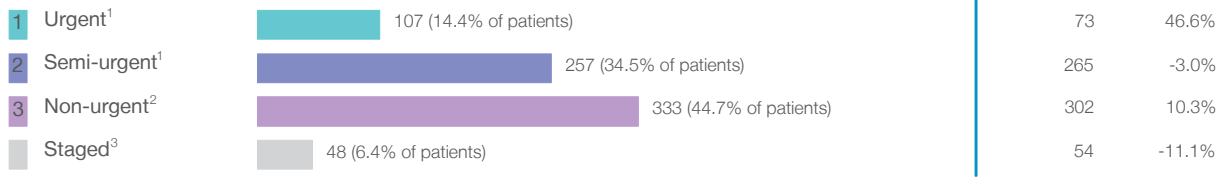


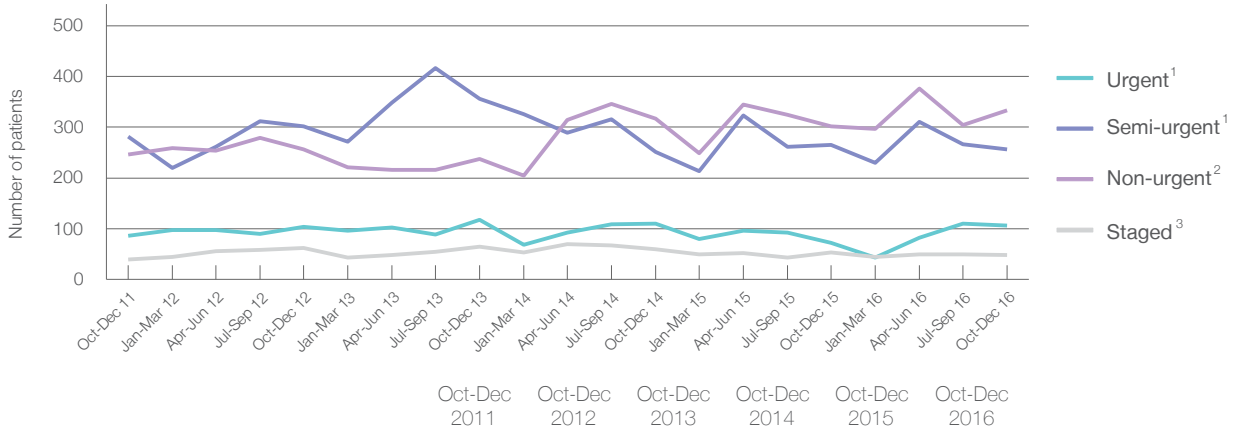
## Canterbury Hospital: Elective surgery performed

October to December 2016

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 745 patients



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, October 2011 to December 2016



Urgency Category	Oct-Dec 2011	Oct-Dec 2012	Oct-Dec 2013	Oct-Dec 2014	Oct-Dec 2015	Oct-Dec 2016
All categories	653	724	776	738	694	745
Urgent <sup>1</sup>	86	104	118	110	73	107
Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	281	302	356	251	265	257
Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	246	256	237	317	302	333
Staged <sup>3</sup>	40	62	65	60	54	48

## Canterbury Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 2016

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended:	100%	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent <sup>1</sup>	30 days	100%	100%	99.8%
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup>	90 days	100%	100%	98.7%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup>	365 days	100%	100%	95.3%

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)
<b>1 Urgent:</b> <sup>1</sup> 107 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	9 days	13	9
90th percentile time to receive surgery	26 days	27	*
<b>2 Semi-urgent:</b> <sup>1</sup> 257 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	50 days	47	52
90th percentile time to receive surgery	83 days	83	78
<b>3 Non-urgent:</b> <sup>2</sup> 333 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	214 days	257	181
90th percentile time to receive surgery	348 days	358	334

## Canterbury Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 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	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	189 days (117 patients)	151	226
General surgery	62 days (222 patients)	56	47
Gynaecology	51 days (142 patients)	46	42
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	18
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	262
Orthopaedic surgery	77 days (155 patients)	122	216
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	61
Urology	46 days (109 patients)	57	35
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	22

Median <sup>5</sup> waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures <sup>7</sup>		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (9 patients)	70	65
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	266
Cholecystectomy	85 days (33 patients)	70	56
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	40 days (59 patients)	55	30
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (6 patients)	*	56
Hysteroscopy	51 days (84 patients)	37	30
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	92 days (45 patients)	63	86
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	274
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	116
Other - General	* (7 patients)	*	28
Prostatectomy	80 days (15 patients)	63	58
Septoplasty	315 days (20 patients)	318	305
Tonsillectomy	120 days (43 patients)	87	262
Total hip replacement	* (6 patients)	*	241
Total knee replacement	291 days (39 patients)	253	303
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)	*	141

### Canterbury Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

October to December 2016

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,069 patients	1,006	6.3%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,010 patients	1,081	-6.6%
Patients not ready for surgery <sup>8</sup> on waiting list at end of quarter: 360 patients	271	32.8%

### Canterbury Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,010 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1 Urgent <sup>1</sup> < 5	0	*
2 Semi-urgent <sup>1</sup> 125 (12.4%)	152	-19.1%
3 Non-urgent <sup>2</sup> 885 (87.6%)	929	-4.7%

## Canterbury Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2016

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,010 patients

	As at 31 Dec 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,010	1,081	-6.6%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	272	325	-16.3%
General surgery	239	251	-4.8%
Gynaecology	125	108	15.7%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	324	358	-9.5%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	50	39	28.2%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

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

	As at 31 Dec 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	7	6	16.7%
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	41	39	5.1%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	14	8	75.0%
Haemorrhoidectomy	6	9	-33.3%
Hysteroscopy	53	26	103.8%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	58	52	11.5%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	12	14	-14.3%
Myringotomy	< 5	< 5	*
Other - General	5	11	-54.5%
Prostatectomy	24	19	26.3%
Septoplasty	64	68	-5.9%
Tonsillectomy	69	90	-23.3%
Total hip replacement	31	20	55.0%
Total knee replacement	128	149	-14.1%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	< 5	< 5	*

**Canterbury Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery**  
as at 31st December 2016

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

	As at 31 Dec 2016	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, 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 20 January 2017.).