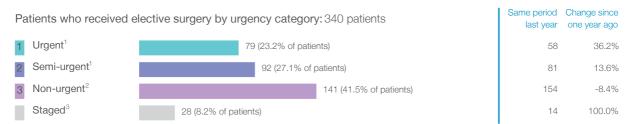
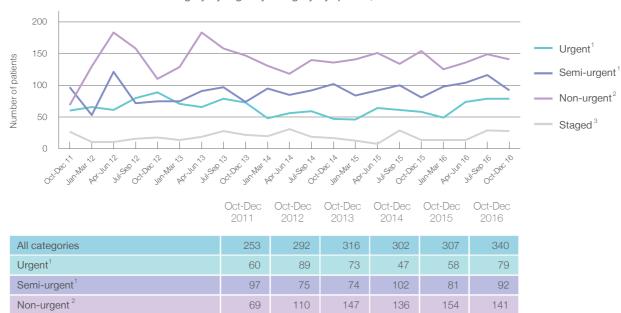
Hawkesbury District Health Services: Elective surgery performed

October to December 2016

Staged³



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



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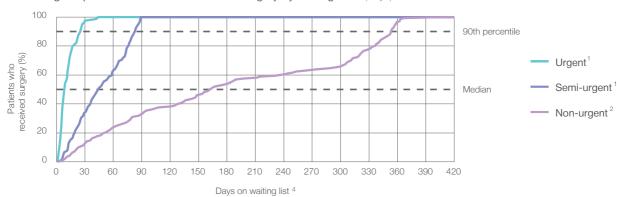
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Hawkesbury District Health Services: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 2016

Same period Peer group Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe (this period) last year Urgent 1 97.5% 100% 99.8% Semi-urgent¹ 100% 99.4% 100% Non-urgent 2 98.6% 100% 98.7%

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



Waiting time (days) for people who rec	ceived surgery by urgency categ	ory Peer g		(same period last year)	(same period last year)	
1 Urgent: 1 79 patients						
Median time to receive surgery	9 days		14	14	14	
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*		27	*	27	
2 Semi-urgent: 192 patients						
Median time to receive surgery	45 days		49	36	45	
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*		81	*	82	
3 Non-urgent: 2 141 patients						
Median time to receive surgery	163 days		242	178	259	
90th percentile time to receive surgery		354 days	351	354	351	

Hawkesbury District Health Services: Time waited to receive elective surgery October to December 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	76 days (12 patients)	*	65
General surgery	35 days (144 patients)	45	43
Gynaecology	14 days (55 patients)	26	41
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	15
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	* (8 patients)	*	261
Orthopaedic surgery	183 days (95 patients)	152	151
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	63
Urology	43 days (26 patients)	25	38
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	41

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷			Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	75
Cataract extraction	* (7 patients)	*	263
Cholecystectomy	56 days (20 patients)	61	49
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	36 days (16 patients)	25	32
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	60
Hysteroscopy	11 days (31 patients)	25	29
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	59 days (23 patients)	89	62
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	* (< 5 patients)	*	80
Septoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	295
Tonsillectomy	* (9 patients)	*	75
Total hip replacement	199 days (12 patients)	300	215
Total knee replacement	336 days (21 patients)	322	276
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	54

Hawkesbury District Health Services: Elective surgery waiting list

October to December 2016

Same period Change since last year one year ago Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 487 patients 12.5% 433 Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 497 patients 446 11.4% Patients not ready for surgery 8 on waiting list at end of quarter: 95 patients 50 90.0%

Hawkesbury District Health Services: Patients ready for elective surgery as at 31st December 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 497 patients

1	Urgent	< 5	
2	Semi-urgent ¹	69 (13.9%)	
3	Non-urgent ²		428 (86.1%)

Same period Change sine			
last year	one year ago		
6	*		
54	20.4%		
386	10.9%		

Hawkesbury District Health Services: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2016

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 497 patients

	As at 31 Dec 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	497	446	11.4%
Cardiothoracic surgery	< 5	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	30	12	150.0%
General surgery	144	132	9.1%
Gynaecology	30	20	50.0%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	21	14	50.0%
Orthopaedic surgery	263	258	1.9%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	8	10	-20.0%
Vascular surgery	0	0	n/a

Patients ready for elective surgery for common procedures 7

	As at 31 Dec 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Cataract extraction	20	14	42.9%
Cholecystectomy	26	20	30.0%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	5	6	-16.7%
Haemorrhoidectomy	5	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	11	9	22.2%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	29	30	-3.3%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	< 5	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	0	< 5	n/a
Prostatectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	< 5	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	23	10	130.0%
Total hip replacement	36	44	-18.2%
Total knee replacement	97	90	7.8%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	< 5	< 5	*

Hawkesbury District Health Services: 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.).