



Hospital Quarterly

Performance Profiles

Elective Surgery

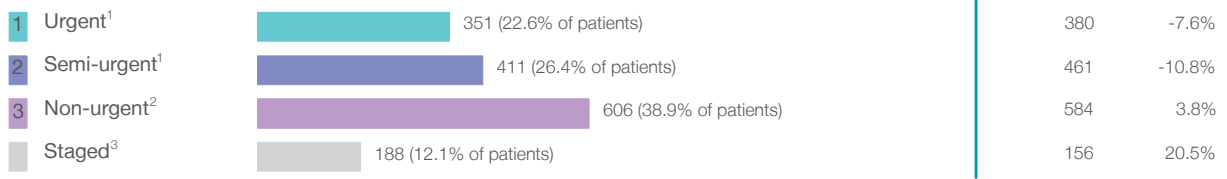
Central Coast Local Health District

October to December 2016

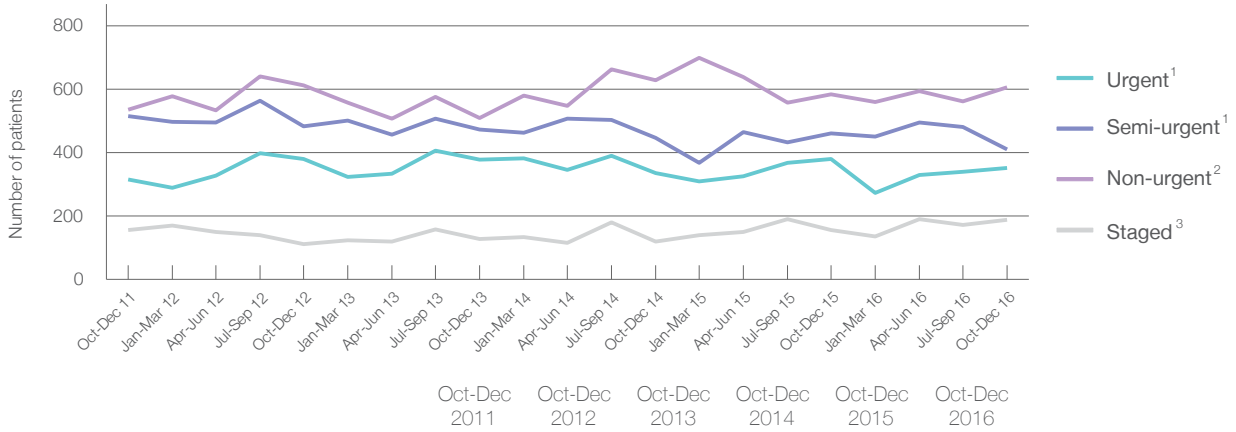
Gosford Hospital: Elective surgery performed

October to December 2016

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 1,556 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	1,522	1,586	1,489	1,529	1,581	1,556
Urgent ¹	315	380	378	335	380	351
Semi-urgent ¹	515	483	473	447	461	411
Non-urgent ²	535	611	510	628	584	606
Staged ³	157	112	128	119	156	188

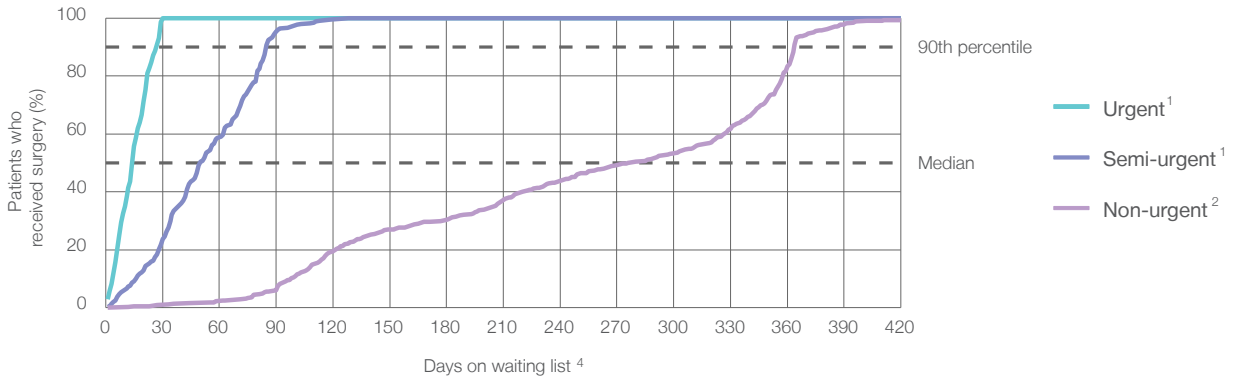
Gosford Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 2016

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

Urgency Category	Recommended Timeframe (days)	Percentage	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	30 days	100%	100%	99.7%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	90 days	95.4%	100%	96.0%
3 Non-urgent ²	365 days	93.4%	98.6%	95.6%

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	351 patients	15 days	27 days	9	15	8
2 Semi-urgent ¹	411 patients	50 days	85 days	41	49	42
3 Non-urgent ²	606 patients	278 days	364 days	161	305	175

Gosford 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)	*	21
Ear, nose and throat surgery	211 days (319 patients)	244	99
General surgery	34 days (280 patients)	44	24
Gynaecology	85 days (176 patients)	70	27
Medical	n/a (0 patients)	*	17
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	41
Ophthalmology	202 days (101 patients)	214	97
Orthopaedic surgery	153 days (203 patients)	264	78
Plastic surgery	83 days (46 patients)	72	19
Urology	22 days (362 patients)	21	32
Vascular surgery	15 days (69 patients)	13	17

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	118 days (28 patients)	70	36
Cataract extraction	204 days (93 patients)	209	117
Cholecystectomy	68 days (39 patients)	53	42
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	26
Cystoscopy	28 days (123 patients)	21	30
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	63
Hysteroscopy	84 days (57 patients)	63	29
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	85 days (29 patients)	136	57
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	* (7 patients)	*	155
Myringotomy	* (< 5 patients)	*	142
Other - General	24 days (28 patients)	29	18
Prostatectomy	83 days (33 patients)	38	59
Septoplasty	354 days (48 patients)	355	336
Tonsillectomy	345 days (131 patients)	355	290
Total hip replacement	228 days (22 patients)	165	129
Total knee replacement	304 days (43 patients)	294	253
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	* (9 patients)	12	90

Gosford Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

October to December 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 2,215 patients

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 2,202 patients

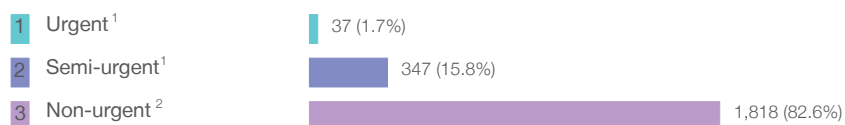
Patients not ready for surgery⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 601 patients

	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter	2,193	1.0%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter	2,085	5.6%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter	489	22.9%

Gosford Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 2,202 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent ¹	31	19.4%
Semi-urgent ¹	339	2.4%
Non-urgent ²	1,715	6.0%

Gosford Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2016

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 2,202 patients

	As at 31 Dec 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	2,202	2,085	5.6%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	868	834	4.1%
General surgery	315	323	-2.5%
Gynaecology	325	221	47.1%
Medical	0	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	79	53	49.1%
Orthopaedic surgery	437	467	-6.4%
Plastic surgery	51	68	-25.0%
Urology	109	107	1.9%
Vascular surgery	18	11	63.6%

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	57	25	128.0%
Cataract extraction	51	39	30.8%
Cholecystectomy	53	44	20.5%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	32	28	14.3%
Haemorrhoidectomy	12	11	9.1%
Hysteroscopy	76	58	31.0%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	60	65	-7.7%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	16	17	-5.9%
Myringotomy	0	< 5	*
Other - General	29	20	45.0%
Prostatectomy	15	10	50.0%
Septoplasty	181	146	24.0%
Tonsillectomy	404	395	2.3%
Total hip replacement	84	81	3.7%
Total knee replacement	148	153	-3.3%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	8	< 5	*

Gosford 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

	As at 31 Dec 2016	Same time last year
All specialties	< 5	< 5

* 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.

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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*.
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For more information: For details of methods, see the *Technical Supplement: Elective surgery measures, July to September 2016*.

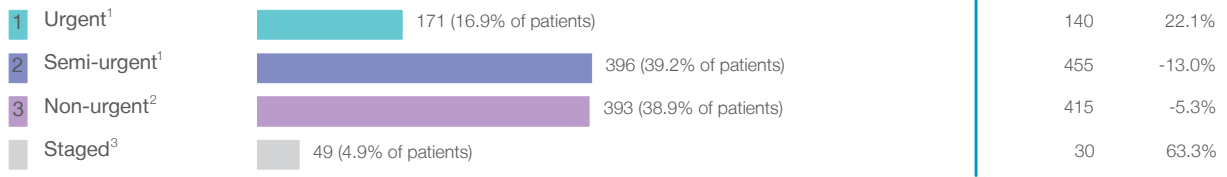
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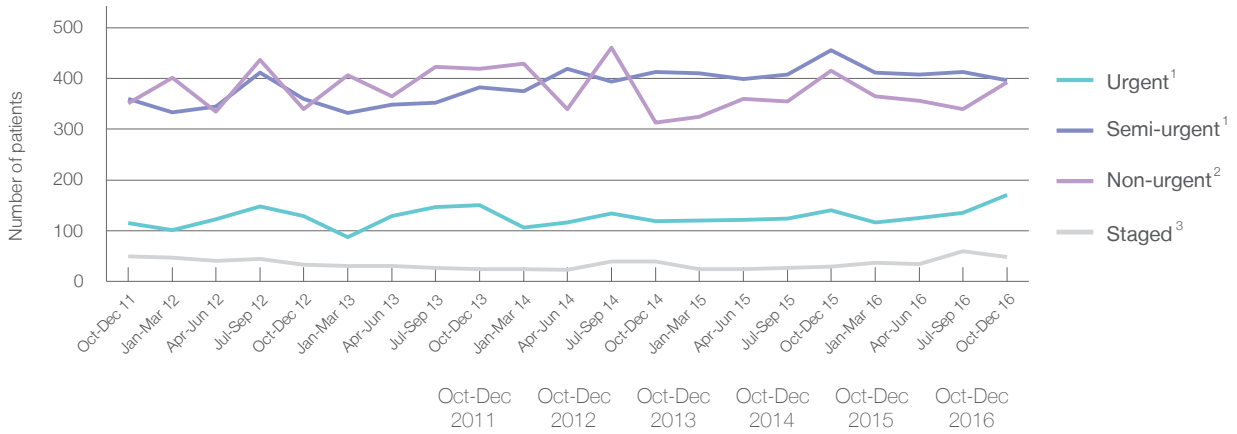
Wyong Hospital: Elective surgery performed

October to December 2016

Patients who received elective surgery by urgency category: 1,009 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	876	862	977	885	1,040	1,009
Urgent ¹	115	129	150	119	140	171
Semi-urgent ¹	360	360	383	413	455	396
Non-urgent ²	351	340	419	313	415	393
Staged ³	50	33	25	40	30	49

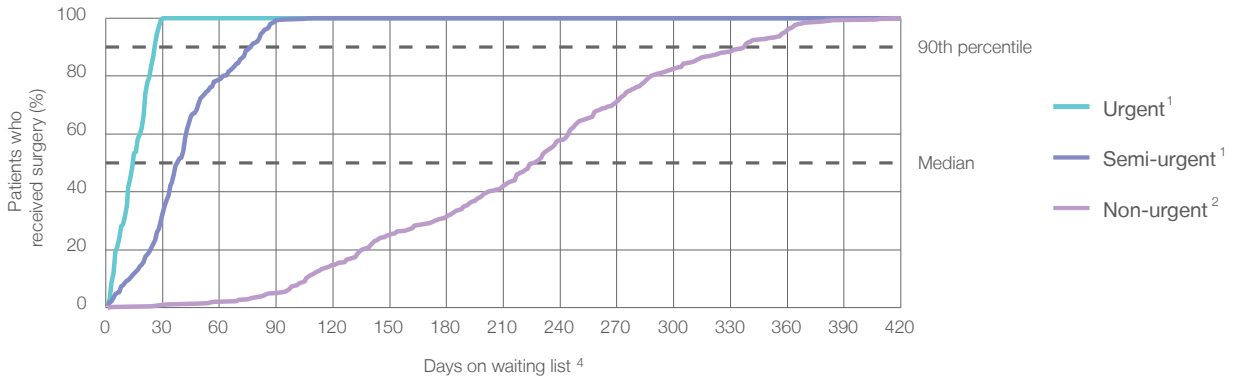
Wyong Hospital: Time waited to receive elective surgery

October to December 2016

Percentage of patients who received surgery within the clinically recommended timeframe

Urgency Category	Recommended Timeframe	Percentage	Same period last year	Peer group (this period)
1 Urgent ¹	Recommended: 30 days	100%	100%	99.8%
2 Semi-urgent ¹	Recommended: 90 days	99.2%	100%	98.7%
3 Non-urgent ²	Recommended: 365 days	97.7%	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

Urgency Category	Number of Patients	Median time to receive surgery	90th percentile time to receive surgery	Peer group (this period)	This hospital (same period last year)	Peer group (same period last year)
1 Urgent ¹	171 patients	15 days	26 days	13	17	13
2 Semi-urgent ¹	396 patients	38 days	77 days	47	41	49
3 Non-urgent ²	393 patients	227 days	337 days	257	244	262

Wyong 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	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	226
General surgery	34 days (215 patients)	46	47
Gynaecology	55 days (56 patients)	64	42
Medical	* (< 5 patients)	*	18
Neurosurgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Ophthalmology	133 days (389 patients)	207	262
Orthopaedic surgery	166 days (151 patients)	272	216
Plastic surgery	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	61
Urology	27 days (104 patients)	22	35
Vascular surgery	17 days (91 patients)	19	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	* (< 5 patients)	n/a	65
Cataract extraction	134 days (382 patients)	207	266
Cholecystectomy	28 days (55 patients)	66	56
Coronary artery bypass graft	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	n/a
Cystoscopy	26 days (57 patients)	21	30
Haemorrhoidectomy	* (5 patients)	*	56
Hysteroscopy	29 days (22 patients)	47	30
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	80 days (33 patients)	63	86
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	274
Myringotomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	116
Other - General	33 days (15 patients)	36	28
Prostatectomy	* (9 patients)	46	58
Septoplasty	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	305
Tonsillectomy	n/a (0 patients)	n/a	262
Total hip replacement	160 days (21 patients)	109	241
Total knee replacement	331 days (42 patients)	305	303
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	65 days (35 patients)	35	141

Wyong Hospital: Elective surgery waiting list

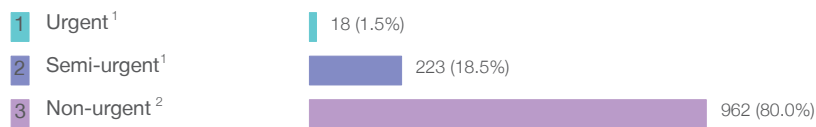
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	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at start of quarter: 1,261 patients	1,320	-4.5%
Patients ready for surgery on waiting list at end of quarter: 1,203 patients	1,245	-3.4%
Patients not ready for surgery ⁸ on waiting list at end of quarter: 168 patients	139	20.9%

Wyong Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2016

Patients ready for surgery on waiting list by urgency category: 1,203 patients



	Same period last year	Change since one year ago
Urgent	13	38.5%
Semi-urgent	219	1.8%
Non-urgent	1,013	-5.0%

Wyong Hospital: Patients ready for elective surgery

as at 31st December 2016

Patients ready for elective surgery by specialty of surgeon: 1,203 patients

	As at 31 Dec 2016	Same time last year	Change since one year ago
All specialties	1,203	1,245	-3.4%
Cardiothoracic surgery	0	0	n/a
Ear, nose and throat surgery	0	0	n/a
General surgery	172	196	-12.2%
Gynaecology	74	48	54.2%
Medical	< 5	< 5	*
Neurosurgery	0	0	n/a
Ophthalmology	625	695	-10.1%
Orthopaedic surgery	272	238	14.3%
Plastic surgery	0	0	n/a
Urology	30	29	3.4%
Vascular surgery	28	38	-26.3%

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	603	670	-10.0%
Cholecystectomy	33	34	-2.9%
Coronary artery bypass graft	0	< 5	n/a
Cystoscopy	7	10	-30.0%
Haemorrhoidectomy	19	11	72.7%
Hysteroscopy	10	13	-23.1%
Inguinal herniorrhaphy	46	51	-9.8%
Myringoplasty / Tympanoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Myringotomy	0	< 5	n/a
Other - General	10	9	11.1%
Prostatectomy	< 5	7	*
Septoplasty	0	< 5	n/a
Tonsillectomy	0	< 5	n/a
Total hip replacement	38	44	-13.6%
Total knee replacement	79	83	-4.8%
Varicose veins stripping and ligation	24	29	-17.2%

Wyong 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

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