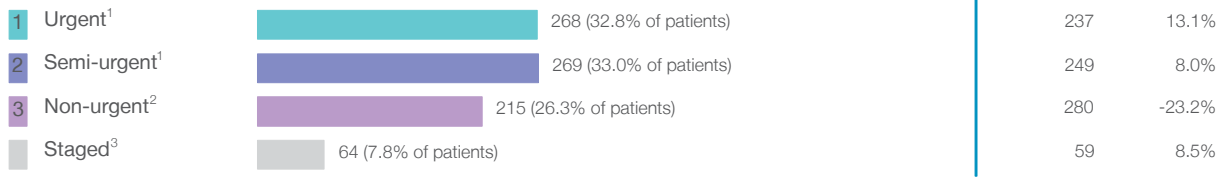


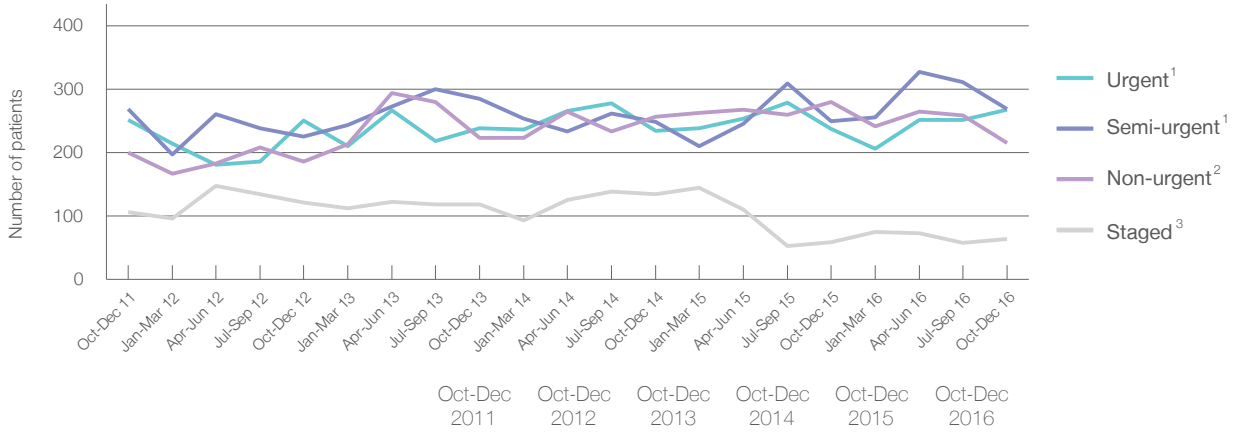
The Tweed Hospital: Elective surgery performed

October to December 2016

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 816 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	826	782	864	874	825	816
Urgent ¹	251	250	238	234	237	268
Semi-urgent ¹	269	225	285	248	249	269
Non-urgent ²	200	186	223	257	280	215
Staged ³	106	121	118	135	59	64

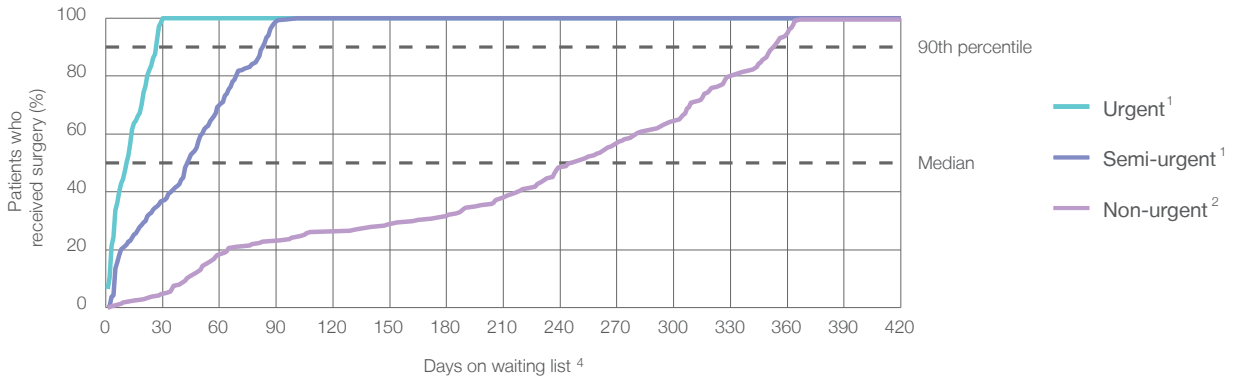
The Tweed Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 2016

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

	Recommended:	Percentage	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	100%	100%	99.8%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	98.9%	98.0%	98.7%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	99.1%	84.6%	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)
1 Urgent: ¹ 268 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	11 days	13	13
90th percentile time to receive surgery	27 days	27	27
2 Semi-urgent: ¹ 269 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	44 days	47	49
90th percentile time to receive surgery	84 days	83	85
3 Non-urgent: ² 215 patients			
Median time to receive surgery	247 days	257	262
90th percentile time to receive surgery	353 days	358	361

The Tweed 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	61 days (126 patients)	325	226
General surgery	20 days (215 patients)	21	47
Gynaecology	43 days (106 patients)	61	42
Medical	4 days (10 patients)	*	18
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	262
Orthopaedic surgery	62 days (154 patients)	79	216
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	61
Urology	13 days (195 patients)	16	35
Vascular surgery	* (6 patients)	*	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	63 days (25 patients)	138	65
Cataract extraction	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	266
Cholecystectomy	18 days (11 patients)	37	56
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	12 days (69 patients)	13	30
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (8 patients)	23	56
Hysteroscopy	42 days (38 patients)	45	30
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	97 days (30 patients)	77	86
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (< 5 patients)	*	274
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	116
Other - General	8 days (26 patients)	24	28
Prostatectomy	18 days (28 patients)	9	58
Septoplasty	318 days (14 patients)	355	305
Tonsillectomy	49 days (32 patients)	341	262
Total hip replacement	65 days (33 patients)	108	241
Total knee replacement	87 days (33 patients)	78	303
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	141

The Tweed Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

October to December 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 902 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 946 patients

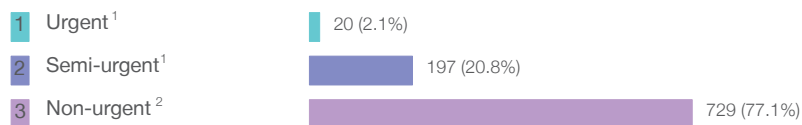
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 345 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	951	-5.2%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	954	-0.8%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	387	-10.9%

The Tweed Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 946 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	19	5.3%
Semi-urgent ¹	181	8.8%
Non-urgent ²	754	-3.3%

The Tweed Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2016

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 946 patients

	As at 31 Dec 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	946	954	-0.8%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	237	236	0.4%
General surgery	197	220	-10.5%
Gynaecology	159	142	12.0%
Medical	7	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	0	0	n/a
Orthopaedic surgery	279	292	-4.5%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	67	61	9.8%
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	40	44	-9.1%
Cataract extraction	0	< 5	n/a
Cholecystectomy	17	23	-26.1%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	19	30	-36.7%
Haemorrhoidectomy	6	9	-33.3%
Hysteroscopy	44	34	29.4%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	38	56	-32.1%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	14	12	16.7%
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	28	19	47.4%
Prostatectomy	13	12	8.3%
Septoplasty	30	39	-23.1%
Tonsillectomy	55	69	-20.3%
Total hip replacement	40	38	5.3%
Total knee replacement	93	97	-4.1%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	0	< 5	n/a

The Tweed 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	8

* 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.).