

Cardiac Surgery Report (Week Ending 22 August 2010)

In the week ending 22 August 2010, DHBs have delivered 48 operations against a plan of 58 operations. For the year to date, 411 operations have been provided against a plan of 445 operations.

Auckland is reporting delays in delivery due to ongoing perfusionist availability. The number of patients accepted for surgery continues to run somewhat higher than usual, with a consequent further increase in the total number waiting to 95. The DHB has plans underway to address this through outsourcing.

Waikato has now resolved their delivery problems. This with an unusually small number of patients accepted has resulted in a rapid fall in the total number waiting. Capital & Coast have completed the review of planned delivery phasing and will submit a revised template next week. The number of referrals to the service continues to be low.

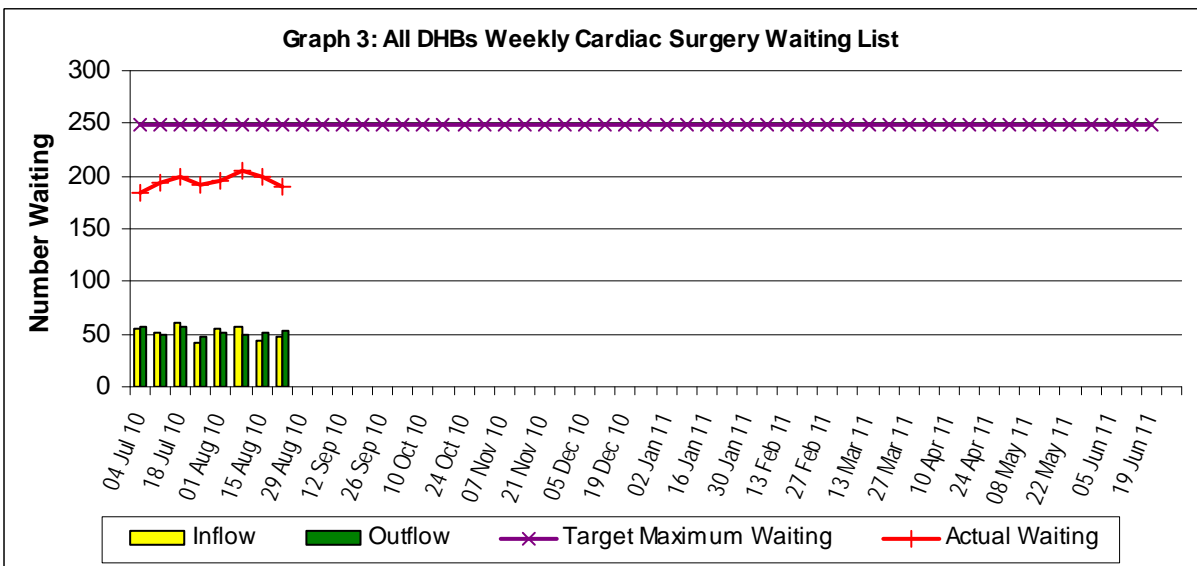
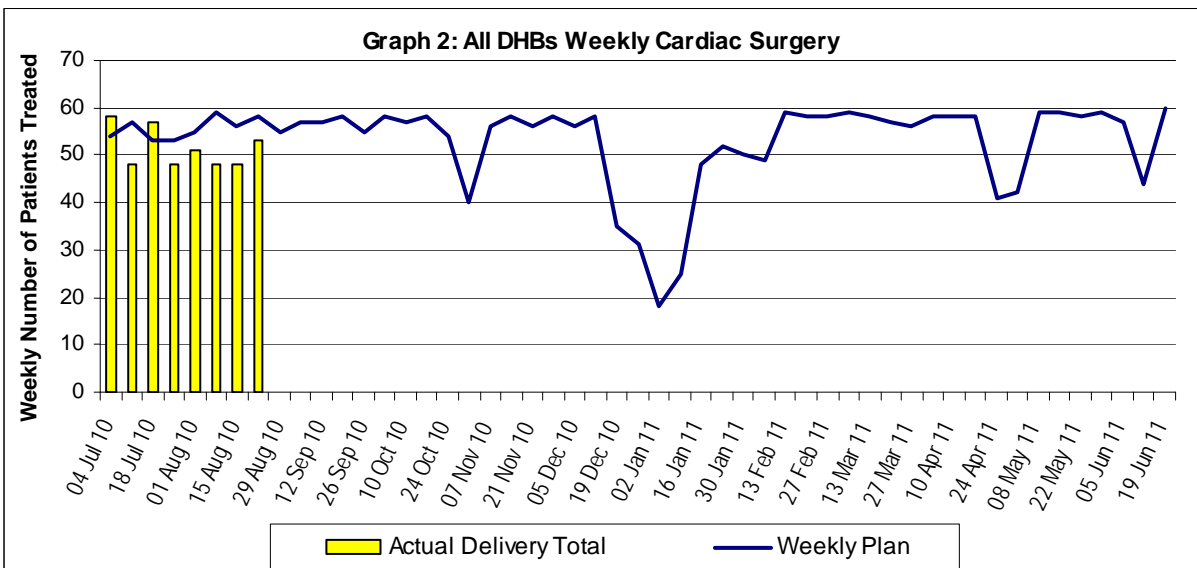
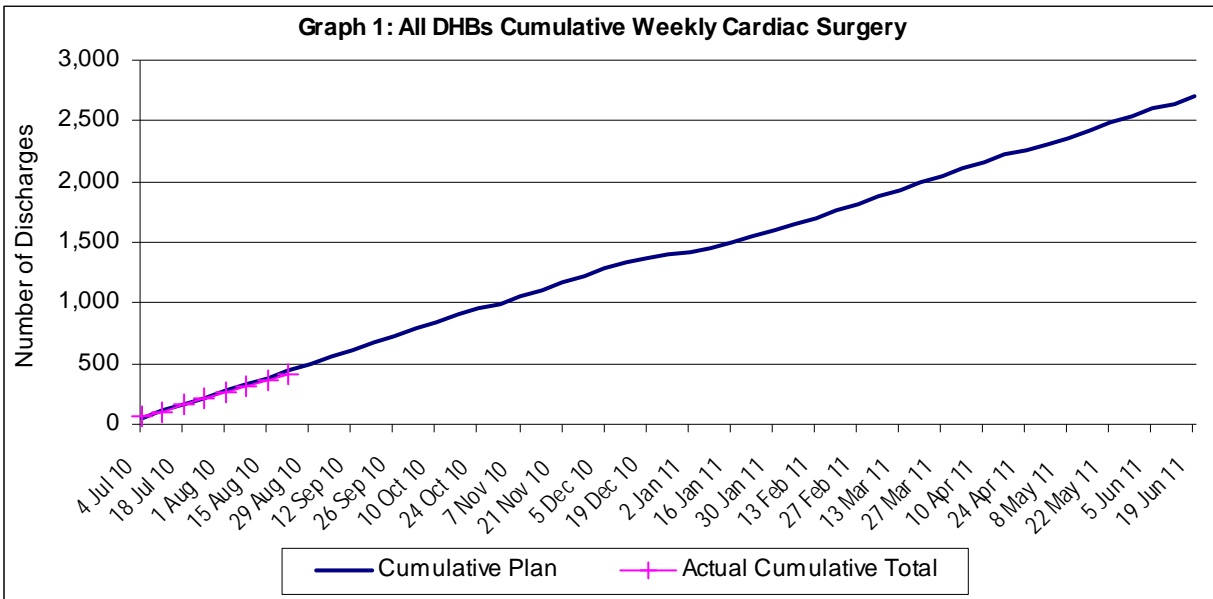
Table 1: Cardiac surgery results for week ending 22 August 2010

DHB	YTD planned	YTD actual ¹	YTD variance	Weekly agreed plan	Weekly actual (internal data)	Number waiting	Change from last week (+inc / -dec)	Maximum number waiting ²
Auckland	151	136	-15	19	18	95	+4	81
Waikato	96	89	-7	12	13	44	-10	48
Capital & Coast	108	88	-20	14	9	18	2	60
Canterbury	55	54	-1	8	6	11	-4	35
Otago	35	43	8	4	6	22	-2	25
Total	445	411	-34	58	48	200	-10	249

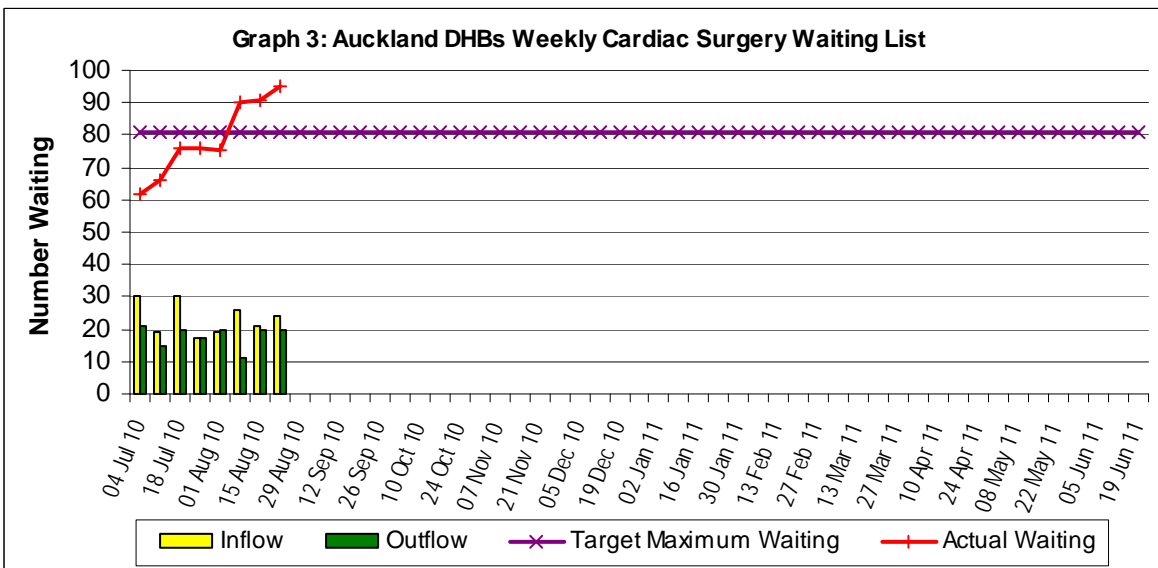
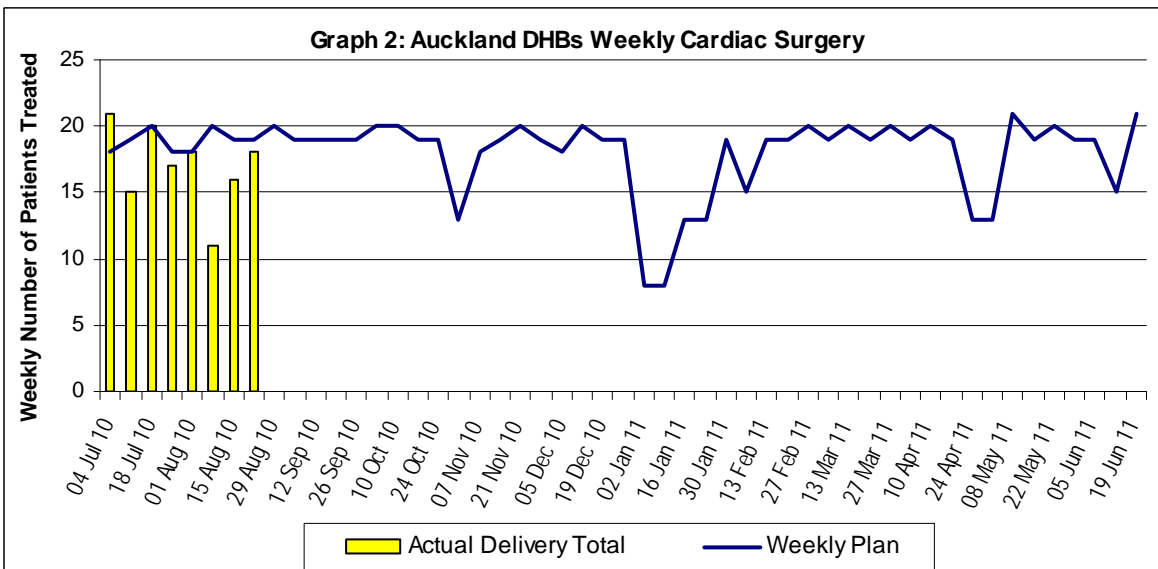
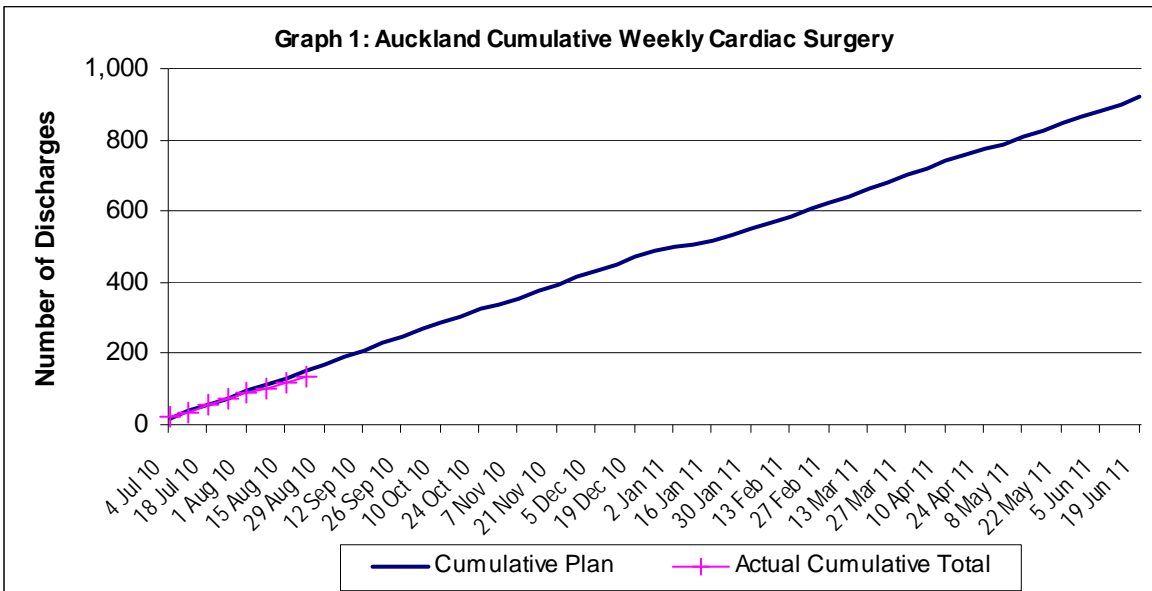
¹ YTD actual is as reported by DHBs.

² "Maximum number waiting" is the maximum number of patients a DHB should have, consistent with treating all patients within a clinically appropriate timeframe. It is assumed at 10% of the DHB's full year target, with the exception of Auckland and Capital & Coast where the actual number has been agreed.

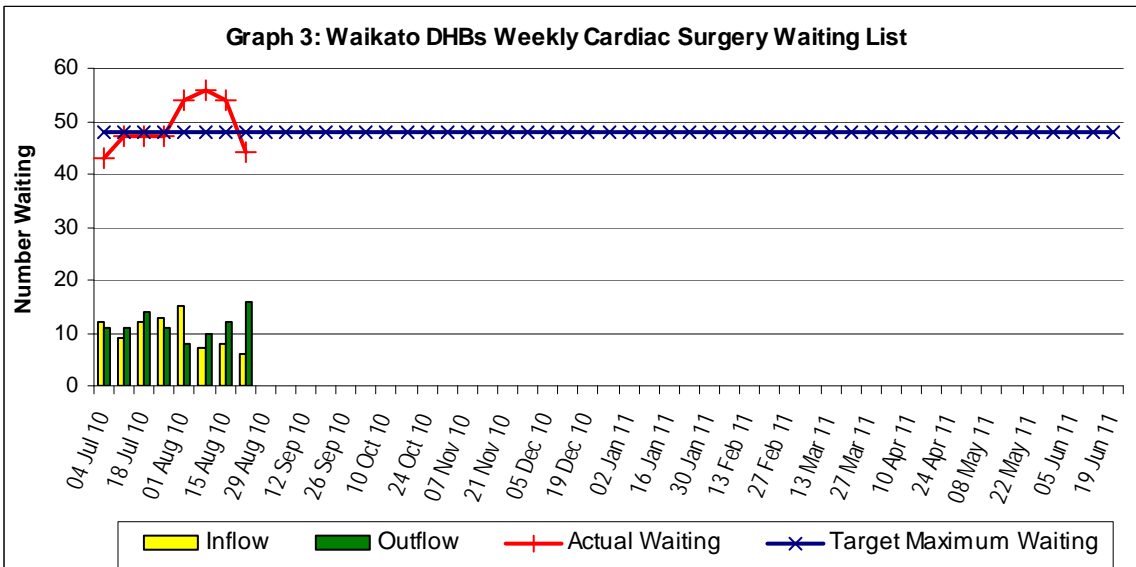
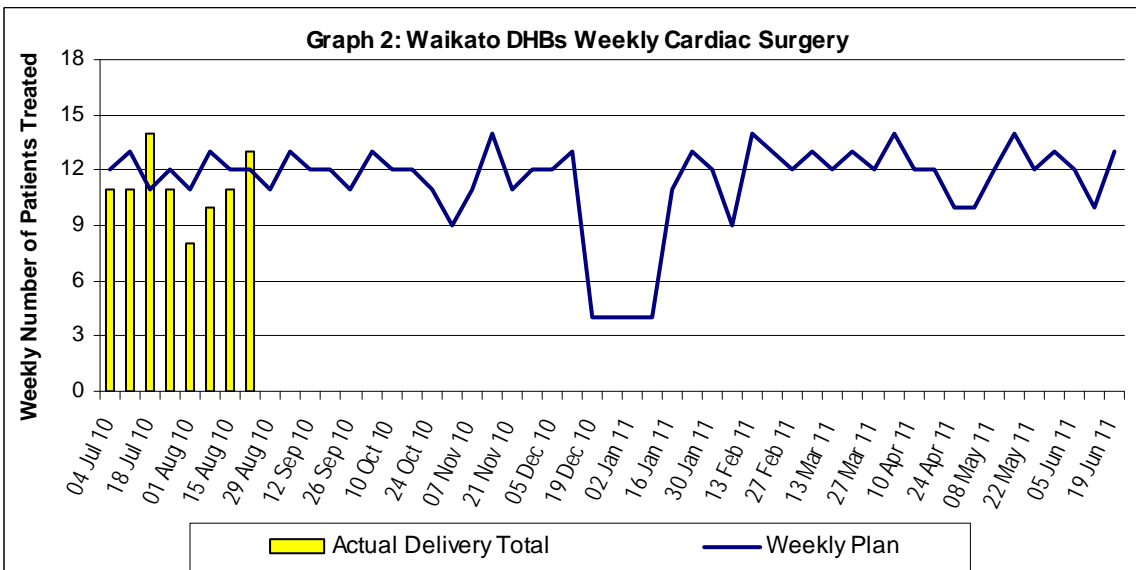
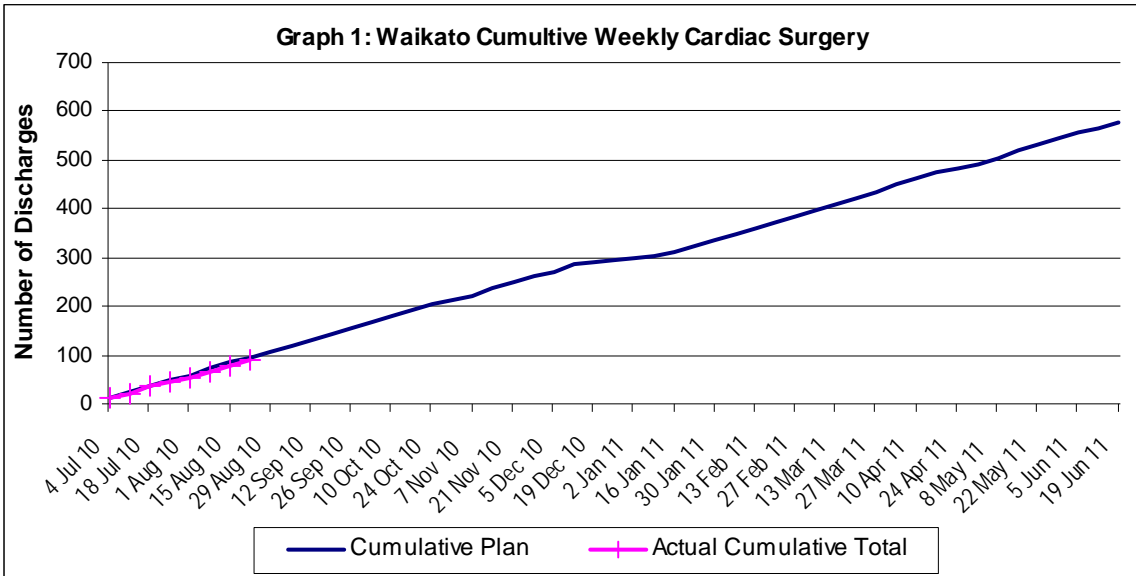
National Results



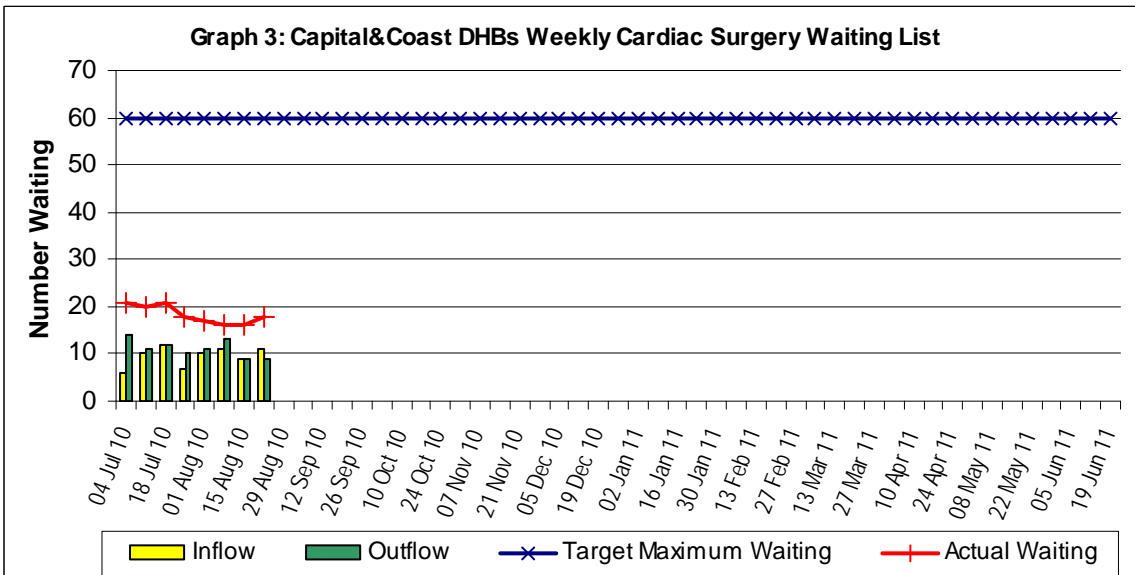
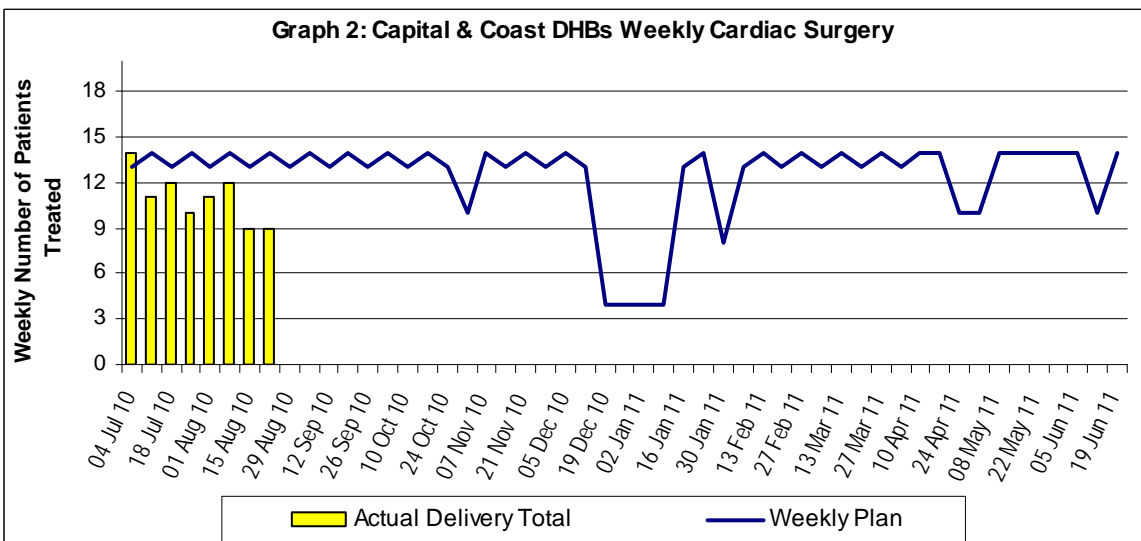
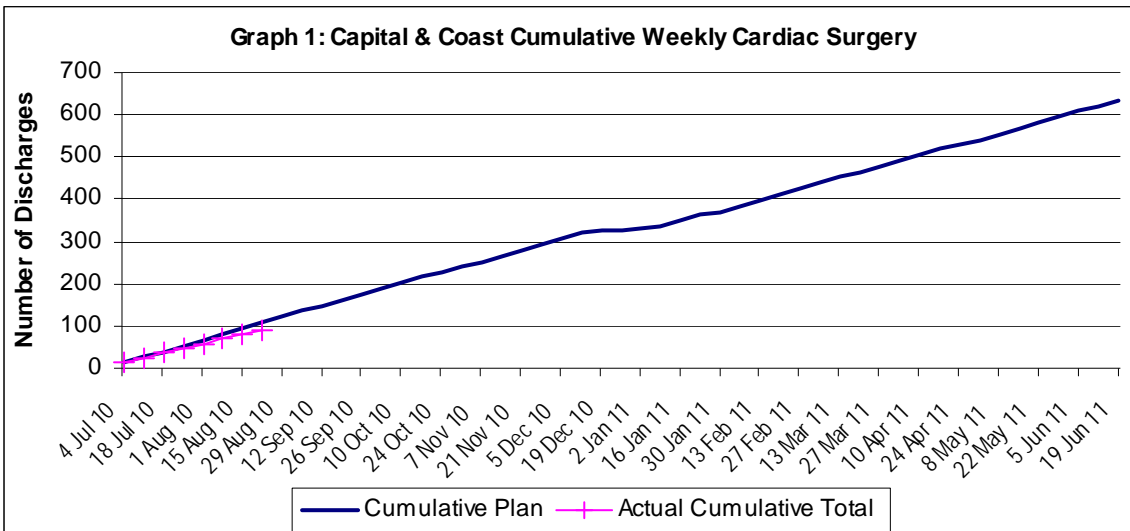
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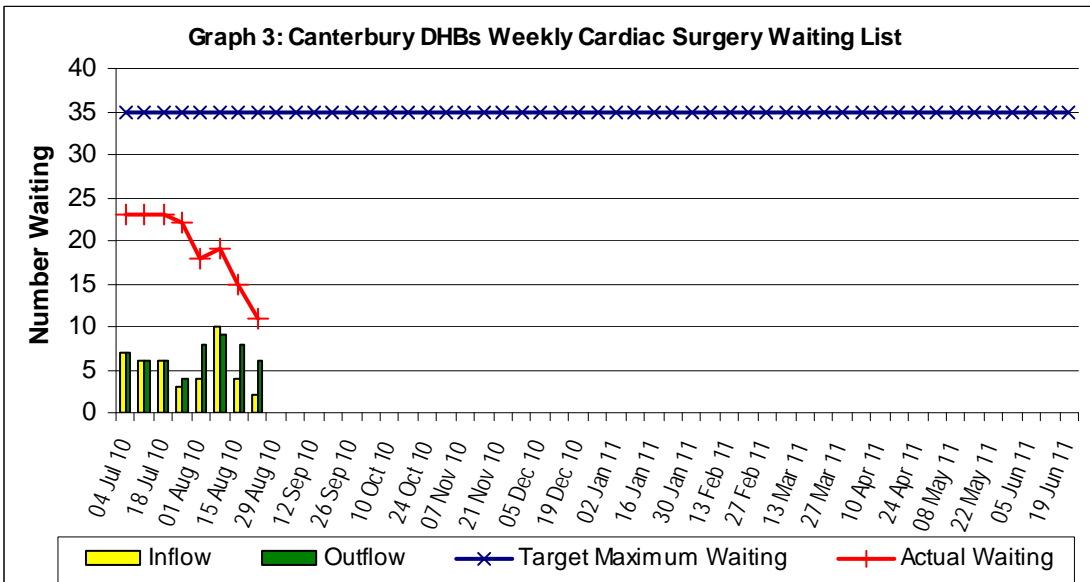
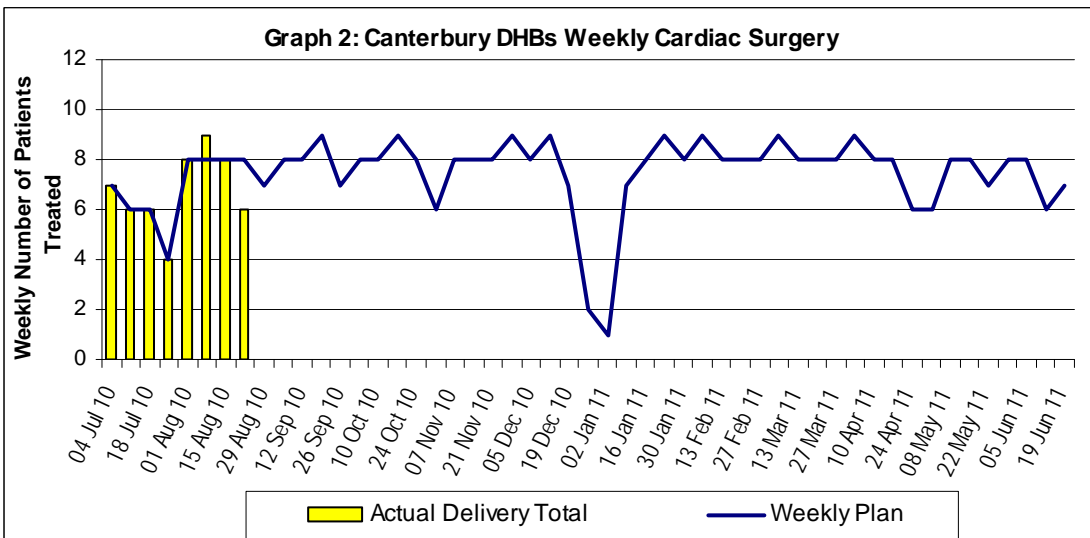
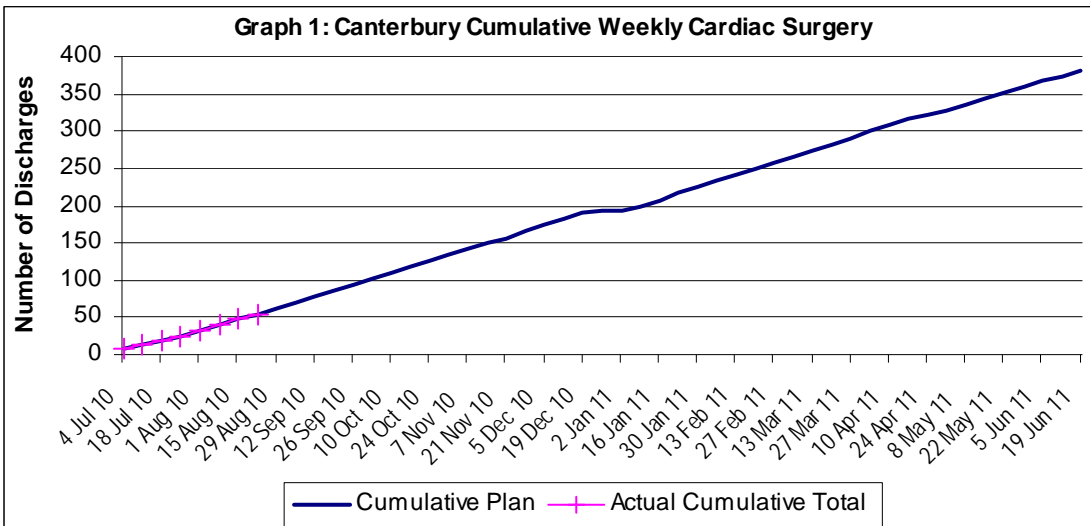
Waikato Results



Capital & Coast Results



Canterbury Results



Otago Results

