

Table 25704 (2026). How many of the five fast-tracked wards are on track to become operational in the second half of 2026 as at 3 June 2026, and what is the expected operational date for each?

Project	Current stage	Forecast practical completion	Forecast Go live
Hawke's Bay	Construction	Q3 2026	Q3 2026
Middlemore	Construction	Q1 2027	Q1 2027
Nelson	Construction	Q4 2026	Q4 2026
Waikato	Design	Q2 2027	Q2 2027
Wellington	Design	Q3 2027	Q3 2027

Notes:

- Estimated completion dates are as at 8 June 2026.
- Go-live dates are subject to individual hospitals securing operational budgets to support staffing uplifts.
- Quarterly dates are based on calendar year.