

Healthcare Quarterly

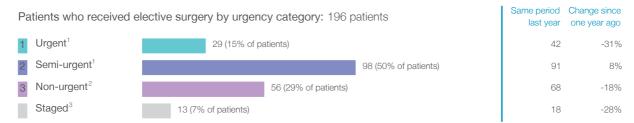
Performance Profiles

Elective Surgery

Northern NSW Local Health District

Ballina District Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2018



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



All categories	120	134	130	150	170	194	180	219	196
Urgent ¹	21	30	31	29	44	35	28	42	29
Semi-urgent ¹	44	58	62	70	73	84	72	91	98
Non-urgent ²	49	38	27	39	36	52	62	68	56
Staged ³	6	8	10	12	17	23	18	18	13

Ballina District Hospital: 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)

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

2 Semi-urgent 1 Recommended: 90 days 99.0% 98.9% 98.9%

100%

97.1%

99.0%

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



Waiting time (days) for people who received	Peer group (this period)	(same period last year)	(same period last year)	
1 Urgent: 1 29 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	9 days	12	14	13
90th percentile time to receive surgery *		26	*	25
2 Semi-urgent: 198 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	48 days	41	53	41
90th percentile time to receive surgery *		77	*	77
3 Non-urgent: 2 56 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	230 days	160	224	179
90th percentile time to receive surgery *		322	*	329

Ballina District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2018

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	61 days (12 patier	nts)	75	197
General surgery	42 days (111 patient	s)	51	42
Gynaecology	55 days (22 patien	ts)	46	35
Medical	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	19
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	179
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	100
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Urology	61 days (21 patier	nts)	74	39
Vascular surgery		226 days (30 patients)	221	220

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷				Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	52
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	185
Cholecystectomy	* (< 5 patients)		*	57
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	48 days (14 patients)		49	34
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)		*	48
Hysteroscopy	21 days (10 patients)		34	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	47 days (13 patients)		70	61
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)		n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	40
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	64
Septoplasty	* (< 5 patients)		*	127
Tonsillectomy	* (< 5 patients)		*	282
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		226 days (30 patients)	225	207

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Ballina District Hospital: 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: 270 patients	244	11%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 289 patients	365	-21%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of guarter: 126 patients	122	3%

Ballina District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 289 patients

1 Urgent 1	11 (3.8%)		
2 Semi-urgent ¹		98 (33.9%)	
3 Non-urgent ²			180 (62.3%)

	Change since one year ago
8	38%
122	-20%
235	-23%

Ballina District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2018

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 289 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	289	365	-21%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	15	50	-70%
General surgery	155	189	-18%
Gynaecology	23	34	-32%
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	28	28	0%
Vascular surgery	68	64	6%

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	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	< 5	9	*
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	< 5	5	*
Haemorrhoidectomy	6	6	0%
Hysteroscopy	0	6	-100%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	20	32	-38%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	< 5	< 5	*
Myringotomy	0	< 5	*
Other - General	0	< 5	n/a
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	< 5	14	*
Tonsillectomy	< 5	23	*
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	66	63	5%

Ballina District Hospital: 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 last year
All specialties	0	0

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- 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.
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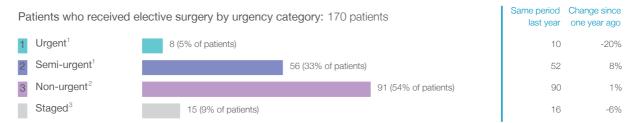
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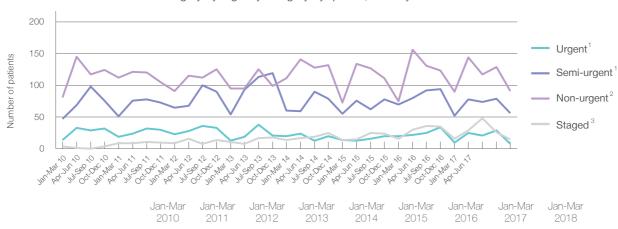
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Casino & District Memorial Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2018



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

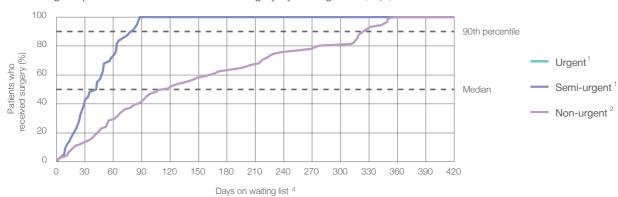


All categories	146	191	188	173	205	156	181	168	170
Urgent ¹	14	19	23	13	20	14	20	10	8
Semi-urgent ¹	47	51	65	54	60	55	70	52	56
Non-urgent ²	81	112	91	95	111	73	75	90	91
Staged ³	4	9	9	11	14	14	16	16	15

Casino & District Memorial Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery January to March 2018

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe					Peer group (this period)
1	Urgent 1	Recommended: 30 days *		100%	100%
2	Semi-urgent ¹	Recommended: 90 days	100%	100%	98.9%
3	Non-urgent 2	Recommended: 365 days	100%	97.8%	99.0%

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



Waiting time (days) for people who received surgery by urgency ca	Regory Peer group (this period)	(same period last year)	(same period last year)	
1 Urgent: 1 8 patients				
Median time to receive surgery *	12	8	13	
90th percentile time to receive surgery *	26	*	25	
2 Semi-urgent: 156 patients				
Median time to receive surgery 43 days	41	38	41	
90th percentile time to receive surgery *	77	*	77	
3 Non-urgent: 2 91 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	160	103	179	
90th percentile time to receive surgery *	322	*	329	

Casino & District Memorial Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery January to March 2018

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patier	nts 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	197
General surgery	50 days (22 patients)	55	42
Gynaecology	30 days (42 patients)	39	35
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	19
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	179
Orthopaedic surgery	104 days (88 patients)	98	100
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	62 days (18 patients)	42	39
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	220

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patie	ents who received elective surgery by common procedures 7	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (7 patients)	*	52
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	185
Cholecystectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	57
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	42 days (14 patients)	30	34
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	48
Hysteroscopy	* (5 patients)	*	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (< 5 patients)	*	61
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Other - General	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	40
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	*	64
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	127
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	282
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	207

Same period Change since

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Casino & District Memorial Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list January to March 2018

	last year	one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 237 patients	231	3%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 274 patients	314	-13%
Patients not ready for surgery 8 on waiting list at end of guarter: 109 patients	100	9%

Casino & District Memorial Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2018

Pa	atients ready for surgery on	waiting list by urgency category: 274 pa	atients	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1	Urgent 1	6 (2.2%)		6	0%
2	Semi-urgent ¹	40 (14.6%)		34	18%
3	Non-urgent ²		228 (83.2%)	274	-17%

Casino & District Memorial Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2018

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 274 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	274	314	-13%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	41	42	-2%
Gynaecology	15	18	-17%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	207	248	-17%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	11	6	83%
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	< 5	*
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	9	< 5	*
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Hysteroscopy	< 5	< 5	*
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	10	12	-17%
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	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Casino & District Memorial Hospital: 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 last year
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All specialties	U	< 5

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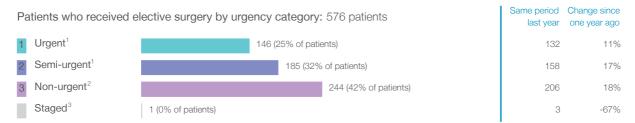
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Grafton Base Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2018



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



All categories	365	337	397	412	450	528	457	499	576
Urgent ¹	118	120	172	92	119	118	154	132	146
Semi-urgent ¹	158	100	135	145	145	181	122	158	185
Non-urgent ²	76	106	74	149	168	214	180	206	244
Staged ³	13	11	16	26	18	15	1	3	1

99.5%

97.4%

Grafton Base Hospital: 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% 100% 100%

Semi-urgent 1 Recommended: 90 days 100% 94.3% 98.1%

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



Waiting time (days) for people who rec	eived surgery by urgeno	cy category	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent: 1 146 patients					
Median time to receive surgery	9 days		13	13	13
90th percentile time to receive surgery	25 days		27	22	26
2 Semi-urgent: 1185 patients					
Median time to receive surgery	48 days		52	51	50
90th percentile time to receive surgery	77 days		84	85	83
3 Non-urgent: 2 244 patients					
Median time to receive surgery		257 days	247	218	254
90th percentile time to receive surgery		350 days	352	332	351

Grafton Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2018

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patier	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)		
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	* (8 patients)		78	101
General surgery	27 days (219 patients)		34	50
Gynaecology	53 days (71 patients)		37	52
Medical	* (5 patients)		*	11
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology		312 days (109 patients)	249	279
Orthopaedic surgery	82 days (164 patients)		43	179
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	57
Urology	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	39
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	85

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷				Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (7 patients)		*	87
Cataract extraction	317 days (10	2 patients)	249	281
Cholecystectomy	36 days (17 patients)		85	52
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	* (< 5 patients)		*	32
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (9 patients)		*	77
Hysteroscopy	27 days (15 patients)		30	43
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	49 days (17 patients)		50	82
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)		*	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)		*	*
Other - General	* (8 patients)		*	33
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	84
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	251
Tonsillectomy	* (5 patients)		*	119
Total hip replacement	173 days (19 patients)		231	259
Total knee replacement	222 days (33 patients)		208	294
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	104

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Grafton Base Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2018		Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 881 patients	743	19%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 829 patients	764	9%
Patients not ready for surgery 8 on waiting list at end of quarter: 157 patients	172	-9%

Grafton Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2018

January to March 2018

P	atients ready for surgery on	waiting list by urgency category:	829 patie	ents	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1	Urgent 1	30 (3.6%)			22	36%
2	Semi-urgent ¹	82 (9.9%)			111	-26%
3	Non-urgent ²			717 (86.5%)	631	14%

Grafton Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2018

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 829 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
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All specialties	829	764	9%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	17	20	-15%
General surgery	75	115	-35%
Gynaecology	41	68	-40%
Medical	< 5	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	475	397	20%
Orthopaedic surgery	220	164	34%
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 31 Mar 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	6	15	-60%
Cataract extraction	452	372	22%
Cholecystectomy	9	12	-25%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	9	*
Hysteroscopy	7	9	-22%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	11	16	-31%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	< 5	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	0	< 5	*
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	< 5	5	*
Tonsillectomy	< 5	5	*
Total hip replacement	48	28	71%
Total knee replacement	107	75	43%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	< 5	< 5	*

Grafton Base Hospital: 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 last year
All specialties	0	0

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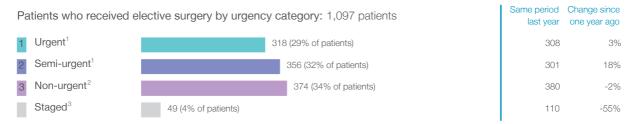
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Lismore Base Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2018



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



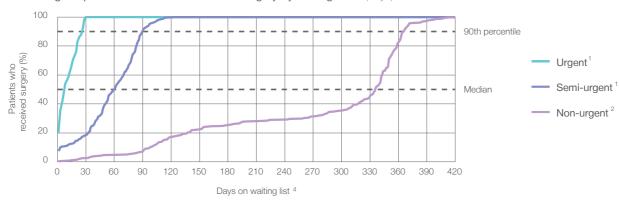
All categories	1,051	978	1,114	1,080	990	1,059	1,090	1,099	1,097
Urgent ¹	323	328	342	326	280	293	347	308	318
Semi-urgent ¹	363	285	348	375	315	358	347	301	356
Non-urgent ²	294	280	324	287	293	341	323	380	374
Staged ³	71	85	100	92	102	67	73	110	49

Lismore Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2018

Peer group (this period) Same period Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe last year Urgent 1 Recommended: 30 days 100% 99.7% 99.2% Semi-urgent¹ 90.4% 97.5% 99.0% Non-urgent 2 89.8% 94.7% 97.4%

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



Waiting time (days) for people who rec	eived surgery by urgency categor	y Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent: 1 318 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	8 days	13	7	13
90th percentile time to receive surgery	26 days	27	23	27
2 Semi-urgent: 1356 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	61 days	50	52	50
90th percentile time to receive surgery	90 days	85	84	84
3 Non-urgent: 2 374 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	330	6 days 274	330	266
90th percentile time to receive surgery		366 days 356	362	358

Lismore Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2018

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patient	s who received elective surgery b	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	76 days (69 patients)		78	270
General surgery	27 days (207 patients)		20	58
Gynaecology	41 days (136 patients)		33	51
Medical	* (< 5 patients)		n/a	16
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology		336 days (254 patients)	330	280
Orthopaedic surgery	13 days (202 patients)		68	199
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	76
Urology	56 days (156 patients)		27	42
Vascular surgery	20 days (69 patients)		19	23

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patier	ts who received elective surgery t	by common procedures 7	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	75 days (14 patients)		91	82
Cataract extraction		340 days (225 patients)	332	287
Cholecystectomy	64 days (22 patients)		29	67
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	49 days (87 patients)		22	30
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)		*	77
Hysteroscopy	29 days (46 patients)		31	41
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	64 days (16 patients)		63	116
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)		n/a	337
Myringotomy	* (< 5 patients)		*	86
Other - General	24 days (14 patients)		*	29
Prostatectomy	91 days (19 patients)		64	76
Septoplasty	* (< 5 patients)		*	321
Tonsillectomy	109 days (25 patients)		*	297
Total hip replacement		327 days (29 patients)	336	242
Total knee replacement		358 days (45 patients)	343	301
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	90 days (14 patients)		99	99

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Lismore Base Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2018		Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,829 patients	1,553	18%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,934 patients	1,650	17%
Patients not ready for surgery 8 on waiting list at end of quarter: 377 patients	296	27%

Lismore Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2018

January to March 2018

Pa	atients ready for surgery on	waiting list by urgency category: 1,934 p	atients	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1	Urgent 1	49 (2.5%)		35	40%
2	Semi-urgent ¹	227 (11.7%)		205	11%
3	Non-urgent ²		1,658 (85.7%)	1,410	18%

Lismore Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2018

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,934 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,934	1,650	17%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	87	78	12%
General surgery	157	111	41%
Gynaecology	87	75	16%
Medical	< 5	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	987	920	7%
Orthopaedic surgery	454	361	26%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	105	75	40%
Vascular surgery	56	29	93%

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	23	21	10%
Cataract extraction	886	830	7%
Cholecystectomy	20	18	11%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	31	19	63%
Haemorrhoidectomy	10	8	25%
Hysteroscopy	21	5	320%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	22	14	57%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	< 5	< 5	*
Myringotomy	< 5	< 5	*
Other - General	8	< 5	n/a
Prostatectomy	34	20	70%
Septoplasty	8	12	-33%
Tonsillectomy	45	45	0%
Total hip replacement	124	86	44%
Total knee replacement	230	208	11%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	22	14	57%

Lismore Base Hospital: 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 last	
All specialties	23	< 5

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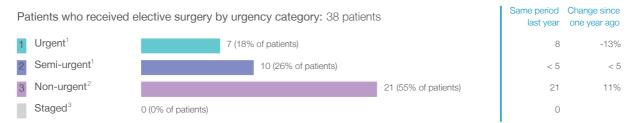
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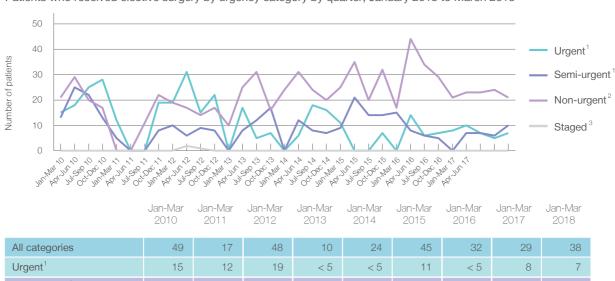
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Maclean District Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2018



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



Maclean District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2018

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

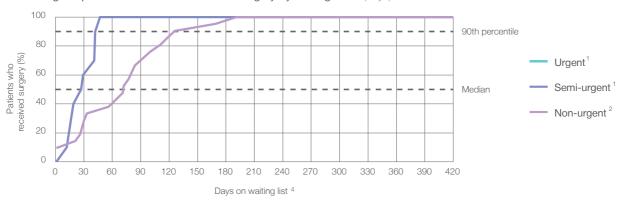
Same period last year (this period)

Urgent 1 Recommended: 30 days * 100%

Semi-urgent 1 Recommended: 90 days 100%

Non-urgent 2 Recommended: 365 days 100% 100% 99.0%

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)	(same period last year)	(same period last year)	
1 Urgent: 1 7 patients				
Median time to receive surgery *	12	*	13	
90th percentile time to receive surgery *	26	*	25	
2 Semi-urgent: 110 patients				
Median time to receive surgery 28 days	41	*	41	
90th percentile time to receive surgery *	77	*	77	
3 Non-urgent: ² 21 patients				
Median time to receive surgery 72 days	160	42	179	
90th percentile time to receive surgery *	322	*	329	

Maclean District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2018

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patient	s 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	197
General surgery	24 days (22 patients)	20	42
Gynaecology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	35
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	*	19
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	179
Orthopaedic surgery	75 days (14 patients)	39	100
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	39
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	220

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	52
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	185
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	34
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	48
Hysteroscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	61
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	40
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	64
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	127
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	282
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	207

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Maclean District Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

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January to March 2018			

	last year	one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 23 patients	15	53%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 23 patients	17	35%
Patients not ready for surgery 8 on waiting list at end of quarter: 0 patients	4	-100%

Maclean District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 23 patients

1 Urgent 1	0 (0%)	
2 Semi-urgent ¹	5 (21.7%)	
3 Non-urgent ²		18 (78.3%)

Same period	Change since
last year	one year ago
0	
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< 5	
17	13%

Same period Change since

Maclean District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2018

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 23 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	23	17	35%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	11	< 5	*
Gynaecology	0	0	n/a
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	12	16	-25%
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 31 Mar 2018	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

Maclean District Hospital: 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 last	
All apparately	0	0
All specialties	Ü	Ü

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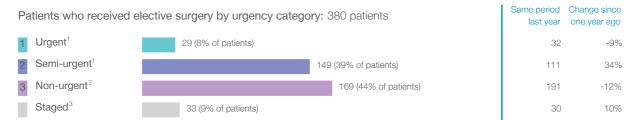
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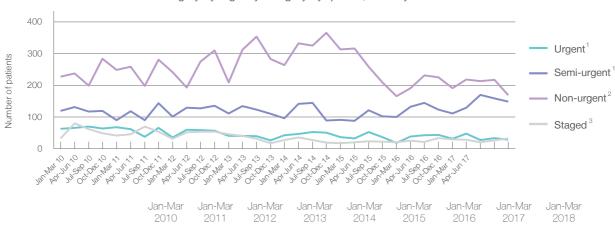
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Murwillumbah District Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2018



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



All categories	442	448	410	407	431	459	306	364	380
Urgent ¹	63	68	36	41	43	37	19	32	29
Semi-urgent ¹	119	90	101	111	96	91	100	111	149
Non-urgent ²	227	248	241	209	264	313	166	191	169
Staged ³	33	42	32	46	28	18	21	30	33

Murwillumbah District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery January to March 2018

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	100%	100%	100%
2	Semi-urgent ¹	Recommended: 90 days	100%	100%	98.1%
3	Non-urgent 2	Recommended: 365 days	99.4%	1000/	07.40/

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



Waiting time (days) for people who rece	vived surgery by urgency cat	tegory	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent: 1 29 patients					
Median time to receive surgery	16 days		13	11	13
90th percentile time to receive surgery *	k		27	*	26
2 Semi-urgent: 1149 patients					
Median time to receive surgery	55 days		52	63	50
90th percentile time to receive surgery	81 days		84	87	83
3 Non-urgent: 2 169 patients					
Median time to receive surgery		317 days	247	334	254
90th percentile time to receive surgery		354 days	352	361	351

Murwillumbah District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery January to March 2018

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patier	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)		
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery		237 days (15 patients)	189	101
General surgery	69 days (45 patien	ts)	81	50
Gynaecology	49 days (40 patients)		22	52
Medical	* (< 5 patients)		*	11
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	113 days (14	5 patients)	349	279
Orthopaedic surgery	125 days (6	64 patients)	71	179
Plastic surgery	55 days (20 patients	s)	69	57
Urology	34 days (47 patients)		26	39
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	85

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patie	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)	
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	87
Cataract extraction	132 days (136 patients)	349	281
Cholecystectomy	* (5 patients)	*	52
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	22 days (13 patients)	13	32
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	77
Hysteroscopy	47 days (11 patients)	18	43
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	143 days (14 patients)	159	82
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	*	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)	*	33
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	*	84
Septoplasty	* (5 patients)	*	251
Tonsillectomy	* (< 5 patients)	191	119
Total hip replacement	* (7 patients)	*	259
Total knee replacement	186 days (12 patients)	*	294
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	104

Same period Change since

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Murwillumbah District Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list January to March 2018

	last year	one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 789 patients	914	-14%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 838 patients	844	-1%
Patients not ready for surgery 8 on waiting list at end of quarter: 201 patients	174	16%

Murwillumbah District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 838 patients

Same period last year one year ago

1 Urgent 1 8 (1.0%)

Semi-urgent 1 102 (12.2%)

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To the period change since one year ago

728 (86.9%)

7 14%

81 26%

728 (86.9%)

756 -4%

Murwillumbah District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2018

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 838 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	838	844	-1%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	35	83	-58%
General surgery	101	77	31%
Gynaecology	23	20	15%
Medical	21	22	-5%
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	436	445	-2%
Orthopaedic surgery	178	161	11%
Plastic surgery	18	9	100%
Urology	26	27	-4%
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	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	416	424	-2%
Cholecystectomy	11	11	0%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	6	< 5	*
Haemorrhoidectomy	13	7	86%
Hysteroscopy	5	6	-17%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	41	44	-7%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	< 5	< 5	*
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	< 5	< 5	n/a
Prostatectomy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	10	22	-55%
Tonsillectomy	6	16	-63%
Total hip replacement	29	17	71%
Total knee replacement	59	53	11%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Murwillumbah District Hospital: 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 last year
All specialties	0	0

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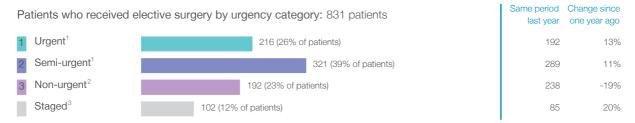
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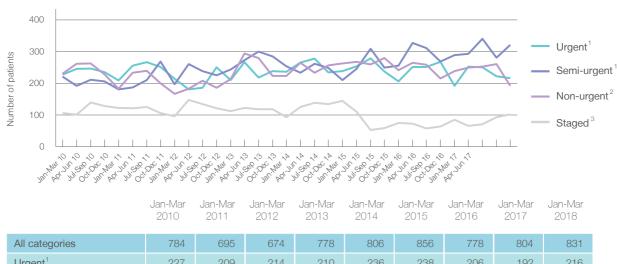
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The Tweed Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2018



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



All categories	784	695	674	778	806	856	778	804	831
Urgent ¹	227	209	214	210	236	238	206	192	216
Semi-urgent ¹	221	181	197	243	254	210	256	289	321
Non-urgent ²	230	183	167	213	223	263	241	238	192
Staged ³	106	122	96	112	93	145	75	85	102

Peer group

Peer group

This hospital

The Tweed Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery January to March 2018

Percentage of nationts who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

Р	Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe				(this period)
1	Urgent 1	Recommended: 30 days	100%	100%	99.2%
2	Semi-urgent ¹	Recommended: 90 days	98.1%	100%	97.5%
3	Non-urgent 2	Recommended: 365 days	96.4%	99.6%	97.4%

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



Waiting time (days) for people who red	Peer group (this period)	(same period last year)	(same period last year)	
1 Urgent: 1 216 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	9 days	13	14	13
90th percentile time to receive surgery	28 days	27	28	27
2 Semi-urgent: 1321 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	43 days	50	58	50
90th percentile time to receive surgery	85 days	85	85	84
3 Non-urgent: 2 192 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	297 days	274	264	266
90th percentile time to receive surgery	3	62 days 356	352	358

The Tweed Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2018

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patient	s 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	76 days (74 patients)	75	270
General surgery	24 days (229 patients)	30	58
Gynaecology	73 days (106 patients)	74	51
Medical	32 days (26 patients)	*	16
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	280
Orthopaedic surgery	72 days (174 patients)	88	199
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	76
Urology	13 days (216 patients)	27	42
Vascular surgery	* (6 patients)	*	23

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	306 days (13 patients)	258	82
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	287
Cholecystectomy	77 days (14 patients)	26	67
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	15 days (101 patients)	28	30
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (8 patients)	*	77
Hysteroscopy	65 days (43 patients)	52	41
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	83 days (29 patients)	228	116
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	337
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	86
Other - General	22 days (23 patients)	65	29
Prostatectomy	21 days (16 patients)	27	76
Septoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	321
Tonsillectomy	56 days (15 patients)	81	297
Total hip replacement	80 days (27 patients)	86	242
Total knee replacement	86 days (42 patients)	210	301
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	99

The Tweed Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2018		Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 857 patients	935	-8%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 885 patients	919	-4%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 474 patients	335	41%

The Tweed Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2018

January to March 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 885 patients

1 Urgent ¹	52 (5.9%)	
2 Semi-urgent ¹	193 (21.8%)	
3 Non-urgent ²		640 (72.3%)

	Change since one year ago	
41	27%	
169	14%	
709	-10%	

The Tweed Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2018

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 885 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	885	919	-4%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	197	187	5%
General surgery	219	216	1%
Gynaecology	125	159	-21%
Medical	23	10	130%
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	217	285	-24%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	104	61	70%
Vascular surgery	0	< 5	*

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	38	46	-17%
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	13	19	-32%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	33	20	65%
Haemorrhoidectomy	10	8	25%
Hysteroscopy	35	45	-22%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	46	52	-12%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	16	9	78%
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	14	16	-13%
Prostatectomy	23	11	109%
Septoplasty	27	31	-13%
Tonsillectomy	70	48	46%
Total hip replacement	37	47	-21%
Total knee replacement	70	76	-8%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

The Tweed Hospital: 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 last year	
All specialties	< 5	0

- * 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.).