

# Hospital Quarterly

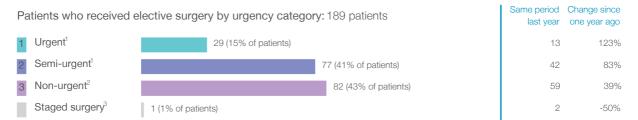
# Performance Profiles

**Elective Surgery** 

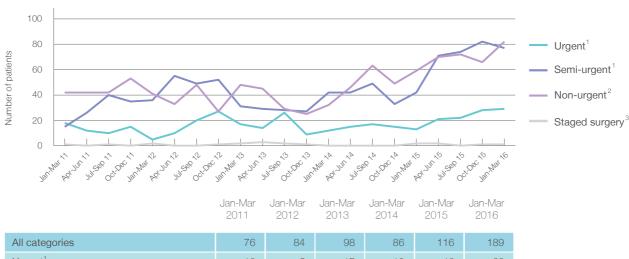
Nepean Blue Mountains Local Health District

# Blue Mountains District Anzac Memorial Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2016

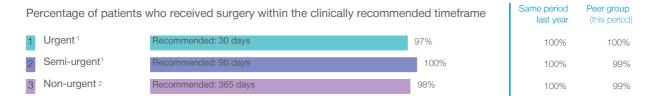


Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2011 to March 2016

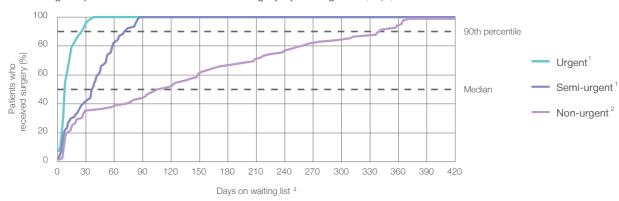


All categories	76	84	98	86	116	189
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	18	5	17	12	13	29
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	15	36	31	42	42	77
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	42	41	48	32	59	82
Staged surgery <sup>3</sup>	1	2	2	0	2	1

# **Blue Mountains District Anzac Memorial Hospital:** Time waited to receive elective surgery January to March 2016



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



Waiting time (days) for people who received surgery by urg	gency category Peer group (this period)	(same period last year)	(same period last year)	
1 Urgent:1 29 patients				
Median time to receive surgery 8 days	12	9	12	
90th percentile time to receive surgery *	26	*	25	
2 Semi-urgent: 177 patients				
Median time to receive surgery 38 days	38	8	40	
90th percentile time to receive surgery *	78	*	79	
3 Non-urgent: 2 82 patients				
Median time to receive surgery 110 days	204	56	189	
90th percentile time to receive surgery *	335	*	351	

# **Blue Mountains District Anzac Memorial Hospital:** Time waited to receive elective surgery January to March 2016

Median <sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patie	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	116
General surgery	19 days (118 patients)	13	31
Gynaecology	59 days (66 patients)	39	41
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	*	61
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	245
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	119
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Urology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	27
Vascular surgery	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	216

Median <sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patier	its who received elective surgery by common procedures <sup>7</sup>	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (8 patients)	*	53
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	253
Cholecystectomy	19 days (39 patients)	11	49
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	22
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	25
Hysteroscopy	42 days (23 patients)	19	36
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	21 days (16 patients)	*	55
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Other - General	14 days (21 patients)	8	21
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	232
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	115
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	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	213

### Blue Mountains District Anzac Memorial Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2016

Same period last year Change since one year ago

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 144 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 183 patients

52

252%

Patients not ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 15 patients

# **Blue Mountains District Anzac Memorial Hospital:** Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 183 patients

1 Urgent 1	< 5		
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>		57 (31%)	
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>			126 (69%)

Change since one year ago	1
*	< 5
489%	10
200%	42

### Blue Mountains District Anzac Memorial Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2016

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 183 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	183	52	252%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	116	35	231%
Gynaecology	65	17	282%
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	0	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	< 5	0	n/a

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

	As at 31 Mar 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hyptographysy	15	5	0000/
Abdominal hysterectomy			200%
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	42	14	200%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Hysteroscopy	16	5	220%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	23	10	130%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	11	< 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	< 5	< 5	n/a

# **Blue Mountains District Anzac Memorial Hospital:** Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2016

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

	As at 31 Mar 2016	Same time last year
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All specialties	< 5	< 5

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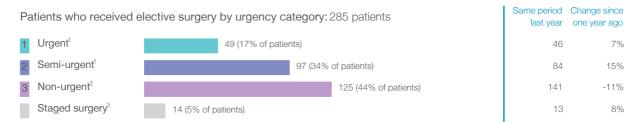
### Hawkesbury District Health Services: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2016

Semi-urgent

Non-urgent<sup>2</sup>

Staged surgery



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2011 to March 2016

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116

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53

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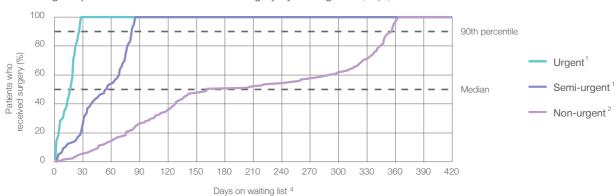
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# **Hawkesbury District Health Services:** Time waited to receive elective surgery January to March 2016

Same period Peer group Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe (this period) last year Urgent 1 100% 96% 100% Semi-urgent<sup>1</sup> 100% 99% 99% Non-urgent 2 Recommended: 365 days 100% 96% 99%

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



Waiting time (days) for people who rec	eived surgery by urgency categ	ory Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)	
1 Urgent: 1 49 patients					
Median time to receive surgery	17 days	14	12	13	
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	27	*	27	
2 Semi-urgent: 197 patients					
Median time to receive surgery	55 days	51	50	51	
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	83	*	83	
3 Non-urgent: 2 125 patients					
Median time to receive surgery	161 days	272	308	272	
90th percentile time to receive surgery		356 days 348	362	351	

# **Hawkesbury District Health Services:** Time waited to receive elective surgery January to March 2016

Median <sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patien	ts 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	* (8 patients)	28	166
General surgery	56 days (111 patients)	80	47
Gynaecology	41 days (51 patients)	20	46
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	4
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	* (7 patients)	*	309
Orthopaedic surgery	141 days (78 patients)	221	185
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	49
Urology	70 days (30 patients)	21	35
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*

Median <sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patie	nts who received elective sur	rgery by common procedures <sup>7</sup>	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (< 5 patients)		*	109
Cataract extraction	* (5 patients)		*	310
Cholecystectomy	35 days (21 patients)		69	47
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	31 days (10 patients)		21	34
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)		n/a	74
Hysteroscopy	26 days (25 patients)		19	39
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	118 days (21 patie	ents)	300	76
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	*
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	27
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	77
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	332
Tonsillectomy	* (7 patients)		36	201
Total hip replacement		271 days (12 patients)	210	215
Total knee replacement		329 days (16 patients)	332	282
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)		*	154

# **Hawkesbury District Health Services:** Elective surgery waiting list January to March 2016

January to March 2016		Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 446 patients	493	-10%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 479 patients	474	1%
Patients not ready for surgery <sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter: 36 patients	49	-27%

# **Hawkesbury District Health Services:** Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 479 patients

1	Urgent 1	16 (3%)	
2	Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	65 (14%)	
3	Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>		398 (83%)

Change since one year ago	
78%	9
-2%	66
0%	399

# **Hawkesbury District Health Services:** Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2016

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 479 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	479	474	1%
Cardiothoracic surgery	< 5	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	6	< 5	*
General surgery	142	190	-25%
Gynaecology	28	12	133%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	16	25	-36%
Orthopaedic surgery	274	240	14%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	12	< 5	*
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

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

	As at 31 Mar 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Cataract extraction	16	23	-30%
Cholecystectomy	32	48	-33%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	9	< 5	*
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	12	6	100%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	32	42	-24%
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	< 5	< 5	*
Total hip replacement	43	34	26%
Total knee replacement	99	94	5%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	< 5	< 5	*

# **Hawkesbury District Health Services:** Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2016

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

	As at 31 Mar 2016 Same time last ye	
All specialties	0	< 5

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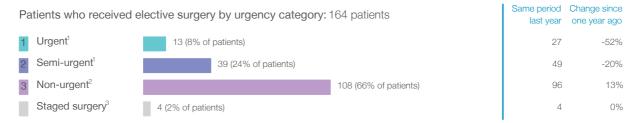
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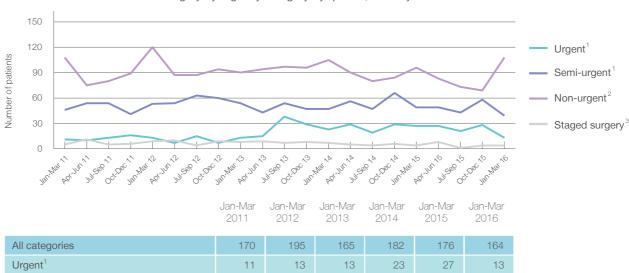
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### Lithgow Health Service: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2016



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2011 to March 2016



Same period

Peer group

# **Lithgow Health Service:** Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2016

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

				last year	(II IIS PERIOU)
1	Urgent 1	Recommended: 30 days	100%	100%	100%
2	Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	Recommended: 90 days	100%	100%	99%
3	Non-urgent 2	Recommended: 365 days	100%	100%	99%

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



Waiting time (days) for people who red	ceived surgery by urgency	y category	Peer group (this period)	(same period last year)	(same period last year)	
1 Urgent: 1 13 patients						
Median time to receive surgery	11 days		12	13	12	
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*		26	*	25	
2 Semi-urgent:139 patients						
Median time to receive surgery	45 days		38	49	40	
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*		78	*	79	
3 Non-urgent: 2 108 patients						
Median time to receive surgery		270 days	204	258	189	
90th percentile time to receive surgery		342 days	335	*	351	

# Lithgow Health Service: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2016

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	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery		133 days (27 patie	ents)	98	116
General surgery	27 days (29	patients)		50	31
Gynaecology	61 days	s (20 patients)		36	41
Medical		172 days (23	patients)	78	61
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)			n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology			298 days (58 patients)	279	245
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)			n/a	119
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)			n/a	n/a
Urology	* (7 patients)			*	27
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)			n/a	216

Median <sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patie	nts who receive	ed elective surgery by common procedures <sup>7</sup>	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (< 5 patients)		*	53
Cataract extraction		298 days (56 patients)	279	253
Cholecystectomy	n/a (0 patients)		*	49
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	* (< 5 patients)		*	22
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)		n/a	25
Hysteroscopy	* (< 5 patients)		n/a	36
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	* (6 patients)		*	55
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	*
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	21
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	*
Septoplasty	* (< 5 patients)		*	232
Tonsillectomy		136 days (12 patients)	98	115
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	213

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# Lithgow Health Service: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2016		Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 249 patients	241	3%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 218 patients	233	-6%
Patients not ready for surgery 8 on waiting list at end of quarter: 13 natients	10	-32%

# **Lithgow Health Service:** Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2016

January to March 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 218 patients

1 Urgent	< 5	
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	30 (14%)	
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>		188 (86%)

Change since	Same period
one year ago	last year
*	< 5
40/	00
4%	29
-8%	204

### **Lithgow Health Service:** Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2016

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 218 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	218	233	-6%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	50	36	39%
General surgery	19	32	-41%
Gynaecology	10	7	43%
Medical	27	33	-18%
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	111	124	-10%
Orthopaedic surgery	0	0	n/a
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	< 5	< 5	*
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

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

	As at 31 Mar 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	*
Cataract extraction	104	118	-12%
Cholecystectomy	< 5	8	*
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Hysteroscopy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	5	8	-38%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	0	< 5	n/a
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	6	< 5	*
Tonsillectomy	30	25	20%
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	*

#### **Lithgow Health Service:** Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2016

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

	As at 31 Mar 2016 Same time las	
All specialties	0	0

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### Nepean Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2016

Non-urgent<sup>2</sup>

Staged surgery 3



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2011 to March 2016



464

22

499

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# **Nepean Hospital:** Time waited to receive elective surgery January to March 2016

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

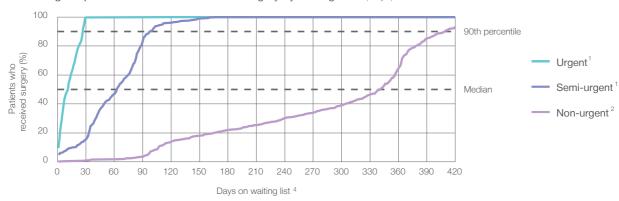
Same period last year (this period)

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

2 Semi-urgent 1 Recommended: 90 days 83% 98% 96%

3 Non-urgent 2 Recommended: 365 days 72% 95% 95%

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



Waiting time (days) for people who rec	eived surgery by urgency category	Peer group (this period)	(same period last year)	(same period last year)	
1 Urgent: 1 347 patients					
Median time to receive surgery	11 days	8	13	9	
90th percentile time to receive surgery	27 days	25	26	24	
2 Semi-urgent: 1 478 patients					
Median time to receive surgery	63 days	44	64	44	
90th percentile time to receive surgery	98 days	84	86	83	
3 Non-urgent: 2 555 patients					
Median time to receive surgery	341 days	176	314	171	
90th percentile time to receive surgery	409 da	ys 356	362	354	

# Nepean Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2016

Median <sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patier	ts who received elective surge	ery by specialty of surgeon	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	25 days (42 patients)		23	26
Ear, nose and throat surgery	2	280 days (189 patients)	258	124
General surgery	61 days (223 patients)		42	30
Gynaecology	79 days (183 patients)		78	29
Medical	n/a (0 patients)		*	22
Neurosurgery	136 days (72 patie	ents)	86	57
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	154
Orthopaedic surgery		338 days (245 patients)	245	90
Plastic surgery	28 days (145 patients)		21	28
Urology	81 days (283 patients)		61	35
Vascular surgery	13 days (37 patients)		14	20

Median <sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patient	nts who received elective surgery	y by common procedures <sup>7</sup>	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	92 days (13 patients)		190	41
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	169
Cholecystectomy	78 days (23 patients)		78	60
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	28
Cystoscopy	47 days (130 patients)		47	30
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (5 patients)		*	85
Hysteroscopy	29 days (74 patients)		32	34
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	29	93 days (17 patients)	247	78
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)		*	308
Myringotomy	80 days (17 patients)		133	80
Other - General	31 days (44 patients)		20	22
Prostatectomy	101 days (45 patients)		84	73
Septoplasty		351 days (23 patients)	324	328
Tonsillectomy		346 days (66 patients)	315	281
Total hip replacement		355 days (24 patients)	234	161
Total knee replacement		369 days (64 patients)	281	294
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)		*	106

Same period Change since last year one year ago

63

382 2,495 25%

16%

#### More information is available on BHI's interactive portal at www.bhi.nsw.gov.au/healthcare\_observer

# Nepean Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2016		Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 3,172 patients	2,828	12%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 3,092 patients	2,940	5%
Patients not ready for surgery 8 on waiting list at end of quarter: 405 patients	290	40%

### **Nepean Hospital:** Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2016

January to March 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 3,092 patients

1	Urgent 1	79 (3%)	
2	Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	443 (14%)	
3	Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>		2,570 (83%)

### Nepean Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2016

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 3,092 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	3,092	2,940	5%
Cardiothoracic surgery	10	16	-38%
Ear, nose and throat surgery	744	782	-5%
General surgery	434	404	7%
Gynaecology	317	343	-8%
Medical	10	14	-29%
Neurosurgery	172	139	24%
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	956	880	9%
Plastic surgery	132	116	14%
Urology	301	227	33%
Vascular surgery	16	19	-16%

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

	As at 31 Mar 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hystorestomy	45	65	-31%
Abdominal hysterectomy  Cataract extraction	0	< 5	-31% n/a
Cholecystectomy	50	50	0%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	118	53	123%
Haemorrhoidectomy	33	23	43%
Hysteroscopy	53	44	20%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	59	75	-21%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	9	16	-44%
Myringotomy	40	37	8%
Other - General	72	51	41%
Prostatectomy	60	71	-15%
Septoplasty	98	98	0%
Tonsillectomy	374	385	-3%
Total hip replacement	95	85	12%
Total knee replacement	267	246	9%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	5	8	-38%

### Nepean Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2016

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

	As at 31 Mar 2016 Same time last ye	
All specialties	124	32

- \* 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 2013.* 

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 15 April 2016).