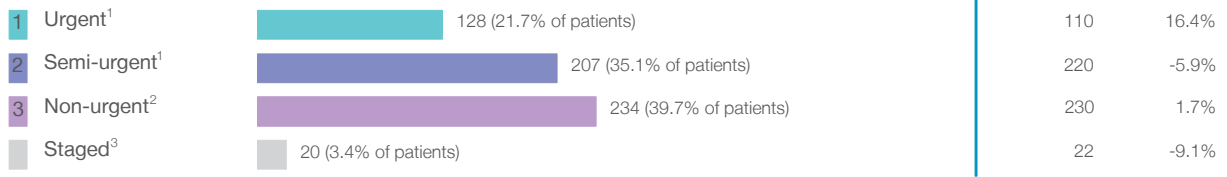
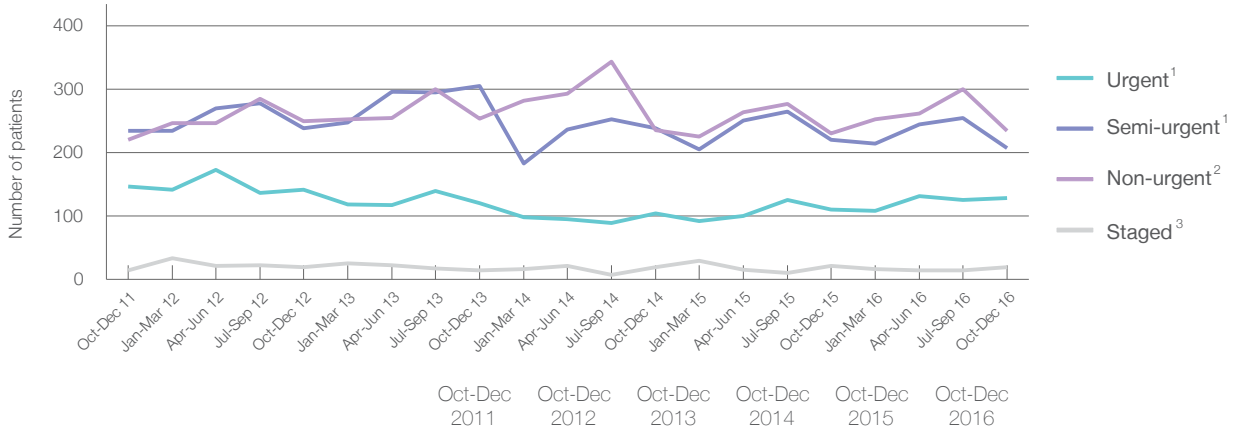


Maitland Hospital: Elective surgery performed October to December 2016

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 589 patients



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



All categories	616	649	694	597	582	589
Urgent ¹	147	142	120	104	110	128
Semi-urgent ¹	234	238	305	238	220	207
Non-urgent ²	220	249	254	235	230	234
Staged ³	15	20	15	20	22	20

Maitland Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 2016

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	97.7%	100%	99.8%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	100%	100%	98.7%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	100%	99.1%	95.3%

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


















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

Urgency Category	Number of Patients	Median time to receive surgery (days)	90th percentile time to receive surgery (days)	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent ¹	128 patients	14 days	27 days	13	14	13
2 Semi-urgent ¹	207 patients	39 days	78 days	47	42	49
3 Non-urgent ²	234 patients	212 days	345 days	257	254	262

Maitland Hospital: 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	*
Ear, nose and throat surgery	 76 days (32 patients)	95	226
General surgery	 25 days (176 patients)	30	47
Gynaecology	 39 days (100 patients)	32	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	 147 days (168 patients)	252	216
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	61
Urology	 48 days (113 patients)	33	35
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	22

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patients who received elective surgery by common procedures ⁷		Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	 58 days (20 patients)	*	65
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	266
Cholecystectomy	 28 days (33 patients)	71	56
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	 34 days (36 patients)	18	30
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (5 patients)	*	56
Hysteroscopy	 30 days (26 patients)	25	30
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	 76 days (14 patients)	114	86
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	274
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	*	116
Other - General	 22 days (11 patients)	35	28
Prostatectomy	 84 days (15 patients)	*	58
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	305
Tonsillectomy	 76 days (22 patients)	330	262
Total hip replacement	 335 days (20 patients)	306	241
Total knee replacement	 279 days (29 patients)	322	303
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	141

Maitland Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

October to December 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 741 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 831 patients

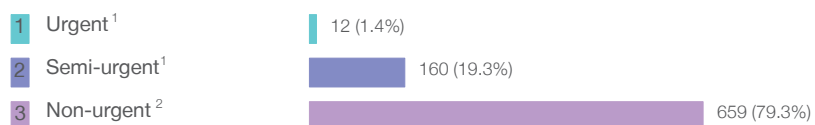
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 126 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	869	-14.7%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	904	-8.1%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	138	-8.7%

Maitland Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 831 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	12	0.0%
Semi-urgent ¹	119	34.5%
Non-urgent ²	773	-14.7%

Maitland Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2016

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 831 patients

	As at 31 Dec 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	831	904	-8.1%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	69	57	21.1%
General surgery	165	160	3.1%
Gynaecology	110	143	-23.1%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	417	516	-19.2%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	70	28	150.0%
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	23	37	-37.8%
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	25	15	66.7%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	10	6	66.7%
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	5	*
Hysteroscopy	13	29	-55.2%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	17	25	-32.0%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	< 5	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	6	< 5	*
Other - General	9	6	50.0%
Prostatectomy	18	9	100.0%
Septoplasty	< 5	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	38	23	65.2%
Total hip replacement	54	59	-8.5%
Total knee replacement	118	137	-13.9%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	*

Maitland 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.).