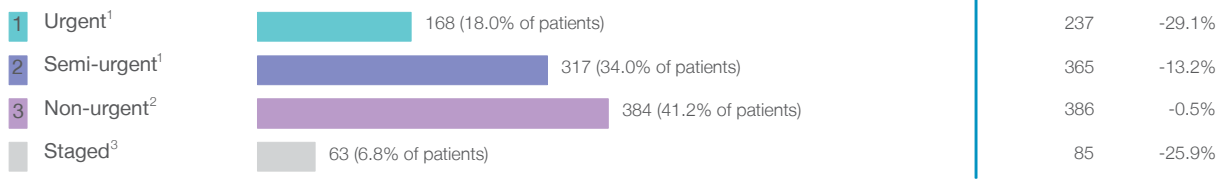


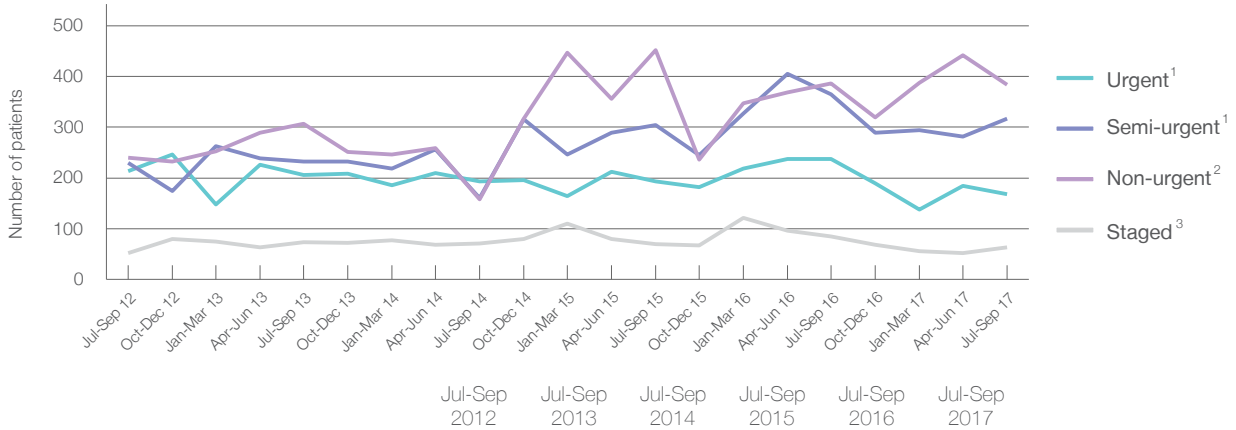
Port Macquarie Base Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 932 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, July 2012 to September 2017



Urgency Category	Jul-Sep 2012	Jul-Sep 2013	Jul-Sep 2014	Jul-Sep 2015	Jul-Sep 2016	Jul-Sep 2017
All categories	735	819	583	1,020	1,073	932
Urgent ¹	213	206	194	194	237	168
Semi-urgent ¹	230	232	160	304	365	317
Non-urgent ²	240	307	158	452	386	384
Staged ³	52	74	71	70	85	63

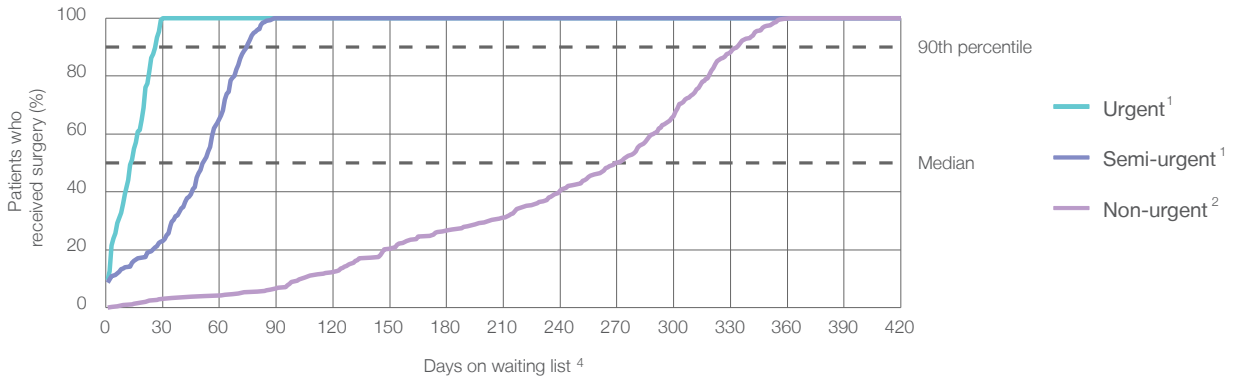
Port Macquarie Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended:		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent¹	30 days	100%	100%	99.9%
2 Semi-urgent¹	90 days	100%	98.1%	98.7%
3 Non-urgent²	365 days	100%	97.9%	98.4%

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: ¹ 168 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	14 days	13	15	12
90th percentile time to receive surgery	27 days	27	24	26
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 317 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	52 days	47	50	48
90th percentile time to receive surgery	75 days	83	76	82
3 Non-urgent: ² 384 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	270 days	261	289	272
90th percentile time to receive surgery	334 days	354	347	356

Port Macquarie Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 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	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	147 days (14 patients)	78	277
General surgery	34 days (197 patients)	36	52
Gynaecology	53 days (130 patients)	31	45
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	*	14
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	137 days (82 patients)	257	279
Orthopaedic surgery	281 days (227 patients)	274	185
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	83
Urology	59 days (201 patients)	57	41
Vascular surgery	19 days (78 patients)	19	20

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	126 days (12 patients)	63	84
Cataract extraction	130 days (48 patients)	265	287
Cholecystectomy	54 days (29 patients)	45	58
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	51 days (61 patients)	50	34
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	75
Hysteroscopy	26 days (37 patients)	22	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	125 days (24 patients)	286	93
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	289
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	55
Other - General	17 days (10 patients)	*	33
Prostatectomy	66 days (36 patients)	68	65
Septoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	320
Tonsillectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	295
Total hip replacement	290 days (35 patients)	294	255
Total knee replacement	302 days (81 patients)	309	294
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	n/a (0 patients)	*	123

Port Macquarie Base Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,213 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,228 patients

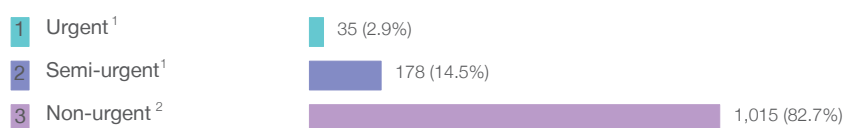
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 347 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	1,430	-15.2%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	1,369	-10.3%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	304	14.1%

Port Macquarie Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,228 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	24	45.8%
Semi-urgent ¹	165	7.9%
Non-urgent ²	1,180	-14.0%

Port Macquarie Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,228 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,228	1,369	-10.3%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	13	109	-88.1%
General surgery	185	151	22.5%
Gynaecology	90	111	-18.9%
Medical	< 5	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	109	193	-43.5%
Orthopaedic surgery	662	626	5.8%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	133	159	-16.4%
Vascular surgery	33	16	106.3%

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures⁷

	As at 30 Sep 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	11	14	-21.4%
Cataract extraction	60	155	-61.3%
Cholecystectomy	28	27	3.7%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	30	13	130.8%
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	7	*
Hysteroscopy	10	8	25.0%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	36	34	5.9%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	*
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	12	< 5	*
Prostatectomy	39	46	-15.2%
Septoplasty	0	10	-100.0%
Tonsillectomy	0	75	-100.0%
Total hip replacement	146	98	49.0%
Total knee replacement	233	232	0.4%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Port Macquarie Base 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.).