

Hospital Quarterly

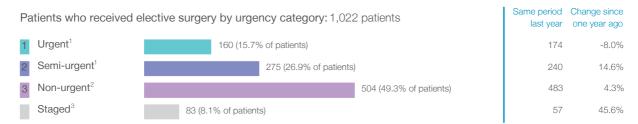
Performance Profiles

Elective Surgery

Mid North Coast Local Health District

Coffs Harbour Base Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2016



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, July 2011 to September 2016



All categories	1,006	968	1,023	926	954	1,022
Urgent ¹	171	213	187	209	174	160
Semi-urgent ¹	283	247	244	254	240	275
Non-urgent ²	432	412	539	409	483	504
Staged ³	120	96	53	54	57	83

Coffs Harbour Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2016

Peer group (this period) Same period Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe last year Urgent 1 98.8% 100% 99.9% Semi-urgent¹ 98.2% 98.9% 98.3% Non-urgent 2 95.0% 96.3% 96.6%

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



Waiting time (days) for people who red	eived surgery by urgency cat	egory	Peer group (this period)	(same period last year)	(same period last year)
1 Urgent: 1 160 patients					
Median time to receive surgery	14 days		12	12	13
90th percentile time to receive surgery	27 days		26	25	27
2 Semi-urgent: 1275 patients					
Median time to receive surgery	48 days		48	56	50
90th percentile time to receive surgery	80 days		82	83	84
3 Non-urgent: 2 504 patients					
Median time to receive surgery	3	302 days	272	310	275
90th percentile time to receive surgery		359 days	356	357	361

Coffs Harbour Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

July to September 2016

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		217 days (152 patients)	244	263
General surgery	53 days (198 patients	s)	75	49
Gynaecology	64 days (151 patier	nts)	67	49
Medical	22 days (25 patients)		6	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	295
Orthopaedic surgery		309 days (248 patients)	313	224
Plastic surgery	118 days (12	2 patients)	80	69
Urology	52 days (185 patients	s)	56	46
Vascular surgery	44 days (51 patients)		47	20

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patie	nts who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	76 days (25 patients)	156	76
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	299
Cholecystectomy	166 days (22 patients)	82	60
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	58 days (80 patients)	55	39
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (5 patients)	*	54
Hysteroscopy	53 days (28 patients)	66	34
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	345 days (26 patients)	167	93
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (6 patients)	*	308
Myringotomy	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	36
Other - General	35 days (27 patients)	19	34
Prostatectomy	70 days (40 patients)	84	62
Septoplasty	330 days (12 patients)	343	318
Tonsillectomy	217 days (52 patients)	266	286
Total hip replacement	293 days (23 patients)	320	276
Total knee replacement	313 days (49 patients)	316	304
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)	*	175

Coffs Harbour Base Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2016

	last year	one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,810 patients	1,699	6.5%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,794 patients	1,764	1.7%
Patients not ready for surgery 8 on waiting list at end of quarter: 472 natients	535	-11.8%

Coffs Harbour Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,794 patients

1	Jrgent ¹	36 (2.0%)	
2 5	Semi-urgent ¹	167 (9.3%)	
3	Non-urgent ²		1,591 (88.7%)

	Change since one year ago
26	38.5%
151	10.6%
1 587	0.3%

Same period Change since

Coffs Harbour Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2016

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,794 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
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All specialties	1,794	1,764	1.7%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	317	344	-7.8%
General surgery	325	308	5.5%
Gynaecology	142	165	-13.9%
Medical	42	16	162.5%
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	787	735	7.1%
Plastic surgery	19	31	-38.7%
Urology	93	114	-18.4%
Vascular surgery	69	51	35.3%

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
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Abdominal hysterectomy	24	15	60.0%
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	50	58	-13.8%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	13	19	-31.6%
Haemorrhoidectomy	13	10	30.0%
Hysteroscopy	24	26	-7.7%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	83	70	18.6%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	16	13	23.1%
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	23	32	-28.1%
Prostatectomy	35	44	-20.5%
Septoplasty	34	45	-24.4%
Tonsillectomy	135	154	-12.3%
Total hip replacement	81	85	-4.7%
Total knee replacement	196	182	7.7%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	23	17	35.3%

Coffs Harbour Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2016

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

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year
All specialties	9	6

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- 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.*
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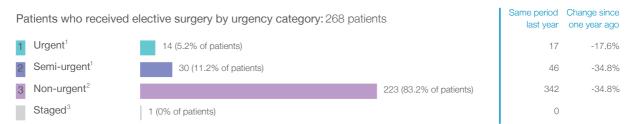
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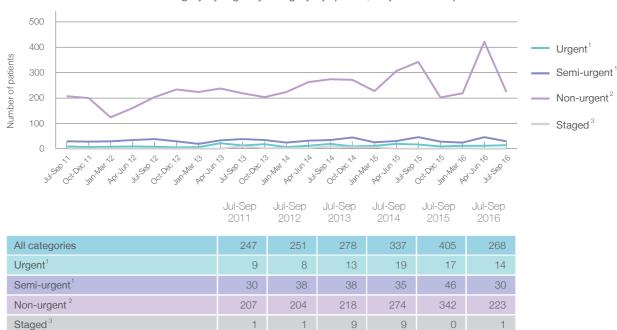
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Kempsey Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2016



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, July 2011 to September 2016

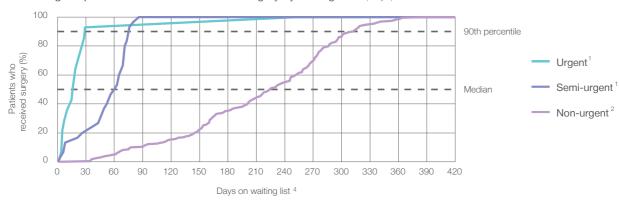


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Kempsey Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery July to September 2016



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 14 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	18 days	11	21	11
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	26	*	26
2 Semi-urgent:130 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	62 days	35	53	35
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*	76	*	76
3 Non-urgent: 2 223 patients				
Median time to receive surgery	225 days	159	280	185
90th percentile time to receive surgery	312 days	334	334	354

Kempsey Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery July to September 2016

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	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	n/a (0 patients)			n/a	112
General surgery	67 days (60 pa	atients)		75	35
Gynaecology	* (< 5 patients)	* (< 5 patients)			31
Medical	* (< 5 patients)			n/a	14
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)			n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology		2	35 days (141 patients)	281	175
Orthopaedic surgery			270 days (45 patients)	258	76
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)			n/a	n/a
Urology	16	31 days (13 patients)	n/a	35
Vascular surgery	* (6 patients)			*	141

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷				Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	50
Cataract extraction		235 days (127 patients)	281	191
Cholecystectomy	* (5 patients)		*	43
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	25
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	49
Hysteroscopy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	25
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	106 days (17	patients)	122	56
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	*
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	24
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	65
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	255
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	159
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	* (6 patients)		*	142

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Kempsey Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

July to September 2016	1	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 596 patients	810	-26.4%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 716 patients	712	0.6%
Patients not ready for surgery 8 on waiting list at end of guarter: 52 patients	90	-42.2%

Kempsey Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2016

July to September 2016

Pa	Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 716 patients			Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1	Urgent 1	< 5		< 5	*
2	Semi-urgent ¹	30 (4.2%)		19	61.1%
3	Non-urgent ²		686 (95.8%)	693	-1.0%

Kempsey Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2016

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 716 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	716	712	0.6%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	40	30	33.3%
Gynaecology	0	< 5	*
Medical	< 5	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	490	541	-9.4%
Orthopaedic surgery	148	133	11.3%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	20	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	16	5	220.0%

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures 7

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	453	514	-11.9%
Cholecystectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	0	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	17	10	70.0%
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	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	< 5	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	16	5	220.0%

Kempsey Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2016

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

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year
All specialties	0	0

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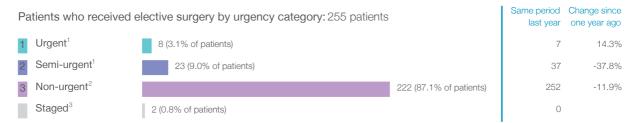
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Macksville District Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2016



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, July 2011 to September 2016



Macksville District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery July to September 2016

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 *		*	99.6%
2	Semi-urgent ¹	Recommended: 90 days	100%	100%	99.2%
3	Non-urgent 2	Recommended: 365 days	99.5%	100%	99.4%

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



Waiting time (days) for people who red	ceived	d surgery by urgency cate	egory	Peer group (this period)	(same period last year)	(same period last year)	
1 Urgent: 1 8 patients							
Median time to receive surgery	*			11	*	11	
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*			26	*	26	
2 Semi-urgent:123 patients							
Median time to receive surgery		50 days		35	44	35	
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*			76	*	76	
3 Non-urgent: 2 222 patients							
Median time to receive surgery		3:	11 days	159	289	185	
90th percentile time to receive surgery			340 days	334	340	354	

Macksville District Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery July to September 2016

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patie		period ast 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	112
General surgery	72 days (59 patients)		61	35
Gynaecology	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	31
Medical	n/a (0 patients)		*	14
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	314	4 days (196 patients)	280	175
Orthopaedic surgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	76
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Urology	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	35
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	141

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patie	ents who received	elective surgery by common procedures ⁷	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	50
Cataract extraction		315 days (168 patients)	280	191
Cholecystectomy	* (8 patients)		*	43
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	25
Haemorrhoidectomy	n/a (0 patients)		*	49
Hysteroscopy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	25
Inguinal herniorrhaphy		173 days (22 patients)	209	56
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	*
Other - General	n/a (0 patients)		*	24
Prostatectomy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	65
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	255
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	159
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	142

Same period Change since

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Macksville District Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list July to September 2016

	last year	one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 751 patients	892	-15.8%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 651 patients	800	-18.6%
Patients not ready for surgery 8 on waiting list at end of quarter: 41 patients	41	0.0%

Macksville District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2016

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1	Urgent 1	0 (0%)		0	
2	Semi-urgent ¹	18 (2.8%)		11	63.6%
3	Non-urgent ²		633 (97.2%)	789	-19.8%

Macksville District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2016

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 651 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	651	800	-18.6%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	41	47	-12.8%
Gynaecology	0	0	n/a
Medical	0	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	610	749	-18.6%
Orthopaedic surgery	0	0	n/a
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	0	0	n/a
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures 7

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	531	676	-21.4%
Cholecystectomy	6	5	20.0%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Haemorrhoidectomy	0	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	0	< 5	n/a
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	10	18	-44.4%
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	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Total knee replacement	0	< 5	n/a
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

Macksville District Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 30th September 2016

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

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year

All specialties	0	0

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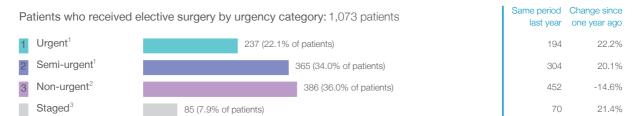
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Port Macquarie Base Hospital: Elective surgery performed

July to September 2016



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, July 2011 to September 2016



All categories	807	735	819	583	1,020	1,073
Urgent ¹	223	213	206	194	194	237
Semi-urgent ¹	279	230	232	160	304	365
Non-urgent ²	242	240	307	158	452	386
Staged ³	63	52	74	71	70	85

Port Macquarie Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery July to September 2016

Peer group (this period) Same period Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe last year Urgent 1 100% 100% 99.9% Semi-urgent¹ 98.1% 98.9% 100% Non-urgent 2 97.9% 99.1% 96.6%

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



Waiting time (days) for people who rece	eived surgery by urgency ca	ategory	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent: 1 237 patients					
Median time to receive surgery	15 days		12	15	13
90th percentile time to receive surgery	24 days		26	27	27
2 Semi-urgent:1365 patients					
Median time to receive surgery	50 days		48	45	50
90th percentile time to receive surgery	76 days		82	71	84
3 Non-urgent: 2 386 patients					
Median time to receive surgery	2	289 days	272	294	275
90th percentile time to receive surgery		347 days	356	342	361

Port Macquarie Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery July to September 2016

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	78 days (31 patients)		130	263
General surgery	36 days (223 patients)		30	49
Gynaecology	31 days (168 patients)		50	49
Medical	* (< 5 patients)		*	21
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology		257 days (79 patients)	292	295
Orthopaedic surgery		274 days (228 patients)	303	224
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	69
Urology	57 days (243 patients)		45	46
Vascular surgery	19 days (97 patients)		22	20

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patie	nts who received elective s	surgery by common procedures ⁷	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	63 days (14 patients)		*	76
Cataract extraction		265 days (59 patients)	295	299
Cholecystectomy	45 days (16 patients)		40	60
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	50 days (52 patients)		41	39
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (8 patients)		*	54
Hysteroscopy	22 days (72 patients)		27	34
Inguinal herniorrhaphy		286 days (23 patients)	264	93
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)		*	308
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	36
Other - General	* (6 patients)		27	34
Prostatectomy	68 days (26 patients)		59	62
Septoplasty	* (< 5 patients)		114	318
Tonsillectomy	* (8 patients)		176	286
Total hip replacement		294 days (41 patients)	310	276
Total knee replacement		309 days (57 patients)	317	304
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (6 patients)		n/a	175

Port Macquarie Base Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list July to September 2016

	last year	one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,430 patients	1,236	15.7%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,370 patients	1,076	27.3%
Patients not ready for surgery 8 on waiting list at end of quarter: 304 patients	378	-19.6%

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Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,370 patients

1	Urgent 1	24 (1.8%)	
2	Semi-urgent ¹	165 (12.0%)	
3	Non-urgent ²		1,181 (86.2%)

Same period Change since

Same period Change since last year one year ago

28

139 909

-14.3%

18.7%

29.9%

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Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,370 patients

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,370	1,076	27.3%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	109	14	678.6%
General surgery	151	151	0.0%
Gynaecology	111	104	6.7%
Medical	< 5	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	193	186	3.8%
Orthopaedic surgery	627	465	34.8%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	159	132	20.5%
Vascular surgery	16	21	-23.8%

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures ⁷

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	14	13	7.7%
Cataract extraction	155	152	2.0%
Cholecystectomy	27	21	28.6%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	13	17	-23.5%
Haemorrhoidectomy	7	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	8	17	-52.9%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	34	49	-30.6%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	< 5	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	< 5	< 5	*
Prostatectomy	46	50	-8.0%
Septoplasty	10	< 5	*
Tonsillectomy	75	9	733.3%
Total hip replacement	98	87	12.6%
Total knee replacement	232	167	38.9%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

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

	As at 30 Sep 2016	Same time last year
All specialties	< 5	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, 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 17 October 2016.).