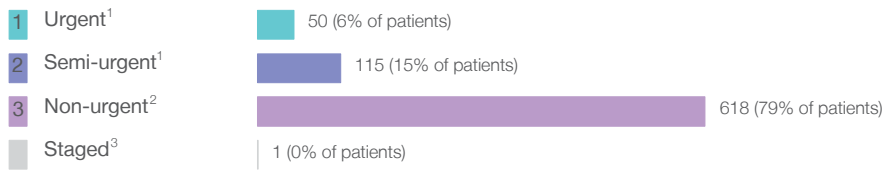


## Fairfield Hospital: Elective surgery performed

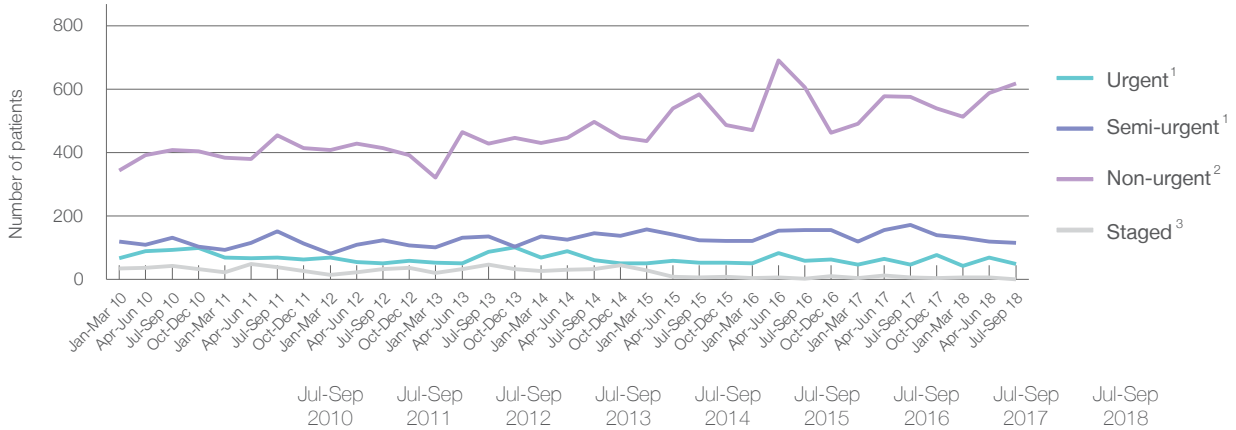
July to September 2018

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 784 patients



Urgency Category	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent <sup>1</sup>	48	4%
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	173	-34%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	575	7%
Staged <sup>3</sup>	6	-83%

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, July 2013 to September 2018



Urgency Category	Jul-Sep 2010	Jul-Sep 2011	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016	Jul-Sep 2017	Jul-Sep 2018
All categories	677	715	622	700	739	766	824	802	784
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	93	70	51	88	62	54	60	48	50
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	131	152	123	136	147	123	157	173	115
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	409	454	415	428	496	583	605	575	618
Staged <sup>3</sup>	44	39	33	48	34	6	2	6	1

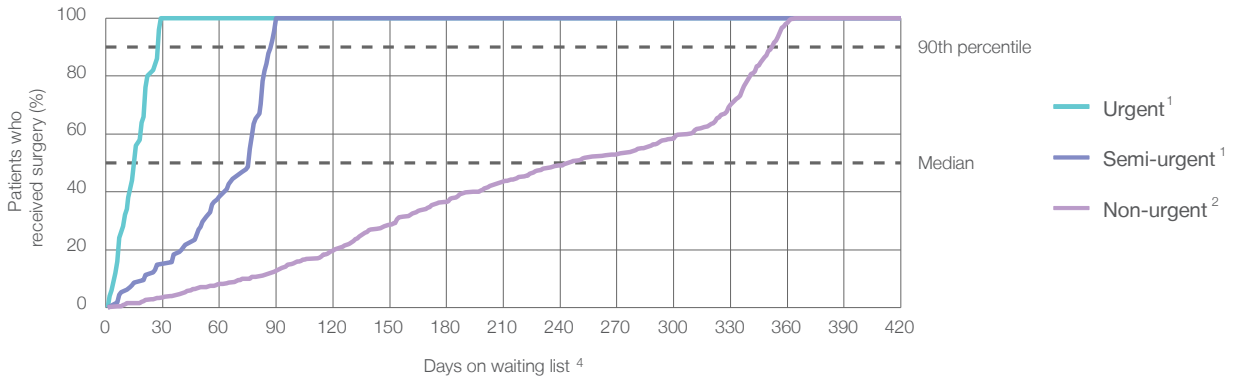
## Fairfield Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2018

### Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

Urgency Category	Recommended Timeframe	Percentage	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent <sup>1</sup>	Recommended: 30 days	100%	100%	99.8%
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	Recommended: 90 days	100%	99.4%	97.9%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	Recommended: 365 days	100%	99.8%	97.2%

### 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	90th percentile	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
<b>1 Urgent:</b> <sup>1</sup> 50 patients	16 days	*	14	14	13
<b>2 Semi-urgent:</b> <sup>1</sup> 115 patients	76 days	88 days	48	64	47
<b>3 Non-urgent:</b> <sup>2</sup> 618 patients	245 days	352 days	264	233	261

## Fairfield Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2018

Median <sup>5</sup> 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	17
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	293
General surgery	 129 days (203 patients)	84	49
Gynaecology	 83 days (160 patients)	78	49
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	*	27
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	244
Orthopaedic surgery	 286 days (336 patients)	235	177
Plastic surgery	 162 days (76 patients)	176	84
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	33
Vascular surgery	* (9 patients)	*	18

Median <sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures <sup>7</sup>		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (9 patients)	*	81
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	254
Cholecystectomy	 123 days (54 patients)	78	59
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	90	73
Hysteroscopy	 78 days (84 patients)	51	38
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	 203 days (41 patients)	119	97
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	311
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	60
Other - General	* (< 5 patients)	14	32
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	52
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	325
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	308
Total hip replacement	 311 days (49 patients)	254	246
Total knee replacement	 321 days (128 patients)	274	288
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	 343 days (10 patients)	331	153

### Fairfield Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,830 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,793 patients

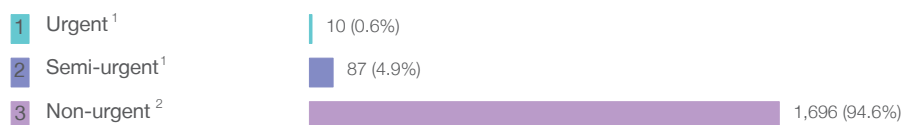
Patients not ready for surgery<sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter: 289 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	1,813	1%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	1,826	-2%
Patients not ready for surgery <sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter	270	7%

### Fairfield Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,793 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	11	-9%
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	104	-16%
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	1,711	-1%

**Fairfield Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery**  
as at 30th September 2018

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,793 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,793	1,826	-2%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	425	423	0%
Gynaecology	235	259	-9%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	990	929	7%
Plastic surgery	130	140	-7%
Urology	0	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	13	75	-83%

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures <sup>7</sup>

	As at 30 Sep 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	18	26	-31%
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	105	88	19%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	*
Haemorrhoidectomy	16	16	0%
Hysteroscopy	89	81	10%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	109	103	6%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	22	14	57%
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	156	156	0%
Total knee replacement	477	400	19%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	10	77	-87%

## Fairfield Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2018

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

As at 30 Sep 2018      Same time last year

	As at 30 Sep 2018	Same time last year
All specialties	0	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 12 October 2018.).