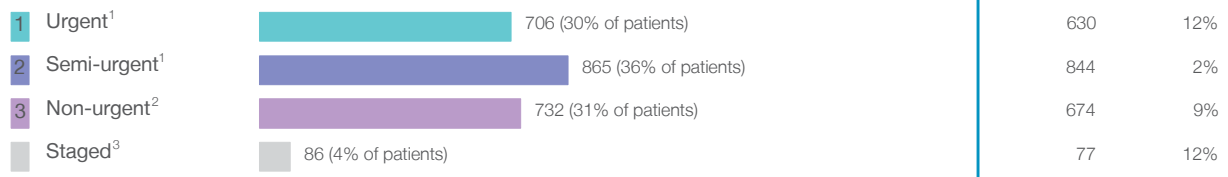


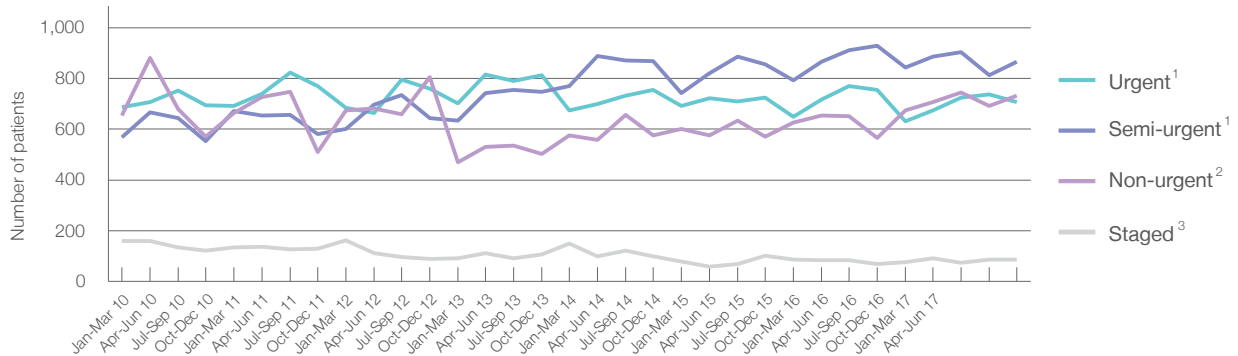
John Hunter Hospital: Elective surgery performed

January to March 2018

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 2,389 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, January 2013 to March 2018



	Jan-Mar 2010	Jan-Mar 2011	Jan-Mar 2012	Jan-Mar 2013	Jan-Mar 2014	Jan-Mar 2015	Jan-Mar 2016	Jan-Mar 2017	Jan-Mar 2018
All categories	2,070	2,159	2,121	1,896	2,167	2,113	2,155	2,225	2,389
Urgent ¹	687	691	684	701	674	691	650	630	706
Semi-urgent ¹	569	671	602	633	769	742	793	844	865
Non-urgent ²	655	663	673	469	575	600	626	674	732
Staged ³	159	134	162	93	149	80	86	77	86

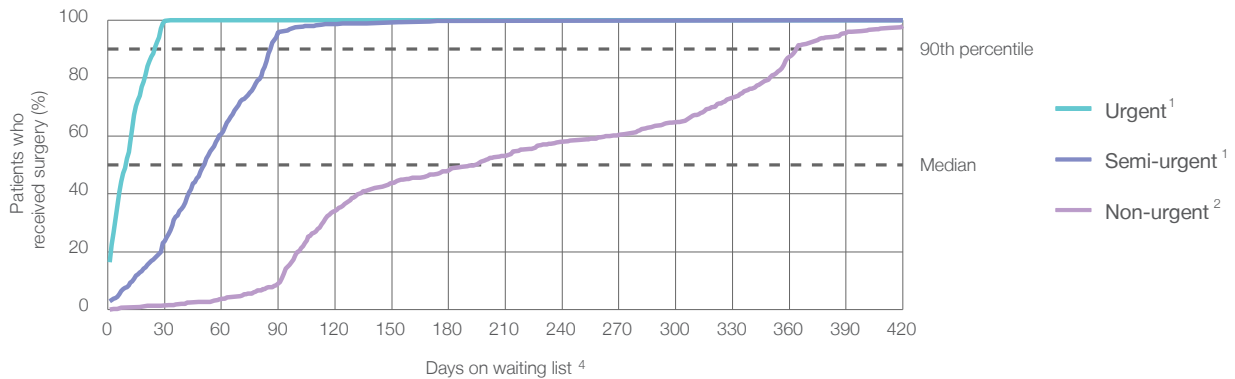
John Hunter Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 2018

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

			Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1	Urgent ¹	Recommended: 30 days	99.9%	98.3%
2	Semi-urgent ¹	Recommended: 90 days	95.7%	99.1%
3	Non-urgent ²	Recommended: 365 days	91.3%	97.0%
			98.3%	99.7%
			99.1%	93.1%
			97.0%	91.4%

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: ¹ 706 patients			
	Median time to receive surgery	10 days	9	8
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	25 days	25	25
2	Semi-urgent: ¹ 865 patients			
	Median time to receive surgery	51 days	45	49
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	87 days	87	83
3	Non-urgent: ² 732 patients			
	Median time to receive surgery	195 days	190	171
	90th percentile time to receive surgery	364 days	363	347

John Hunter Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

January to March 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	27 days (81 patients)	28	23
Ear, nose and throat surgery	77 days (235 patients)	70	191
General surgery	50 days (416 patients)	38	31
Gynaecology	37 days (383 patients)	49	32
Medical	22 days (55 patients)	42	14
Neurosurgery	73 days (226 patients)	57	63
Ophthalmology	93 days (95 patients)	56	152
Orthopaedic surgery	83 days (500 patients)	85	83
Plastic surgery	8 days (20 patients)	*	23
Urology	44 days (284 patients)	37	39
Vascular surgery	25 days (94 patients)	24	22

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

		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	24 days (26 patients)	32	35
Cataract extraction	79 days (36 patients)	63	180
Cholecystectomy	90 days (29 patients)	63	59
Coronary artery bypass graft	19 days (31 patients)	28	42
Cystoscopy	39 days (192 patients)	31	32
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	83
Hysteroscopy	61 days (83 patients)	57	43
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	90 days (39 patients)	74	76
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (5 patients)	*	335
Myringotomy	* (5 patients)	*	197
Other - General	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	21
Prostatectomy	* (7 patients)	*	70
Septoplasty	71 days (14 patients)	*	344
Tonsillectomy	94 days (69 patients)	90	330
Total hip replacement	308 days (52 patients)	104	147
Total knee replacement	353 days (97 patients)	321	253
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (5 patients)	*	79

John Hunter Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

January to March 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 3,037 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 3,011 patients

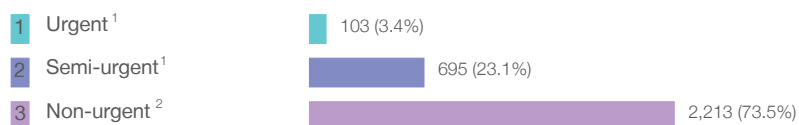
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 594 patients

Same period last year	Change since one year ago
2,615	16%
2,597	16%
454	31%

John Hunter Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st March 2018

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 3,011 patients



Same period last year	Change since one year ago
129	-20%
543	28%
1,925	15%

John Hunter Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2018

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 3,011 patients

	As at 31 Mar 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	3,011	2,597	16%
Cardiothoracic surgery	18	19	-5%
Ear, nose and throat surgery	405	255	59%
General surgery	448	367	22%
Gynaecology	394	352	12%
Medical	41	73	-44%
Neurosurgery	295	257	15%
Ophthalmology	86	80	8%
Orthopaedic surgery	1,145	1,040	10%
Plastic surgery	13	< 5	*
Urology	117	116	1%
Vascular surgery	49	35	40%

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 31 Mar 2018	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	21	15	40%
Cataract extraction	53	40	33%
Cholecystectomy	51	57	-11%
Coronary artery bypass graft	5	< 5	*
Cystoscopy	68	59	15%
Haemorrhoidectomy	8	7	14%
Hysteroscopy	74	45	64%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	49	51	-4%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	13	11	18%
Myringotomy	16	5	220%
Other - General	5	< 5	n/a
Prostatectomy	5	8	-38%
Septoplasty	48	36	33%
Tonsillectomy	108	71	52%
Total hip replacement	177	174	2%
Total knee replacement	370	357	4%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	13	< 5	*

John Hunter Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st March 2018

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

As at 31 Mar 2018

Same time last year

All specialties	92	12
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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, 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 13 April 2018.).