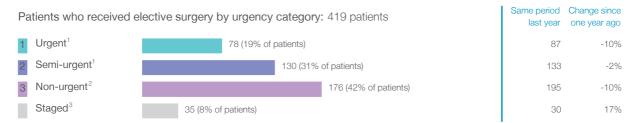
Bathurst Health Service: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2018



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2013 to March 2018



All categories	394	401	357	440	357	402	397	445	419
Urgent ¹	96	97	77	84	82	79	80	87	78
Semi-urgent ¹	111	131	133	155	133	141	124	133	130
Non-urgent ²	160	132	131	170	114	159	173	195	176
Staged ³	27	41	16	31	28	23	20	30	35

Bathurst Health Service: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2018

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% 98.9% 100%

Semi-urgent 1 Recommended: 90 days 98.5% 98.5% 98.1%

100%

100%

97.4%

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

Recommended: 365 days



Waiting time (days) for people who rece	eived surgery by urgency ca	tegory	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)	
1 Urgent: 1 78 patients						
Median time to receive surgery	16 days		13	13	13	
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*		27	*	26	
2 Semi-urgent: 1 130 patients						
Median time to receive surgery	55 days		52	53	50	
90th percentile time to receive surgery	85 days		84	84	83	
3 Non-urgent: 2 176 patients						
Median time to receive surgery		313 days	247	269	254	
90th percentile time to receive surgery		360 days	352	351	351	

Bathurst Health Service: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2018

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patien	ts who received elective	e surger	y 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	97 days (61 pat	tients)		86	101
General surgery	28 days (134 patients)			36	50
Gynaecology	49 days (60 patients)			62	52
Medical	n/a (0 patients)			n/a	11
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)			n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology		236 day:	s (37 patients)	203	279
Orthopaedic surgery			319 days (99 patients)	216	179
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)			n/a	57
Urology	46 days (28 patients)			28	39
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)			n/a	85

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patier	its who received electiv	re surgery by common procedures 7	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (< 5 patients)		*	87
Cataract extraction		236 days (33 patients)	205	281
Cholecystectomy	75 days (18 patie	ents)	41	52
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	* (9 patients)		*	32
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)		*	77
Hysteroscopy	* (6 patients)		*	43
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (6 patients)		289	82
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)		n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	*
Other - General	* (6 patients)		*	33
Prostatectomy	* (< 5 patients)		*	84
Septoplasty	* (< 5 patients)		*	251
Tonsillectomy	105 days (39	patients)	302	119
Total hip replacement		304 days (22 patients)	130	259
Total knee replacement		336 days (36 patients)	258	294
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)		*	104

More information is available on BHI's interactive portal at www.bhi.nsw.gov.au/healthcare_observer

Bathurst Health Service: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2018

January to March 2018		Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 783 patients	763	3%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 868 patients	823	5%
Patients not ready for surgery 8 on waiting list at end of quarter: 91 patients	87	5%

Bathurst Health Service: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2018

Patients ready for surgery	on waiting list by urgency category: 868 p	atients	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent 1	23 (2.6%)		28	-18%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	109 (12.6%)		100	9%
3 Non-urgent ²		736 (84.8%)	695	6%

Bathurst Health Service: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2018

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 868 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	868	823	5%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	160	149	7%
General surgery	174	174	0%
Gynaecology	64	85	-25%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	145	102	42%
Orthopaedic surgery	324	302	7%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	< 5	11	*
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	< 5	14	*
Cataract extraction	138	97	42%
Cholecystectomy	19	18	6%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	< 5	< 5	*
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	19	28	-32%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	*
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	12	< 5	*
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	*
Septoplasty	11	8	38%
Tonsillectomy	130	118	10%
Total hip replacement	88	67	31%
Total knee replacement	128	122	5%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	< 5	5	*

Bathurst Health Service: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2018

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

	As at 31 Mar 2018 Same time la	
All specialties	0	< 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,* January to March 2018.

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 13 April 2018.).