Wollongong Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

April to June 2017

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patient	nts who received elective surger	y by specialty of surgeon	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	27
Ear, nose and throat surgery		325 days (301 patients)	251	190
General surgery	17 days (237 patients)		20	28
Gynaecology	33 days (88 patients)		26	31
Medical	n/a (0 patients)		*	19
Neurosurgery	28 days (92 patients)		51	46
Ophthalmology	* (< 5 patients)		n/a	132
Orthopaedic surgery	75 days (331 patients)		38	80
Plastic surgery	54 days (25 patients)		33	23
Urology	30 days (353 patients)		30	33
Vascular surgery	21 days (158 patients)		25	20

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patie	nts who received elective surgery l	by common procedures ⁷	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (7 patients)		75	53
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	165
Cholecystectomy	57 days (14 patients)		57	45
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	24
Cystoscopy	29 days (150 patients)		29	32
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)		*	71
Hysteroscopy	36 days (36 patients)		25	32
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (5 patients)		*	64
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (5 patients)		*	312
Myringotomy	* (< 5 patients)		*	87
Other - General	15 days (40 patients)		18	17
Prostatectomy	69 days (30 patients)		78	64
Septoplasty		358 days (36 patients)	344	344
Tonsillectomy		348 days (127 patients)	334	303
Total hip replacement		326 days (41 patients)	317	141
Total knee replacement		343 days (76 patients)	347	264
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)		*	79

Wollongong Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

April to June 2017	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 2,044 patients	2,057	-0.6%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 2,065 patients	2,019	2.3%
Patients not ready for surgery 8 on waiting list at end of quarter: 481 patients	443	8.6%

Wollongong Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2017

Non-urgent²

April to June 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 2,065 patients Same period Change since last year one year ago Urgent 1 76 (3.7%) -27.6% 105 Semi-urgent¹ 345 (16.7%) -7.8% 374

1,644 (79.6%)

1,540

6.8%

Wollongong Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 2,065 patients

	As at 30 Jun 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	2,065	2,019	2.3%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	697	710	-1.8%
General surgery	110	146	-24.7%
Gynaecology	157	98	60.2%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	66	80	-17.5%
Ophthalmology	0	< 5	*
Orthopaedic surgery	709	659	7.6%
Plastic surgery	29	25	16.0%
Urology	264	256	3.1%
Vascular surgery	33	44	-25.0%

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 30 Jun 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	35	21	66.7%
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	12	21	-42.9%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	93	81	14.8%
Haemorrhoidectomy	0	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	43	13	230.8%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	5	12	-58.3%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	27	21	28.6%
Myringotomy	0	< 5	*
Other - General	22	21	4.8%
Prostatectomy	43	41	4.9%
Septoplasty	132	103	28.2%
Tonsillectomy	366	356	2.8%
Total hip replacement	155	130	19.2%
Total knee replacement	337	275	22.5%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	< 5	< 5	*

Wollongong Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th June 2017

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

	As at 30 Jun 2017 Same time last ye	
All specialties	9	< 5

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

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

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

Source: Waiting List Collection On-Line System, NSW Health (extracted 18 July 2017.).