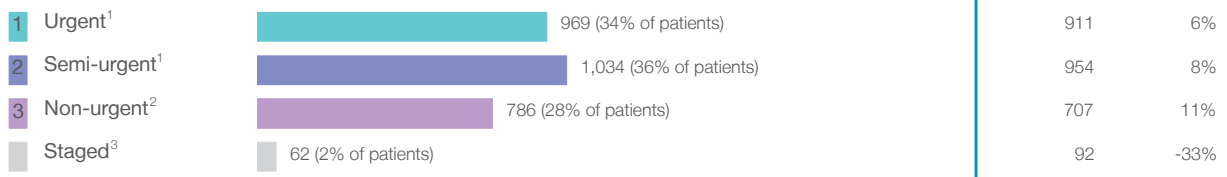


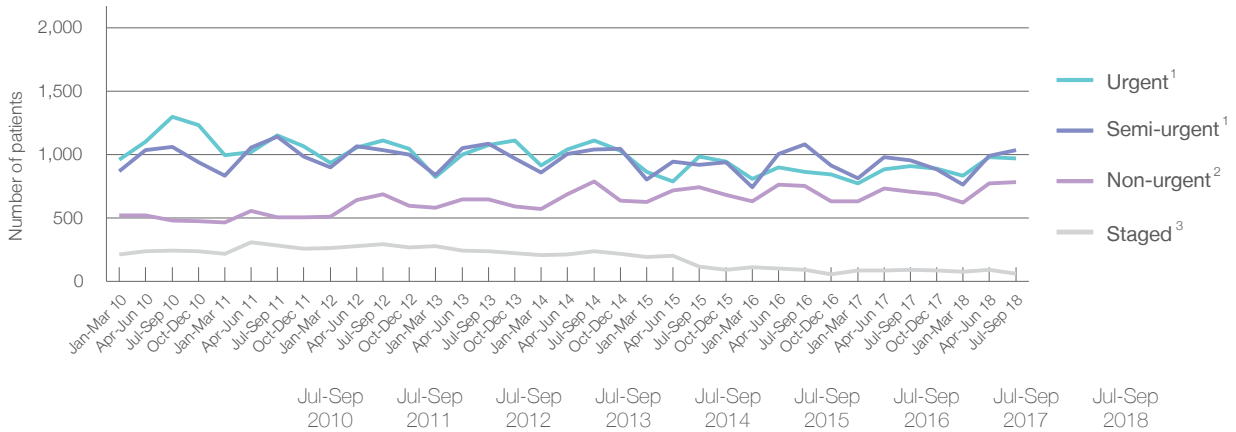
Royal Prince Alfred Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2018

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 2,851 patients



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



	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	3,087	3,090	3,123	3,049	3,181	2,762	2,792	2,664	2,851
Urgent ¹	1,300	1,153	1,110	1,074	1,113	983	865	911	969
Semi-urgent ¹	1,063	1,142	1,034	1,086	1,039	918	1,080	954	1,034
Non-urgent ²	479	508	686	650	788	744	754	707	786
Staged ³	245	287	293	239	241	117	93	92	62

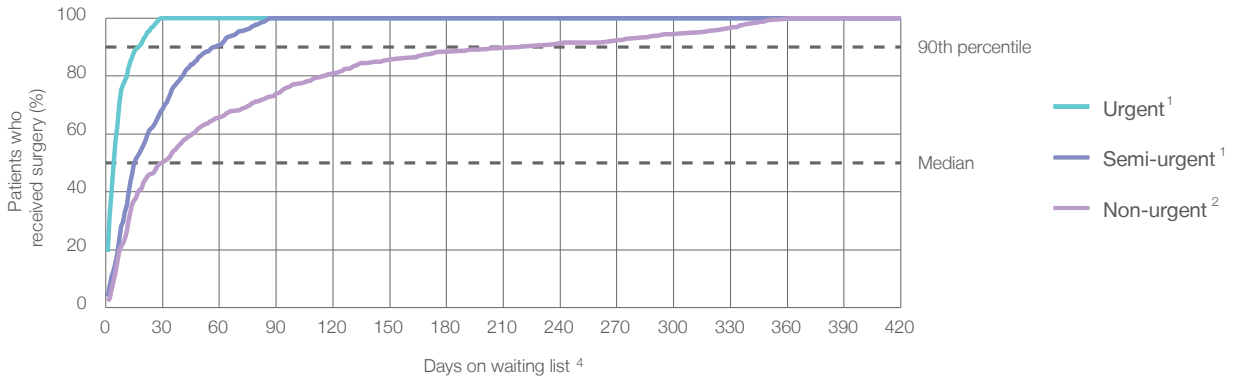
Royal Prince Alfred Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2018

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

Urgency Category	Recommended Timeframe	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	Recommended: 30 days	100%	99.8%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	Recommended: 90 days	100%	96.3%
3 Non-urgent ²	Recommended: 365 days	100%	94.1%

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 time to receive surgery	90th percentile time to receive surgery	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent: ¹ 969 patients	5 days	18 days	9	5	9
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 1,034 patients	16 days	58 days	42	16	41
3 Non-urgent: ² 786 patients	30 days	218 days	188	32	172

Royal Prince Alfred Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2018

Median⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by specialty of surgeon

		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	15 days (142 patients)	16	21
Ear, nose and throat surgery	87 days (139 patients)	136	169
General surgery	14 days (614 patients)	13	28
Gynaecology	7 days (652 patients)	7	29
Medical	13 days (68 patients)	8	16
Neurosurgery	13 days (141 patients)	10	45
Ophthalmology	21 days (155 patients)	10	124
Orthopaedic surgery	6 days (224 patients)	8	75
Plastic surgery	11 days (179 patients)	10	23
Urology	12 days (407 patients)	13	31
Vascular surgery	14 days (130 patients)	14	18

Median⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷

		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	8 days (16 patients)	*	46
Cataract extraction	23 days (139 patients)	10	162
Cholecystectomy	22 days (73 patients)	15	48
Coronary artery bypass graft	58 days (20 patients)	32	35
Cystoscopy	12 days (151 patients)	12	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	58
Hysteroscopy	14 days (161 patients)	13	31
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	21 days (56 patients)	26	73
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (5 patients)	*	328
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	94
Other - General	14 days (169 patients)	11	20
Prostatectomy	15 days (35 patients)	18	59
Septoplasty	275 days (19 patients)	312	320
Tonsillectomy	219 days (22 patients)	70	314
Total hip replacement	* (6 patients)	*	158
Total knee replacement	* (5 patients)	*	238
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	54 days (15 patients)	82	138

Royal Prince Alfred Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 752 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 990 patients

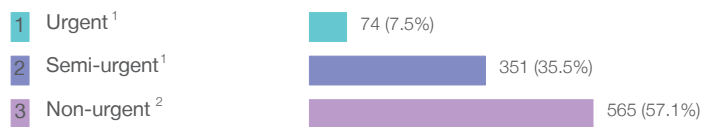
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 499 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	808	-7%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	1,062	-7%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	354	41%

Royal Prince Alfred Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 990 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	66	12%
Semi-urgent ¹	342	3%
Non-urgent ²	654	-14%

Royal Prince Alfred Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 30th September 2018

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 990 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	990	1,062	-7%
Cardiothoracic surgery	39	72	-46%
Ear, nose and throat surgery	238	303	-21%
General surgery	191	198	-4%
Gynaecology	110	129	-15%
Medical	38	9	322%
Neurosurgery	55	41	34%
Ophthalmology	45	35	29%
Orthopaedic surgery	50	37	35%
Plastic surgery	76	69	10%
Urology	98	137	-28%
Vascular surgery	50	32	56%

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 30 Sep 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Cataract extraction	38	27	41%
Cholecystectomy	30	23	30%
Coronary artery bypass graft	7	24	-71%
Cystoscopy	37	30	23%
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	5	*
Hysteroscopy	35	62	-44%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	33	31	6%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	15	10	50%
Myringotomy	< 5	< 5	*
Other - General	51	35	46%
Prostatectomy	7	19	-63%
Septoplasty	57	54	6%
Tonsillectomy	34	62	-45%
Total hip replacement	< 5	< 5	*
Total knee replacement	< 5	< 5	*
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	14	9	56%

Royal Prince Alfred 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.).