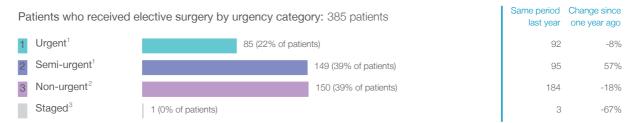
Goulburn Base Hospital: Elective surgery performed

October to December 2017



Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category by quarter, October 2012 to December 2017



All categories	359	360	291	372	315	315	374	385
Urgent ¹	95	108	99	102	94	74	92	85
Semi-urgent ¹	85	98	86	102	81	73	95	149
Non-urgent ²	174	154	105	167	137	166	184	150
Staged ³	5	0	1	1	3	2	3	1

Goulburn Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 2017

Peer group (this period) Same period Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe last year Urgent 1 Recommended: 30 days 100% 100% 100% Semi-urgent¹ 99.3% 99.1% 98.9% Non-urgent 2 97.3% 98.4%

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 85 patients						
Median time to receive surgery	13 days		14	13	14	
90th percentile time to receive surgery	*		27	*	27	
2 Semi-urgent: 1149 patients						
Median time to receive surgery	41 days		49	43	49	
90th percentile time to receive surgery	84 days		81	*	81	
3 Non-urgent: 2 150 patients						
Median time to receive surgery		274 days	254	259	242	
90th percentile time to receive surgery		364 days	352	362	351	

Goulburn Base Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 2017

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patier	nts who received elective su	urgery 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	* (< 5 patients)		*	100
General surgery	41 days (178 patients)		49	40
Gynaecology	13 days (61 patients)		13	48
Medical	n/a (0 patients)		*	*
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology		274 days (27 patients)	264	286
Orthopaedic surgery		287 days (115 patients)	303	141
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	49
Urology	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	35
Vascular surgery	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	93

Median ⁵ waiting time (days) for patie	nts who received elective sur	rgery by common procedures ⁷	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
Abdominal hysterectomy	* (7 patients)		n/a	81
Cataract extraction		274 days (27 patients)	264	288
Cholecystectomy	58 days (27 patients)		56	47
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	43 days (10 patients)		*	35
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)		*	60
Hysteroscopy	13 days (35 patients)		13	34
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	87 days (19 patients)		112	77
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	*
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	*
Other - General	23 days (14 patients)		28	23
Prostatectomy	* (< 5 patients)		n/a	76
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)		n/a	271
Tonsillectomy	* (< 5 patients)		143	153
Total hip replacement		348 days (26 patients)	363	206
Total knee replacement		359 days (31 patients)	356	244
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)		*	98

More information is available on BHI's interactive portal at www.bhi.nsw.gov.au/healthcare_observer

Goulburn Base Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

October to December 2017	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 677 patients	653	4%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 713 patients	686	4%
Patients not ready for surgery 8 on waiting list at end of quarter: 45 patients	35	29%

Goulburn Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2017

October to December 2017

Pa	atients ready for surgery on	waiting list by urgency category:	713 patie	nts	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
1	Urgent 1	8 (1.1%)			6	33%
2	Semi-urgent ¹	79 (11.1%)			54	46%
3	Non-urgent ²			626 (87.8%)	626	0%

Goulburn Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2017

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 713 patients

	As at 31 Dec 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
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All specialties	713	686	4%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	< 5	0	n/a
General surgery	159	143	11%
Gynaecology	21	5	320%
Medical	0	0	n/a
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	186	213	-13%
Orthopaedic surgery	345	325	6%
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 31 Dec 2017	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
Abdominal hysterectomy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Cataract extraction	186	214	-13%
Cholecystectomy	23	27	-15%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	< 5	< 5	*
Haemorrhoidectomy	< 5	< 5	*
Hysteroscopy	10	< 5	*
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	18	17	6%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	10	7	43%
Prostatectomy	< 5	< 5	n/a
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	13	17	-24%
Total hip replacement	86	76	13%
Total knee replacement	130	125	4%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	< 5	< 5	*

Goulburn Base Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2017

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

	As at 31 Dec 2017 Same time las	
All specialties	7	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 23 January 2018.).