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| Seq No. | Metadata item | METEOR identifier | Data Type [Length] | Value & Meaning | |
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| - | Listing date for care | 684808 | Date/Time [8] | DDMMYYYY | The day of a particular month and year. |
| - | Clinical urgency | 598034 | Number [1] | 1 2 3 | Procedures that are clinically indicated within 30 days Procedures that are clinically indicated within 90 days Procedures that are clinically indicated within 365 days |
| - | Intended procedure | 717635 | String [3] | 001 002 003 004 005 006 007 008 010 011 012 013 014 015 016 017 018 019 020 021 022 023 024 025 026 028 029 030 031 032 033 034 035 036 | Cataract extraction (with or without intra-ocular lens insertion) Cholecystectomy (open/laparoscopic) Coronary artery bypass grafting Cystoscopy Haemorrhoidectomy Hysterectomy (abdominal/vaginal/laparoscopic) Inguinal herniotomy/herniorrhaphy Myringoplasty/tympanoplasty Prostatectomy (transurethral or open) Septoplasty Tonsillectomy (with or without adenoidectomy) Total hip replacement Total knee replacement Varicose veins treatment Myringotomy (without insertion of grommets) Pressure equalising tubes (grommets) - insertion of Abdominal or thoracic aortic aneurysm - repair/replacement Acromioplasty/arthroscopy shoulder/sub acromial decompression Adenoidectomy Amputation of limb Anal fissure - repair of Anterior cruciate ligament reconstruction Arthrodesis Arthroplasty - revision of Arthroscopy Axillary node dissection Bartholin's abscess drainage Bartholin's cyst - removal of Bladder neck incision Blepharoplasty Branchial apparatus remnant - removal of Breast lump - excision and/or biopsy Breast prosthesis - removal of Breast reconstruction |

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| | | | | 037 Breast reduction |
| | | | | 038 Bunion (hallux valgus) - removal of |
| | | | | 039 Carotid endarterectomy |
| | | | | 040 Carpal tunnel release |
| | | | | 041 Cerebral haematoma - evacuation of |
| | | | | 042 Cervical discectomy and fusion |
| | | | | 043 Chalazion - excision of |
| | | | | 044 Chiari malformation decompression |
| | | | | 045 Circumcision |
| | | | | 046 Cleft lip and palate - repair of |
| | | | | 047 Colectomy/anterior resection/large bowel resection |
| | | | | 048 Common peroneal nerve release |
| | | | | 049 Cone biopsy |
| | | | | 050 Congenital cardiac defect/s – procedure for |
| | | | | 051 Congenital pulmonary lesion - removal of |
| | | | | 052 Corneal graft |
| | | | | 053 Cranioplasty |
| | | | | 054 Craniotomy |
| | | | | 055 Curettage and evacuation of uterus |
| | | | | 056 Cystectomy |
| | | | | 057 Dacryocystorhinostomy |
| | | | | 058 Dermoid cyst - removal of |
| | | | | 059 Dialysis access surgery |
| | | | | 060 Diathermy of wart/s |
| | | | | 061 Discectomy |
| | | | | 062 Dupuytren's contracture release |
| | | | | 063 Ectropion - correction of |
| | | | | 064 Endometrial ablation |
| | | | | 065 Epididymal cyst - removal of |
| | | | | 066 Ethmoidectomy |
| | | | | 067 Examination of eye under anaesthesia |
| | | | | 068 Exostosis - excision of |
| | | | | 069 Female sterilisation |
| | | | | 070 Femoro-popliteal bypass graft |
| | | | | 071 Fracture non-union - treatment of |
| | | | | 072 Functional endoscopic sinus surgery |
| | | | | 073 Fundoplication |
| | | | | 074 Ganglion - excision of |
| | | | | 075 Hammer/claw/mallet toe - correction of |
| | | | | 076 Heart valve replacement |
| | | | | 077 Herniorrhaphy |
| | | | | 078 Hydrocele - repair of |
| | | | | 079 Hypospadias - repair of |
| | | | | 080 Hysteroscopy, dilatation and curettage |
| | | | | 081 Insertion of ventricular peritoneal shunt |
| | | | | 082 Laminectomy |

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| | | | | 083 Laparoscopy |
| | | | | 084 Large loop excision of the transformation zone cervix (LLETZ) |
| | | | | 085 Laryngectomy |
| | | | | 086 Lingual or maxillary frenulum surgery |
| | | | | 087 Lithotripsy |
| | | | | 088 Lobectomy/wedge resection/pneumonectomy |
| | | | | 089 Lymphangioma - surgery for |
| | | | | 090 Mastectomy |
| | | | | 091 Mastoidectomy |
| | | | | 092 Meatoplasty |
| | | | | 093 Meniscectomy |
| | | | | 094 Microlaryngoscopy |
| | | | | 095 Muscle biopsy/temporal artery biopsy |
| | | | | 096 Muscle or tendon length - change of |
| | | | | 097 Myomectomy |
| | | | | 098 Nasal cautery |
| | | | | 099 Nasal polypectomy |
| | | | | 100 Nasendoscopy |
| | | | | 101 Neonatal surgery |
| | | | | 102 Nephrectomy |
| | | | | 103 Nerve decompression |
| | | | | 104 Nerve decompression of spinal cord |
| | | | | 105 Orchidectomy |
| | | | | 106 Orchidopexy |
| | | | | 107 Osteotomy |
| | | | | 108 Parathyroidectomy |
| | | | | 109 Parotidectomy/submandibular gland - excision of |
| | | | | 110 Pectus surgery |
| | | | | 111 Pedicle screw fusion |
| | | | | 112 Pharyngoplasty |
| | | | | 113 Pharynx - excision of |
| | | | | 114 Pilonidal sinus surgery |
| | | | | 115 Pleurodesis |
| | | | | 116 Posterior fossa decompression |
| | | | | 117 Probing of naso-lacrimal duct |
| | | | | 118 Procedure for strabismus (squint repair) |
| | | | | 119 Prostate biopsy |
| | | | | 120 Pterygium - excision of |
| | | | | 121 Ptosis - repair of |
| | | | | 122 Pyeloplasty/correction of ureteropelvic junction |
| | | | | 123 Pyogenic granuloma - removal of |
| | | | | 124 Radical neck dissection |
| | | | | 125 Repair of obstructing hiatus hernia |
| | | | | 126 Replacement of aortic aneurysm with bifurcation graft |
| | | | | 127 Removal of intracranial lesion |
| | | | | 128 Rhinoplasty |

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| | | | | 129 Rotator cuff - repair of 130 Salpingo-oophorectomy/oophorectomy/ovarian cystectomy 131 Scar revision 132 Shoulder joint replacement 133 Shoulder reconstruction 134 Skin lesion - excision of 135 Stapedectomy 136 Stone/s urinary tract - removal of 137 Stress incontinence surgery 138 Sub-mucosal resection 139 Tendon release 140 Tenotomy of hip 141 Thyroglossal remnant - removal of 142 Thyroidectomy/hemi-thyroidectomy 143 Toenail surgery 144 Trabeculectomy 145 Trigger finger/thumb release 146 Turbinectomy/turbinoplasty 147 Untethering of spinal cord 148 Ureteric - reimplantation 149 Ureteric stent - insertion of 150 Urethra - dilatation of 151 Vaginal repair - anterior/posterior 152 Vitrectomy (including buckling/cryotherapy) 888 Other |
| - | Overdue patient status | 684818 | Number [1] | 1 Overdue patient 2 Other |
| - | Reason for removal from elective surgery waiting list | 684830 | Number [1] | 1 Admitted as an elective patient for awaited procedure by or on behalf of this hospital or the state/territory 2 Admitted as an emergency patient for awaited procedure by or on behalf of this hospital or the state/territory 3 Could not be contacted (includes patients who have died while waiting, whether or not the cause of death was related to the condition requiring treatment) 4 Treated elsewhere for awaited procedure, but not on behalf of this hospital or the state/territory 5 Surgery not required or declined 6 Transferred to another hospital's waiting list 9 Not known |

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| - | Surgical specialty of scheduled doctor | 689726 | String [2] | 01 Cardio-thoracic surgery 02 Otolaryngology head and neck surgery 03 General surgery 04 Gynaecology surgery 05 Neurosurgery 06 Ophthalmology surgery 07 Orthopaedic surgery 08 Plastic and reconstructive surgery 09 Urological surgery 10 Vascular surgery 11 Other 12 Paediatric surgery |
| - | Waiting time at removal from elective surgery waiting list | 689791 | Number [4] | N[NNN] Total number of days. |
| - | Establishment identifier | 269973 | String [9] | NNX[X]NNNNN A combination of numeric and alphanumeric characters that identify an entity. |