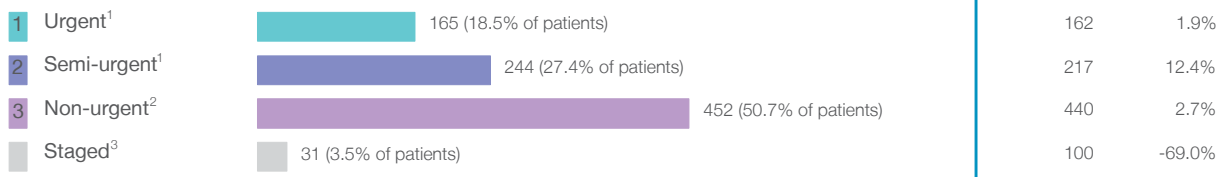


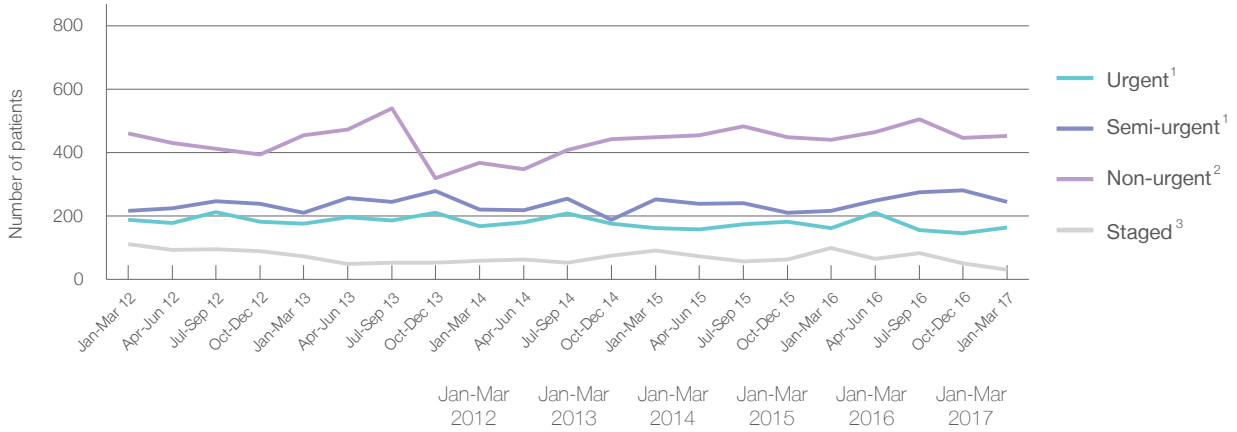
Coffs Harbour Base Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2017

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 892 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2012 to March 2017



	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Jan-Mar 2017
All categories	978	915	815	955	919	892
Urgent ¹	189	176	168	162	162	165
Semi-urgent ¹	216	211	221	252	217	244
Non-urgent ²	461	455	367	449	440	452
Staged ³	112	73	59	92	100	31

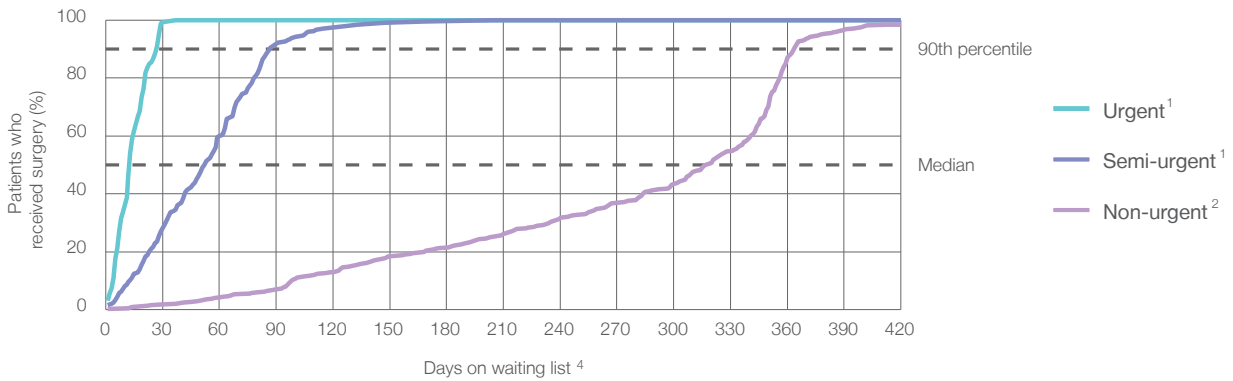
Coffs Harbour Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended: (days)	Percentage	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	99.4%	98.1%	99.7%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	91.8%	95.4%	97.1%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	91.6%	97.0%	95.9%

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



Waiting time (days) for people who received surgery by urgency category

	Waiting time (days)	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent: ¹ 165 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	13 days	13	18	13
90th percentile time to receive surgery	27 days	27	27	27
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 244 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	53 days	50	56	51
90th percentile time to receive surgery	87 days	84	87	85
3 Non-urgent: ² 452 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	318 days	266	313	273
90th percentile time to receive surgery	364 days	358	356	358

Coffs Harbour Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2017

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

Specialty	Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Cardiothoracic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	234 days (133 patients)	266	247
General surgery	60 days (191 patients)	62	62
Gynaecology	50 days (133 patients)	72	49
Medical	48 days (18 patients)	15	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	287
Orthopaedic surgery	338 days (224 patients)	315	236
Plastic surgery	68 days (11 patients)	*	81
Urology	42 days (136 patients)	58	39
Vascular surgery	78 days (46 patients)	136	23

Median⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures⁷

Procedure	Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	71 days (24 patients)	49	82
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	292
Cholecystectomy	83 days (21 patients)	93	70
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	77 days (36 patients)	52	29
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	78
Hysteroscopy	48 days (36 patients)	83	35
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	264 days (13 patients)	80	105
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (5 patients)	n/a	309
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	64
Other - General	78 days (25 patients)	46	55
Prostatectomy	64 days (27 patients)	85	64
Septoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	347	324
Tonsillectomy	296 days (48 patients)	218	286
Total hip replacement	300 days (23 patients)	331	275
Total knee replacement	351 days (55 patients)	316	313
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (5 patients)	*	144

Coffs Harbour Base Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,815 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,723 patients

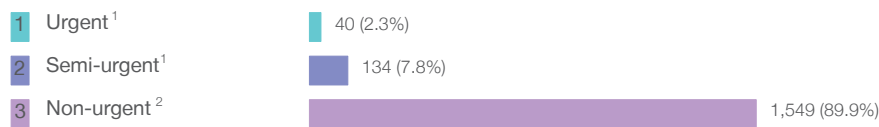
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 405 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	1,819	-0.2%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	1,827	-5.7%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	499	-18.8%

Coffs Harbour Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,723 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	45	-11.1%
Semi-urgent ¹	160	-16.3%
Non-urgent ²	1,622	-4.5%

Coffs Harbour Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,723 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,723	1,827	-5.7%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	362	285	27.0%
General surgery	272	324	-16.0%
Gynaecology	157	157	0.0%
Medical	26	38	-31.6%
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	736	833	-11.6%
Plastic surgery	9	24	-62.5%
Urology	60	97	-38.1%
Vascular surgery	101	69	46.4%

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	24	24	0.0%
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	47	62	-24.2%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	17	26	-34.6%
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	10	*
Hysteroscopy	39	20	95.0%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	80	89	-10.1%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	15	16	-6.3%
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	16	34	-52.9%
Prostatectomy	23	19	21.1%
Septoplasty	48	29	65.5%
Tonsillectomy	166	125	32.8%
Total hip replacement	80	79	1.3%
Total knee replacement	186	215	-13.5%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	20	22	-9.1%

Coffs Harbour Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2017

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

As at 31 Mar 2017 Same time last year

	As at 31 Mar 2017	Same time last year
All specialties	14	12

- * 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 18 April 2017.).