

Elective surgery

Identifying and definitional attributes

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Definition:	Elective surgery is planned surgery that can be booked in advance as a result of a specialist clinical assessment resulting in placement on an elective surgery waiting list.
Context:	Admitted patient care

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	<p>Surgery is defined as procedures listed in the surgical operations section of the Commonwealth Medicare Benefits Schedule.</p> <p>Surgery is classified as either emergency surgery, elective surgery or other surgery on the basis of a patient's presentation and subsequent care (not by time periods to surgery).</p>
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Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	National Health Information Standards and Statistics Committee
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Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	<p>Supersedes Elective surgery</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Health, Superseded 12/06/2015 <p>See also Emergency surgery</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Health, Standard 12/06/2015• Tasmanian Health, Standard 01/12/2016 <p>See also Other surgery</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ACT Health (retired), Candidate 19/07/2018• Health, Standard 12/06/2015• Tasmanian Health, Standard 01/12/2016
Metadata items which use this glossary item:	<p>Admitted patient care NBEDS 2020-21</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Health, Superseded 05/02/2021 <p>Admitted patient care NBEDS 2021-22</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Health, Superseded 17/12/2021 <p>Admitted patient care NBEDS 2022-23</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Health, Standard 17/12/2021 <p>Admitted patient care NMDS 2016-17</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Health, Superseded 05/10/2016 <p>Admitted patient care NMDS 2017-18</p>

- [Health](#), Superseded 25/01/2018

[Admitted patient care NMDS 2018-19](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 09/08/2018
- [Health](#), Superseded 12/12/2018

[Admitted patient care NMDS 2019-20](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 18/12/2019

[Admitted patient care NMDS 2020–21](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 05/02/2021

[Admitted patient care NMDS 2021–22](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 20/10/2021

[Admitted patient care NMDS 2022–23](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 20/10/2021

[Admitted subacute and non-acute hospital care NBEDS 2021–22](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 20/10/2021

[Admitted subacute and non-acute hospital care NBEDS 2022–23](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 20/10/2021

[Australian Health Performance Framework: PI 2.5.2–Waiting times for elective surgery: waiting times in days, 2019](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 09/04/2020

[Australian Health Performance Framework: PI 2.5.2–Waiting times for elective surgery: waiting times in days, 2020](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 13/10/2021

[Australian Health Performance Framework: PI 2.5.4–Waiting times for elective surgery: percentage waited more than 365 days, 2019](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 09/04/2020

[Elective care type code N](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 08/08/2018
- [Health](#), Superseded 14/10/2021

[Elective care waiting list episode—category reassignment date](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 08/08/2018
- [Health](#), Standard 12/06/2015
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 02/12/2016

[Elective care waiting list episode—category reassignment date](#)

- [Health](#), Recorded 09/11/2020

[Elective care waiting list episode—category reassignment date, DDMMYYYY](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 08/08/2018
- [Health](#), Superseded 05/02/2021
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 02/12/2016

[Elective care waiting list episode—category reassignment date, DDMMYYYY](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 05/02/2021

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- [Health](#), Superseded 19/11/2015

[Elective surgery code NN](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 03/08/2018
- [Health](#), Standard 19/11/2015

[Elective surgery waiting list episode—clinical urgency](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 19/07/2018
- [Health](#), Standard 12/06/2015
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 01/12/2016

[Elective surgery waiting list episode—clinical urgency, code N](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 05/02/2021

[Elective surgery waiting list episode—clinical urgency, code N](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 03/08/2018
- [Health](#), Superseded 05/02/2021

[Elective surgery waiting list episode—intended procedure, code NNN](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 29/06/2016

[Elective surgery waiting list episode—intended procedure, code NNN](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 03/08/2018
- [Health](#), Superseded 21/08/2019

[Elective surgery waiting list episode—intended procedure, code NNN](#)

- [Health](#), Recorded 29/06/2022

[Elective surgery waiting list episode—intended procedure, code NNN](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 25/01/2018

[Elective surgery waiting list episode—intended procedure, code NNN](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 05/02/2021

[Elective surgery waiting list episode—intended procedure, code NNN](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 05/02/2021

[Elective surgery waiting list episode—overdue patient status, code N](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 05/02/2021
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 16/06/2020

[Elective surgery waiting list episode—overdue patient status, code N](#)

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- [Health](#), Superseded 18/12/2019

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- [Health](#), Superseded 19/11/2015

[Elective surgery waiting list episode—overdue patient status, code N](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 25/01/2018
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Superseded 16/06/2020

[Elective surgery waiting list episode—reason for removal from a waiting list, code N](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 03/08/2018
- [Health](#), Standard 25/01/2018

[Elective surgery waiting list episode—surgical specialty \(of scheduled doctor\), code NN](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 12/12/2018

[Elective surgery waiting list episode—surgical specialty of scheduled doctor, code NN](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 03/08/2018
- [Health](#), Standard 12/12/2018

[Elective surgery waiting list episode—waiting time \(at a census date\), total days N\[NNN\]](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 08/08/2018
- [Health](#), Superseded 12/12/2018
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Superseded 16/06/2020

[Elective surgery waiting list episode—waiting time \(at removal\), total days N\[NNN\]](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 15/02/2019
- [Health](#), Superseded 12/12/2018
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Superseded 16/06/2020

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- [Health](#), Superseded 18/12/2019

[Elective surgery waiting list episode—waiting time at a census date, total days N\[NNN\]](#)

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- [Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 16/06/2020

[Elective surgery waiting list episode—waiting time at removal, total days N\[NNN\]](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 05/02/2021

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- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 09/08/2018
- [Health](#), Superseded 18/12/2019

[Elective surgery waiting list episode—waiting time at removal, total days N\[NNN\]](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 05/02/2021
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 16/06/2020

[Elective surgery waiting times \(census data\) NMDS 2015-16](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 19/11/2015

[Elective surgery waiting times \(census data\) NMDS 2016-17](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 29/06/2016

[Elective surgery waiting times \(removals data\) NMDS 2015-16](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 19/11/2015

[Elective surgery waiting times \(removals data\) NMDS 2016-17](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 29/06/2016

[Elective surgery waiting times NMDS 2016-17](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 05/10/2016

[Elective surgery waiting times NMDS 2017-18](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 25/01/2018

[Elective surgery waiting times NMDS 2018-19](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 03/08/2018
- [Health](#), Superseded 12/12/2018

[Elective surgery waiting times NMDS 2019–20](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 18/12/2019

[Elective surgery waiting times NMDS 2020–21](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 05/02/2021

[Elective surgery waiting times NMDS 2021–22](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 17/12/2021

[Elective surgery waiting times NMDS 2022–23](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 17/12/2021

[Emergency surgery](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 12/06/2015
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 01/12/2016

[Emergency surgery](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 12/06/2015
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 01/12/2016

[Episode of admitted patient care—unplanned admission to Intensive Care Unit \(ICU\) following elective surgery indicator](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 04/09/2015

[Episode of admitted patient care—unplanned admission to Intensive Care Unit \(ICU\) following elective surgery indicator. Yes/no/not stated/inadequately described code N](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 04/09/2015

[Intended procedure](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 19/07/2018
- [Health](#), Standard 19/11/2015
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 08/12/2016

[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 20a—Waiting times for elective surgery: waiting times in days, 2018](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 19/06/2019

[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 20a—Waiting times for elective surgery: waiting times in days, 2019](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 13/03/2020

[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 20a—Waiting times for elective surgery: waiting times in days, 2020](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 13/03/2020

[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 20a—Waiting times for elective surgery: waiting times in days, 2021](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 16/09/2020

[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 20a–Waiting times for elective surgery: waiting times in days, 2022](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 24/09/2021

[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 20b–Waiting times for elective surgery: proportion seen on time, 2018](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 19/06/2019

[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 20b–Waiting times for elective surgery: proportion seen on time, 2019](#)

- [Health](#), Superseded 13/03/2020

[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 20b–Waiting times for elective surgery: proportion seen on time, 2020](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 13/03/2020

[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 20b–Waiting times for elective surgery: proportion seen on time, 2021](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 16/09/2020

[National Healthcare Agreement: PI 20b–Waiting times for elective surgery: proportion seen on time, 2022](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 24/09/2021

[Other surgery](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 19/07/2018
- [Health](#), Standard 12/06/2015
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 01/12/2016

[Other surgery](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 19/07/2018
- [Health](#), Standard 12/06/2015
- [Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 01/12/2016

[Unplanned admission to Intensive Care Unit \(ICU\) following elective surgery indicator](#)

- [Health](#), Standard 04/09/2015