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Table, Supplemental Digital Content 1

Validation of surgical planning tool using the pre-intervention group (analysis done retrospectively). Days 6 and 7 excluded as the trauma list did not start until 2pm and 5pm on these days.

	No. cases proceeding to surgery	Predicted theatre end time	Actual start time	Actual end time	Projected – actual time (minutes)	Projected – actual time (corrected for actual start time)
Day 1	4	17:49	09:54	23:00	-311	-272
2	5	18:56	09:32	20:01	-65	-48
3	6	22:13	09:13	19:43	+150	+152
4	3	14:24	09:58	18:01	-217	-174
5	2	13:24	09:13	13:26	-2	0
8	5	19:54	09:22	00:35	+316	+309
9	7	00:18	09:44	22:05	+133	+104
10	6	21:29	09:31	21:59	-30	-14
11	7	23:53	09:47	23:58	-5	+27
12	8	23:20	09:20	23:25	-5	0
13	4	17:24	08:55	22:41	-317	-337
14	4	17:48	09:09	18:01	-13	-19
				Range	-311 to +316	-337 to +309
				Mean	-31 mins	-23 mins
				Median	-9 mins	-7 mins

Table, Supplemental Digital Content 2Summary of demographic data for pre- and post-intervention hip fracture groups.

	Pre-intervention hip fracture group		Post-intervention hip fracture group	
Dates	6-19.12.2014		1-14.06.2015	
Number of days	14		14	
Total patients listed	103		105	
Hip fracture patients	24/103	23%	20/105	19%
Age (years)				
Mean	79		76	
Range	61-95		43-92	
Number proceeding to surgery	18/24	75%	15/20	75%
Number cancelled	1	4%	0	
Number delayed	6	25%	5	25%
Due to workload	2/6	33%	0/5	0%
Not fit	3	50%	4	80%
Imaging required	0		1	20%
Patient not fasted	0		0	