

St344 Individual Coursework U1619685

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```
library(tidyverse)
library(lubridate)
library(broom)
library(car)
library(coin)
library(pgirmess)
library(Hmisc)
library(rio)
library(gridExtra)
```

Lab work

This section of the technical appendix will cover the code produced as part of lab 6, which was used to guide the starting point for the individual project work in general in terms of datasets and provided a good base for exploratory data analysis in particular for pointing out the effect of different days.

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#function to lower case column names as in general it is better
#and easier to refer to everything in the lower case
hadley_format <- function(data){
  for (i in 1:length(colnames(data))) {
    colnames(data)[i] = tolower(colnames(data)[i])
  }
  data
}

#Setting up the file path and loading in the .csv files
file_loc <- "C:/Users/Stephen/Desktop/University Work/Year 3 uni/St344/"
monthYears <- paste0(month.abb[c(3:12,1:8)], "_", c(rep(18,10),rep(19,8)))
d <- list()
for (i in 1:length(monthYears)) {
  filename <- paste0(file_loc, "Appointments_GP_Daily_Aug19/CCG_CSV_", monthYears[i], ".csv")
  d[[i]] <- import(filename, setclass = "tibble")
}

#Checking whether each file has the same number of columns
a <- TRUE
for(i in 1:length(d)){
  cols_1 <- length(d[[1]])
  if(cols_1 - length(d[[i]]) != 0){
    a <- FALSE
  }
  a
}
a

## [1] TRUE

#Loading in the Coventry Data from the files
covData <- tibble()
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for (i in 1:length(monthYears)) {
  covData <- rbind(covData, filter(d[[i]], CCG_NAME=="NHS Coventry and Rugby CCG"))
}

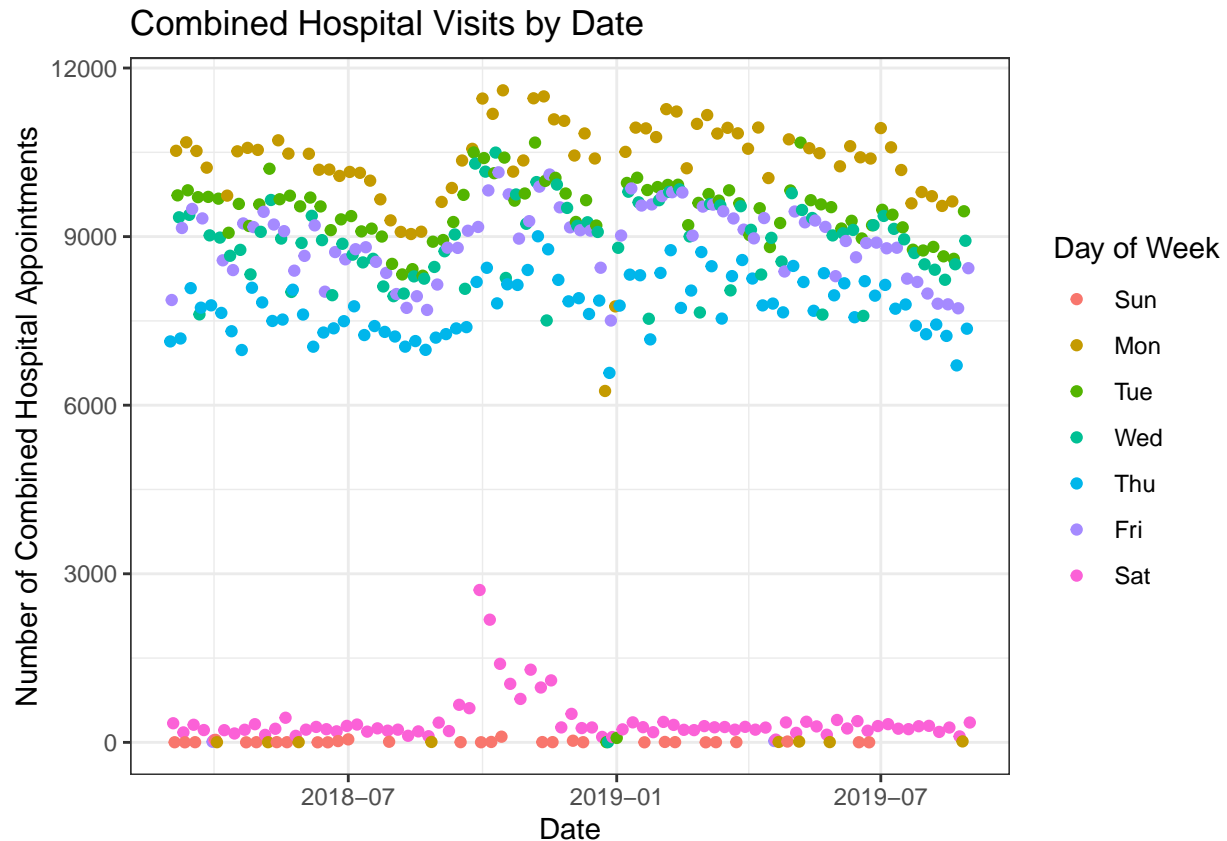
#This code removes the d variable from the environment and should speed things up
#As the d variable is over 500mb and can cause performance issues in rstudio
remove(d)

covData <- select(covData, Appointment_Date, APPT_STATUS, HCP_TYPE, APPT_MODE, TIME_BETWEEN_BOOK_AND_API,
                  COUNT_OF_APPOINTMENTS) %>%
  mutate(Appointment_Date = parse_date_time(Appointment_Date, "%d-%b-%Y")) %>%
  #Changing the letters to lower case to match Hadley Wickhams style guide
  hadley_format() %>%
  #updating the appointment_date variable
  mutate(appointment_data = mdy(appointment_date))

#Looking at number of appointments by each mode
appt_by_mode <- covData %>%
  group_by(appt_mode) %>%
  summarise(count = sum(count_of_appointments))

#Produce a plot line in the lab to ensure my code thus far is correct
covData %>%
  group_by(appointment_date) %>%
  summarise(count = sum(count_of_appointments)) %>%
  ggplot() +
  geom_point(aes(x = appointment_date, y = count,
                 colour = wday(appointment_date, label = TRUE, abbr = TRUE))) +
  labs(x = "Date", y = "Number of Combined Hospital Appointments",
       title = "Combined Hospital Visits by Date",
       colour = "Day of Week") +
  theme_bw() +
  #Can customise colours in due course if required inside next line
  scale_colour_discrete()

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#importing next dataset which involves which patients are registered at each practice
app_gp_coverage <- import(paste0(file_loc,
                                "Appointments_GP_Daily_Aug19/APPOINTMENTS_GP_COVERAGE.csv"),
                          setclass = "tibble") %>%
  mutate(Appointment_Month = parse_date_time(Appointment_Month, "%d-%b-%Y")) %>%
  hadley_format()

##combining the two datasets for future use
#Filtered to only contain extra information where necessary
data <- left_join(covData, app_gp_coverage, by = c("ccg_code" = "commissioner_organisation_code"))
data <- inner_join(covData, app_gp_coverage, by = c("ccg_code" = "commissioner_organisation_code")) %>%
  filter(year(appointment_date) == year(appointment_month) &
         month(appointment_date) == month(appointment_month))
```

Demand on Coventry GPs

Since there is no data for number of GPs per practice, there is insufficient data to work out an appointment/GP number and hence demand will be modelled by overall appointments in the Cov Area. If this data had been available, then the average time of each visit type and number could have been averaged out over the GPs to find a demand average for GPs but sadly this wasn't available. Appointments which were not attended are still used for the count as the GP still had to be available to answer the person. The counts have been summed by week to take account of differences between days and too try and *absorb* some of that variability. There has also been no subsetting based on hcp_type -> as all appointments is theoretically workload (if admin went through the room would still an increased workload for example)

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#Seasons data as per: https://www.timeanddate.com/calendar/seasons.html
seasons <- tibble(season = c("winter", "spring", "summer", "autumn",
                             "winter", "spring", "summer"),
                  start_date = c(as.Date("2017-12-21"), as.Date("2018-03-20"),
                                as.Date("2018-06-20"), as.Date("2018-09-23"),
                                as.Date("2018-12-21"), as.Date("2019-03-20"),
                                as.Date("2019-06-20")),
                  end_date = c(as.Date("2018-03-19"), as.Date("2018-06-19"),
                               as.Date("2018-09-22"), as.Date("2018-12-20"),
                               as.Date("2019-03-19"), as.Date("2019-06-19"),
                               as.Date("2019-09-22")))

#Some changes to the data, adding in season and week number to each observation
data <- data %>%
  #Detecting week number of appointment date
  mutate(week_num = isoweek(appointment_date)) %>%
  mutate(year = year(appointment_date)) %>%
  mutate(year = if_else(year == 2018, 0, 1)) %>%
  mutate(week_num = week_num + (52 * year)) %>%
  #Taking account of the fact that 1 actually refers to week 53
  mutate(week_num = if_else(week_num == 1, 53, week_num)) %>%
  mutate(week_num = week_num - 8) %>%
  #Changing class of appointment date variable for easier comparisons
  mutate(appointment_date = appointment_date %>% substr(1,10) %>% as.Date()) %>%
  #Adding
  mutate(season = if_else(between(appointment_date,
                                  seasons$start_date[1], seasons$end_date[1]), "winter",
                          if_else(between(appointment_date,
                                  seasons$start_date[2], seasons$end_date[2]), "spring",
                          if_else(between(appointment_date,
                                  seasons$start_date[3], seasons$end_date[3]), "summer",
                          if_else(between(appointment_date,
                                  seasons$start_date[4], seasons$end_date[4]), "autumn",
                          if_else(between(appointment_date,
                                  seasons$start_date[5], seasons$end_date[5]), "winter",
                          if_else(between(appointment_date,
                                  seasons$start_date[6], seasons$end_date[6]), "spring",
                          if_else(between(appointment_date,
                                  seasons$start_date[7], seasons$end_date[7]), "summer",
                          "Error"))))))))

# Making adjustment as some weeks may contain dates from different seasons
# Use median as 7 days in a week so only modal one will occur
temp <- data %>%
  mutate(season_num = if_else(season == "winter", 1,
                              if_else(season == "spring", 2,
                              if_else(season == "summer", 3, 4)))) %>%
  select(week_num, appointment_date, season, season_num) %>%
  unique() %>%
  select(week_num, season, season_num) %>%
  group_by(week_num) %>%
  summarise(count = median(season_num)) %>%
  mutate(season_median = if_else(count == 1, "winter",

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        if_else(count == 2, "spring",
        if_else(count == 3, "summer", "autumn")))) %>%
select(week_num, season_median)

data <- data %>%
  inner_join(temp)

## Joining, by = "week_num"
#Saving the data before I remove the anonymous weeks
#For use in part two of the report
part_2_data <- data

#Count summaries of the data by appointment mode and week
appt_by_mode <- data %>%
  group_by(appt_mode, week_num, season_median) %>%
  summarise(count = sum(count_of_appointments)) %>%
  ungroup()

#Looking into the two low results for Face-to-Face
appt_by_mode %>%
  filter(count < 20000 & appt_mode == "Face-to-Face")

## # A tibble: 2 x 4
##   appt_mode    week_num season_median count
##   <chr>          <dbl> <chr>          <int>
## 1 Face-to-Face      1 winter          12032
## 2 Face-to-Face     44 winter          15428

#Returns week 9 (first week and not a full one, only 4 results) and 52 (over Christmas so less visits)
data %>%
  filter(week_num %in% c(9, 52)) %>%
  select(appointment_date) %>%
  unique()

## # A tibble: 13 x 1
##   appointment_date
##   <date>
## 1 2018-04-23
## 2 2018-04-24
## 3 2018-04-25
## 4 2018-04-26
## 5 2018-04-27
## 6 2018-04-28
## 7 2018-04-29
## 8 2019-02-18
## 9 2019-02-19
## 10 2019-02-20
## 11 2019-02-21
## 12 2019-02-22
## 13 2019-02-23

#No appointments on 30th December - CHECK
data %>%
  filter(str_detect(appointment_date, '12-30'))

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## # A tibble: 0 x 20
## # ... with 20 variables: appointment_date <date>, appt_status <chr>,
## #   hcp_type <chr>, appt_mode <chr>, time_between_book_and_appt <chr>,
## #   ccg_code <chr>, count_of_appointments <int>, appointment_data <date>,
## #   stpcd <chr>, regional_local_office_code <chr>, region_code <chr>,
## #   appointment_month <dtm>, `included practices` <int>, `open
## #   practices` <int>, `patients registered at included practices` <int>,
## #   `patients registered at open practices` <int>, week_num <dbl>,
## #   year <dbl>, season <chr>, season_median <chr>

##Therefore we remove these two weeks (9 and 52) as they seem to be anomalous in comparison to others.
data <- data %>%
  filter(!week_num %in% c(9, 52)) %>%
  filter(appt_mode %in% c("Face-to-Face", "Telephone", "Home Visit"))

#Looking at median season result
median_season <- appt_by_mode %>%
  filter(appt_mode == "Face-to-Face") %>%
  group_by(season_median) %>%
  summarise(F2F = median(count)) %>%
  ungroup() %>%
  cbind(appt_by_mode %>%
    filter(appt_mode == "Telephone") %>%
    group_by(season_median) %>%
    summarise(telephone = median(count)) %>%
    ungroup() %>%
    select(telephone)) %>%
  cbind(appt_by_mode %>%
    filter(appt_mode == "Home Visit") %>%
    group_by(season_median) %>%
    summarise(home_visit = median(count)) %>%
    ungroup() %>%
    select(home_visit))

#Percentage of appointments which are telephone: Just approx for using value in report
(100*sum(median_season$telephone))/(sum(median_season$telephone
+ median_season$F2F + median_season$home_visit))

## [1] 10.61819
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Model exploration

```
model1 <- glm(count ~ 0 + week_num, family = "poisson", data = appt_by_mode %>%
  filter(appt_mode == "Face-to-Face"))

model1a <- glm(count ~ week_num, family = "poisson", data = appt_by_mode %>%
  filter(appt_mode == "Face-to-Face"))

#Face to Face Model
model2 <- glm(count ~ 0 + season_median + week_num, family = "poisson", data = appt_by_mode %>%
  filter(appt_mode == "Face-to-Face"))

model2a <- glm(count ~ season_median + week_num, family = "poisson", data = appt_by_mode %>%
  filter(appt_mode == "Face-to-Face"))
```

```

model1 %>% summary()

##
## Call:
## glm(formula = count ~ 0 + week_num, family = "poisson", data = appt_by_mode %>%
##   filter(appt_mode == "Face-to-Face"))
##
## Deviance Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -513.9   176.8   476.6   632.7   827.6
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## week_num 0.1553239   0.0000112   13871  <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for poisson family taken to be 1)
##
##      Null deviance: 51118458  on 79  degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 20434126  on 78  degrees of freedom
## AIC: 20435097
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 8

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model1a %>% summary()

##
## Call:
## glm(formula = count ~ week_num, family = "poisson", data = appt_by_mode %>%
##   filter(appt_mode == "Face-to-Face"))
##
## Deviance Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -137.936    -9.912     7.303    13.652    42.475
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## (Intercept) 1.044e+01  1.229e-03 8488.950 < 2e-16 ***
## week_num    1.187e-04  2.667e-05   4.452 8.52e-06 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for poisson family taken to be 1)
##
##      Null deviance: 65217  on 78  degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 65198  on 77  degrees of freedom
## AIC: 66170
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4

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model2 %>% summary()

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##
## Call:

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```
## glm(formula = count ~ 0 + season_median + week_num, family = "poisson",
##      data = appt_by_mode %>% filter(appt_mode == "Face-to-Face"))
##
## Deviance Residuals:
##      Min        1Q      Median        3Q      Max
## -132.527    -5.475     7.944    14.691    28.665
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## season_medianaumn 1.056e+01  1.735e-03 6084.55  <2e-16 ***
## season_medianspring 1.041e+01  1.464e-03 7108.70  <2e-16 ***
## season_mediansummer 1.039e+01  1.673e-03 6212.59  <2e-16 ***
## season_medianwinter 1.040e+01  1.793e-03 5800.15  <2e-16 ***
## week_num          3.146e-04  2.749e-05   11.45  <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for poisson family taken to be 1)
##
##      Null deviance: 51118458  on 79  degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance:   55361  on 74  degrees of freedom
## AIC: 56340
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4
```

```
model2a %>% summary()
```

```
##
## Call:
## glm(formula = count ~ season_median + week_num, family = "poisson",
##      data = appt_by_mode %>% filter(appt_mode == "Face-to-Face"))
##
## Deviance Residuals:
##      Min        1Q      Median        3Q      Max
## -132.527    -5.475     7.944    14.691    28.665
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## (Intercept)      1.056e+01  1.735e-03 6084.55  <2e-16 ***
## season_medianspring -1.526e-01  1.769e-03  -86.30  <2e-16 ***
## season_mediansummer -1.629e-01  1.801e-03  -90.46  <2e-16 ***
## season_medianwinter -1.561e-01  1.996e-03  -78.21  <2e-16 ***
## week_num          3.146e-04  2.749e-05   11.45  <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for poisson family taken to be 1)
##
##      Null deviance: 65217  on 78  degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 55361  on 74  degrees of freedom
## AIC: 56340
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4
```



```

BIC(model1)

## [1] 20435100
BIC(model1a)

## [1] 66175.13
BIC(model2)

## [1] 56351.36
BIC(model2a)

## [1] 56351.36
#Model 2 and 2a the same for F2F and significantly better than Model 1 so added seasons improves model
#Both model2 and 2a are equivalent as the intercept term is the same as the spring term in the other

#Let's see if it is the same for Telephone

model1 <- glm(count ~ 0 + week_num, family = "poisson", data = appt_by_mode %>%
  filter(appt_mode == "Telephone"))

model1a <- glm(count ~ week_num, family = "poisson", data = appt_by_mode %>%
  filter(appt_mode == "Telephone"))
#Telephone Model
model2 <- glm(count ~ 0 + season_median + week_num , family = "poisson", data = appt_by_mode %>%
  filter(appt_mode == "Telephone"))
#Home Visit Model
model2 <- glm(count ~ 0 + season_median + week_num , family = "poisson", data = appt_by_mode %>%
  filter(appt_mode == "Home Visit"))

model1 %>% summary()

##
## Call:
## glm(formula = count ~ 0 + week_num, family = "poisson", data = appt_by_mode %>%
##   filter(appt_mode == "Telephone"))
##
## Deviance Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -161.01   54.49  142.10  186.40  250.44
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## week_num 1.276e-01  3.111e-05   4101   <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for poisson family taken to be 1)
##
##      Null deviance: 5024387  on 79  degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 1785395  on 78  degrees of freedom
## AIC: 1786203
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 7

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```
model1a %>% summary()
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```
##
## Call:
## glm(formula = count ~ week_num, family = "poisson", data = appt_by_mode %>%
##   filter(appt_mode == "Telephone"))
##
## Deviance Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -39.089  -3.062   1.396   5.548  11.893
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## (Intercept)  8.220e+00  3.590e-03 2289.70  <2e-16 ***
## week_num     3.617e-03  7.532e-05  48.02   <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for poisson family taken to be 1)
##
##      Null deviance: 8806.7  on 78  degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 6495.7  on 77  degrees of freedom
## AIC: 7304.8
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4
```

```
model2a %>% summary()
```

```
##
## Call:
## glm(formula = count ~ season_median + week_num, family = "poisson",
##   data = appt_by_mode %>% filter(appt_mode == "Face-to-Face"))
##
## Deviance Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -132.527   -5.475    7.944   14.691   28.665
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## (Intercept)    1.056e+01  1.735e-03 6084.55  <2e-16 ***
## season_medianspring -1.526e-01  1.769e-03  -86.30  <2e-16 ***
## season_mediansummer -1.629e-01  1.801e-03  -90.46  <2e-16 ***
## season_medianwinter -1.561e-01  1.996e-03  -78.21  <2e-16 ***
## week_num        3.146e-04  2.749e-05   11.45  <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for poisson family taken to be 1)
##
##      Null deviance: 65217  on 78  degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 55361  on 74  degrees of freedom
## AIC: 56340
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4
```

```

BIC(model1)

## [1] 1786205

BIC(model1a)

## [1] 7309.582

BIC(model2a)

## [1] 56351.36

#Again model2(a) is the best so that's what will be used in the plotting function
##Final Models

glm(count ~ 0 + season_median + week_num , family = "poisson", data = appt_by_mode %>%
  filter(appt_mode == "Face-to-Face")) %>%
  summary()

##
## Call:
## glm(formula = count ~ 0 + season_median + week_num, family = "poisson",
##      data = appt_by_mode %>% filter(appt_mode == "Face-to-Face"))
##
## Deviance Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -132.527    -5.475     7.944    14.691    28.665
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## season_medianautumn 1.056e+01  1.735e-03 6084.55  <2e-16 ***
## season_medianspring 1.041e+01  1.464e-03 7108.70  <2e-16 ***
## season_mediansummer 1.039e+01  1.673e-03 6212.59  <2e-16 ***
## season_medianwinter 1.040e+01  1.793e-03 5800.15  <2e-16 ***
## week_num           3.146e-04  2.749e-05   11.45  <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for poisson family taken to be 1)
##
##      Null deviance: 51118458  on 79  degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance:   55361  on 74  degrees of freedom
## AIC: 56340
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4

glm(count ~ 0 + season_median + week_num , family = "poisson", data = appt_by_mode %>%
  filter(appt_mode == "Telephone")) %>%
  summary()

##
## Call:
## glm(formula = count ~ 0 + season_median + week_num, family = "poisson",
##      data = appt_by_mode %>% filter(appt_mode == "Telephone"))
##
## Deviance Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max

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## -39.215   -1.978    1.361    5.722    11.142
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## season_medianautumn 8.211e+00  5.125e-03 1602.12  <2e-16 ***
## season_medianspring 8.237e+00  4.200e-03 1961.46  <2e-16 ***
## season_mediansummer 8.184e+00  4.800e-03 1704.92  <2e-16 ***
## season_medianwinter 8.222e+00  5.044e-03 1630.09  <2e-16 ***
## week_num           3.778e-03  7.685e-05   49.16  <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for poisson family taken to be 1)
##
##    Null deviance: 5024386.8  on 79  degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance:   6339.6  on 74  degrees of freedom
## AIC: 7154.8
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4

glm(count ~ 0 + season_median + week_num , family = "poisson", data = appt_by_mode %>%
  filter(appt_mode == "Home Visit")) %>%
  summary()

##
## Call:
## glm(formula = count ~ 0 + season_median + week_num, family = "poisson",
##      data = appt_by_mode %>% filter(appt_mode == "Home Visit"))
##
## Deviance Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -16.0719   -0.6320    0.2222    1.2904    4.5027
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## season_medianautumn 6.3074293  0.0142006 444.166  < 2e-16 ***
## season_medianspring 6.2025845  0.0118739 522.372  < 2e-16 ***
## season_mediansummer 6.1825092  0.0135689 455.640  < 2e-16 ***
## season_medianwinter 6.2292596  0.0143393 434.419  < 2e-16 ***
## week_num           0.0011161  0.0002213   5.043 4.59e-07 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for poisson family taken to be 1)
##
##    Null deviance: 438047.05  on 79  degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance:   705.96  on 74  degrees of freedom
## AIC: 1355.2
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 4

#Graphing function for visual aids on the appointment counts
appt_count <- function(data, filter = "No Filter"){
  if(!filter == "No Filter"){
    #Updating data with filter

```

```

data <- data %>%
  filter(appt_mode == filter)

model <- glm(count ~ 0 + season_median + week_num , family = "poisson", data = data)
#Plot with no filter (include legend)
output <- data %>%
  mutate(poisson_estimate = predict(model, type = "response")) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = week_num)) +
  geom_point(aes(y = count, colour = season_median)) +
  geom_line(aes(y = poisson_estimate)) +
  theme_bw() +
  labs(title = paste0(filter, " Weekly Appointment Count with Poisson Regression Line"),
       x = "Week Number", y = "Weekly Appointment Count", colour = "Season") +
  scale_colour_manual("Season", values = c("darkorange1", "springgreen3", "gold", "royalblue2"))

}else{
output <- data %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = week_num, y = count, colour = appt_mode)) +
  geom_point() +
  theme_bw() +
  labs(title = paste0("Weekly Appointment Count by Appointment Type"),
       x = "Week Number", y = "Weekly Appointment Count", colour = "Appointment Type")
}

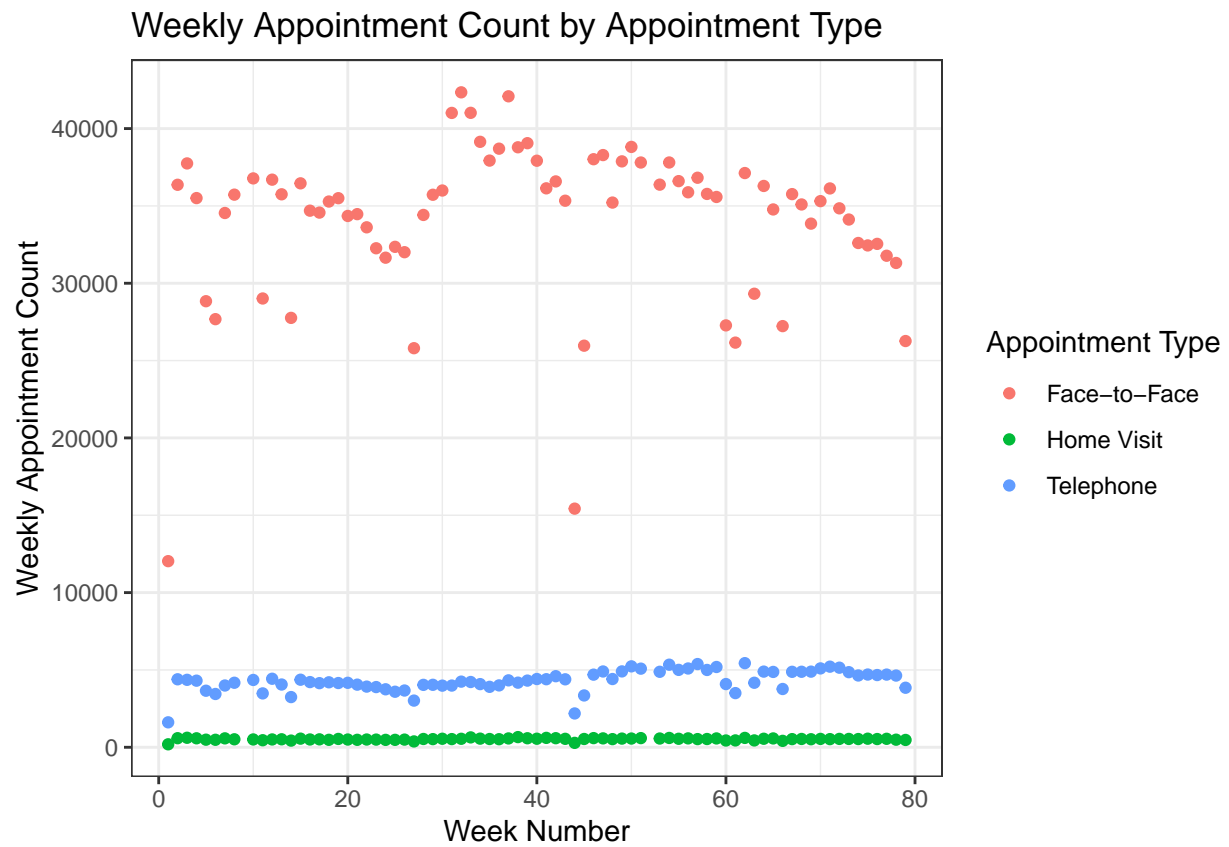
output

}

#Graphically exploring the different visit types and
appt_by_mode <- data %>%
  group_by(appt_mode, week_num, season_median) %>%
  summarise(count = sum(count_of_appointments)) %>%
  ungroup() %>%
  mutate(season_median = factor(season_median,
                                levels = c("spring", "summer", "autumn", "winter")))

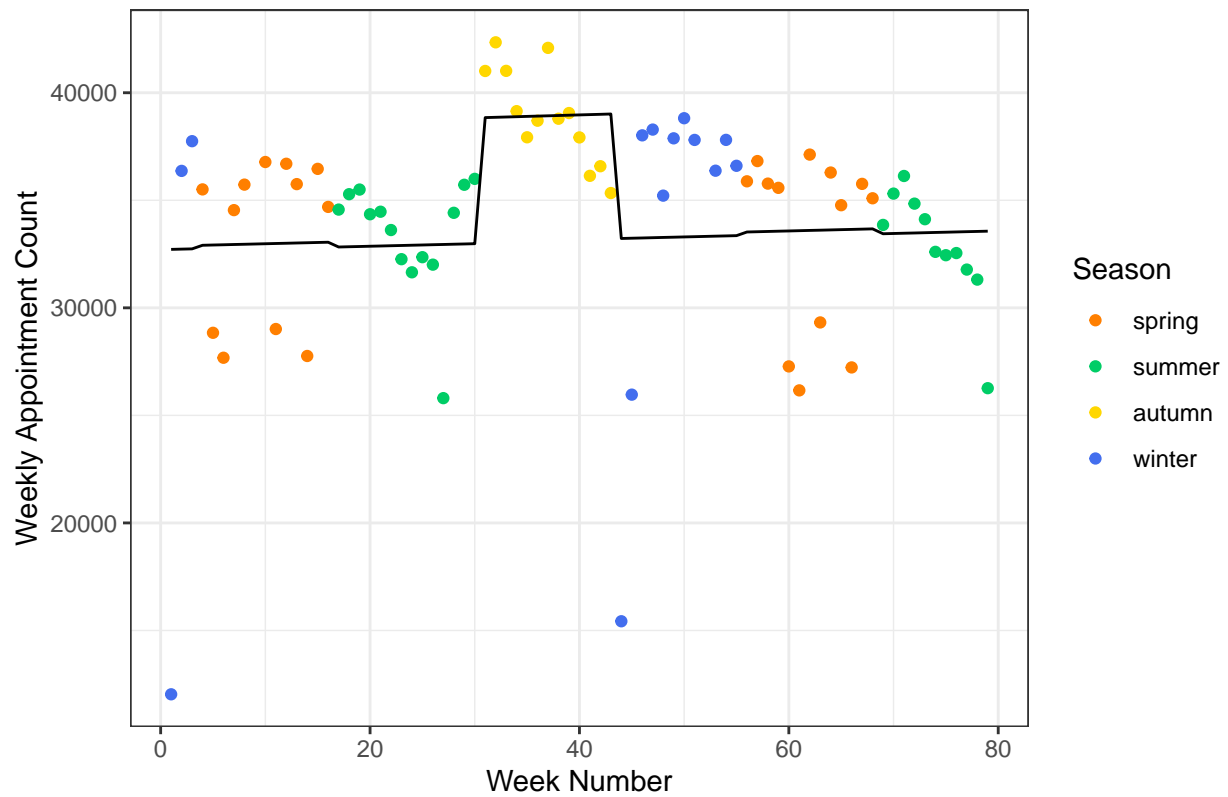
p1 <- appt_by_mode %>%
  appt_count()
p1

```



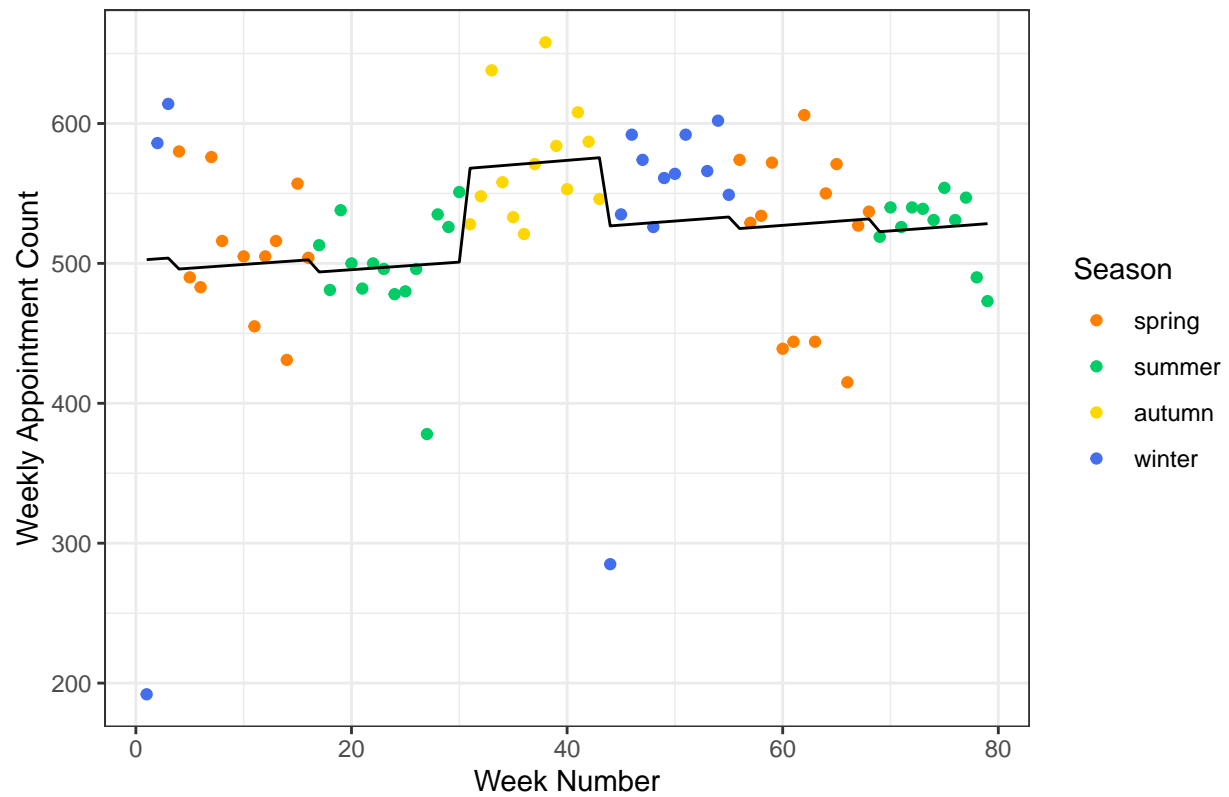
```
p2 <- appt_by_mode %>%  
  appt_count("Face-to-Face")  
p2
```

Face-to-Face Weekly Appointment Count with Poisson Regression Line



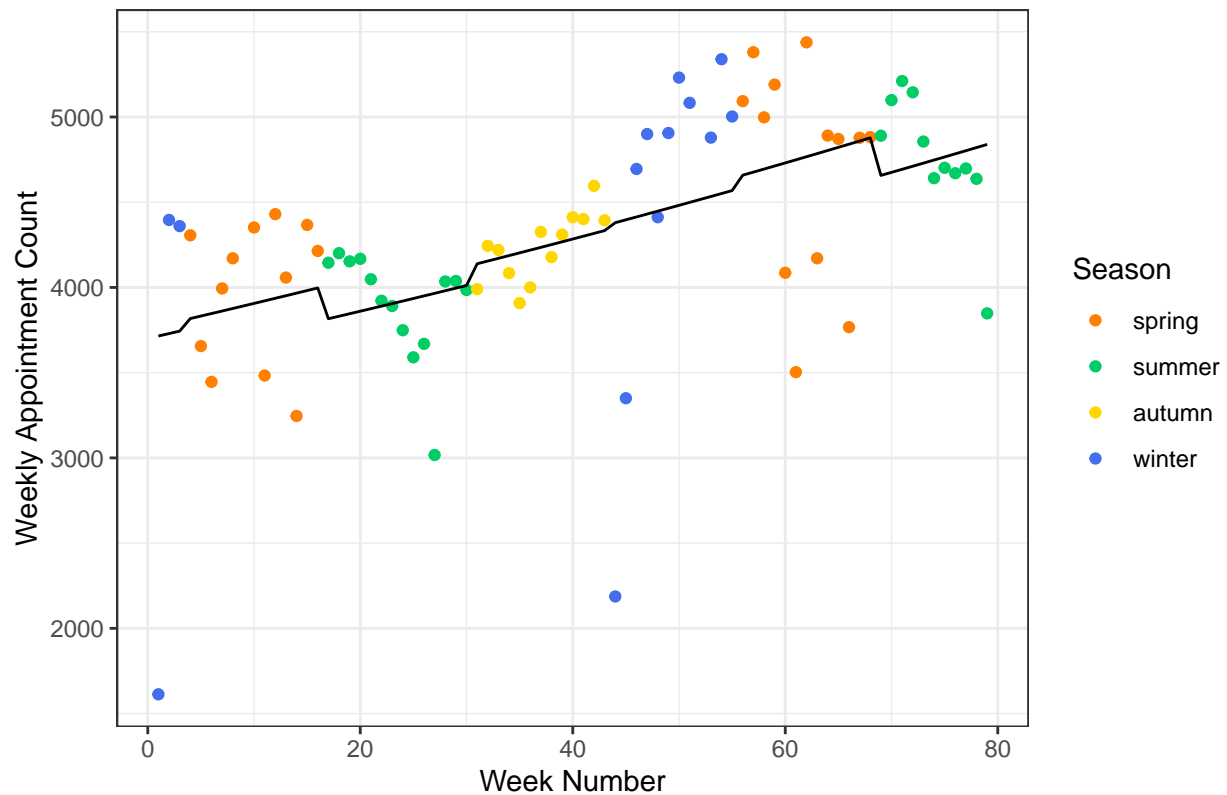
```
#Autumn shift not taken account of in the year 1 vs year 2 comparison and could yeild a no change when
p3 <- appt_by_mode %>%
  appt_count("Home Visit")
p3
```

Home Visit Weekly Appointment Count with Poisson Regression Line



```
p4 <- appt_by_mode %>%
  appt_count("Telephone")
p4
```

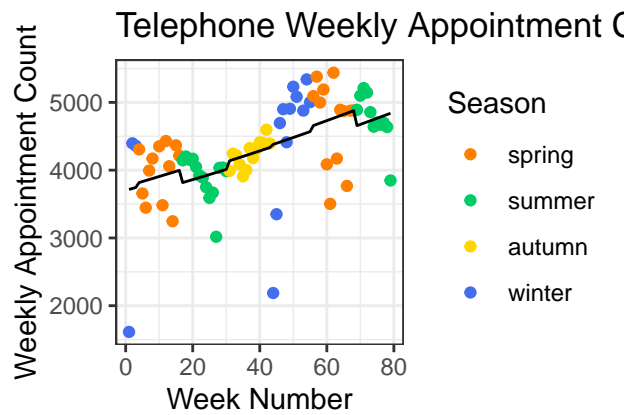
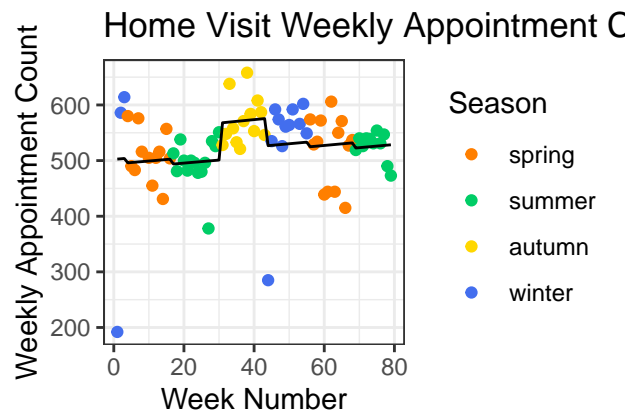
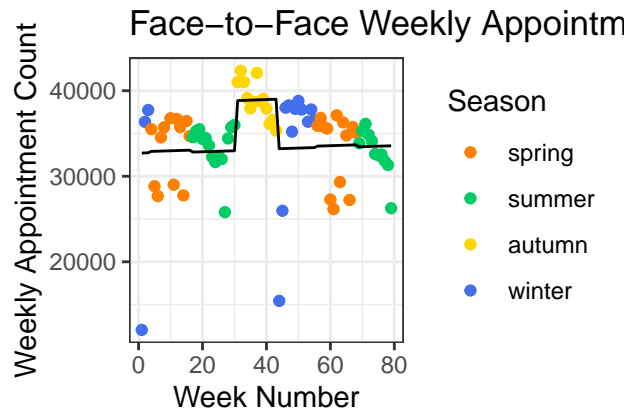
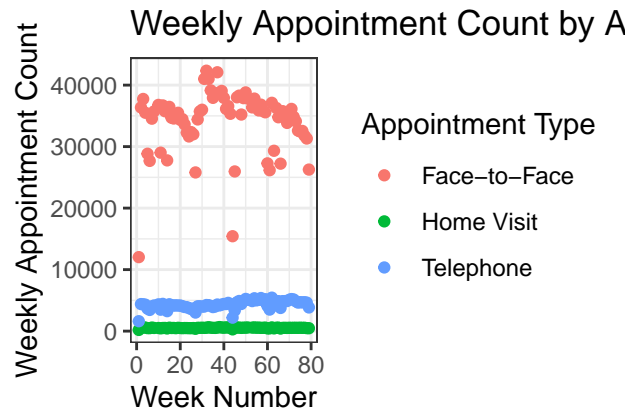

Telephone Weekly Appointment Count with Poisson Regression Line



```
#For the purposes of the question "Unknown" will not be considered
# appt_by_mode %>%
#   appt_count("Unknown")

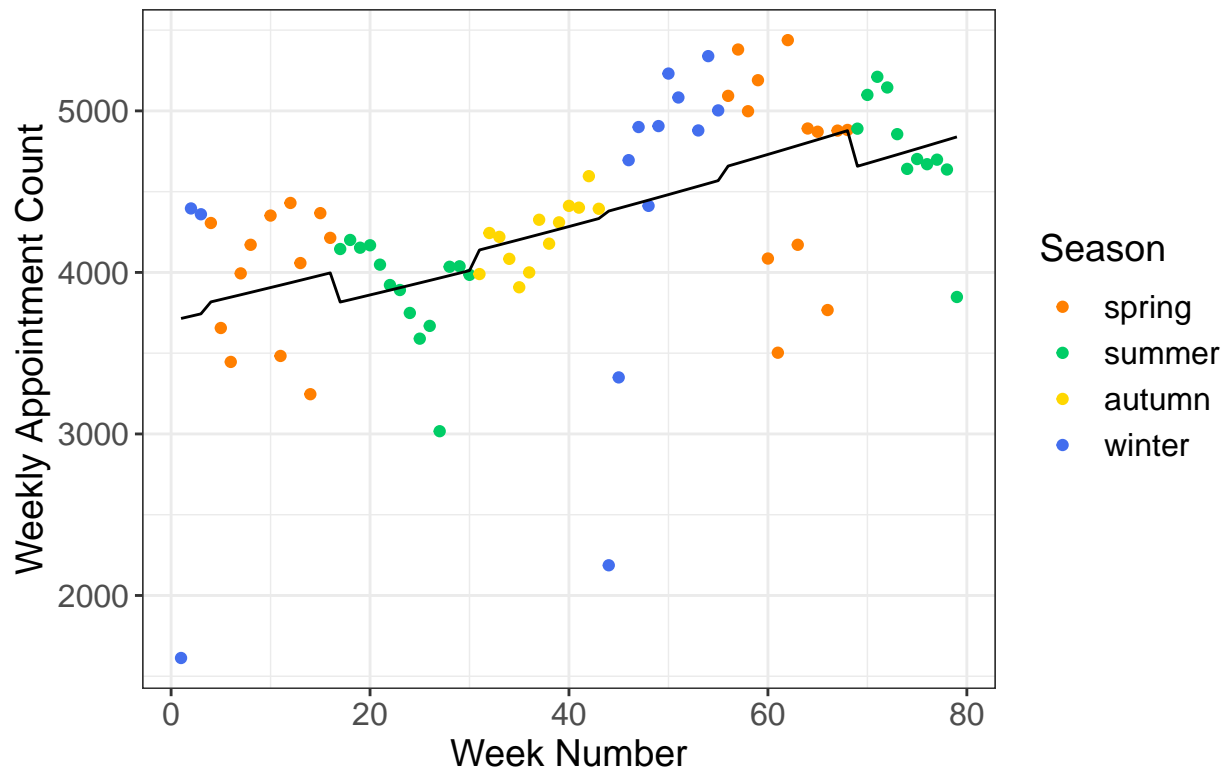
#Joining the data appt_by_mode data to original data
data <- data %>%
  inner_join(appt_by_mode)

## Joining, by = c("appt_mode", "week_num", "season_median")
#Could include but takes up too much room so probably just include telephone
pic <- grid.arrange(p1,p2,p3,p4,nrow = 2)
```



```
# Telephone Pic for report:
p4 + theme(axis.text=element_text(size=12),
  axis.title=element_text(size=14),
  plot.title = element_text(size = 22),
  legend.text = element_text(size = 12),
  legend.title = element_text(size = 14))
```

Telephone Weekly Appointment Count with



Statistical significance tests

Looking at the graph generated above, makes sense that season would be a factor to the count. So will be looking into that in the following code. Use Anova test if variance assumption holds - otherwise use the kruskal wallace test. Where the assumption is that all the groups have the same variance.

```
checking_seasons <- function(data, appt_type){  
  #Variance assumption (checking they are the same)  
  season_check <- data %>% filter(appt_mode == appt_type) %>%  
    select(appt_mode, season_median, count) %>%  
    unique()  
  #if < 0.05 use anova otherwise use kruskal wallace  
  var_value <- leveneTest(count ~ season_median, data = season_check)[1,3]  
  if(var_value < 0.05){  
    test <- "Kruskal"  
    #Kruskal Wallace test  
    p_value <- kruskal.test(count ~ season_median, data = season_check)$p.value  
  }else{  
    test <- "Anova"  
    #Running the anova test  
    anova1 <- aov(count ~ season_median, data = season_check)  
    p_value <- summary(anova1)[[1]][1,5]  
  }  
  tibble(appt_type = appt_type, test = test, p_value = p_value)
```

```
}

checking_seasons(data, "Face-to-Face") %>%
  bind_rows(checking_seasons(data, "Telephone")) %>%
  bind_rows(checking_seasons(data, "Home Visit"))
```

```
## # A tibble: 3 x 3
##   appt_type    test    p_value
##   <chr>        <chr>    <dbl>
## 1 Face-to-Face Anova    0.00216
## 2 Telephone    Kruskal 0.363
## 3 Home Visit   Anova    0.0715
```

Splitting the data by season for compared t-test would give an option to test if the seasons themselves have increased between the two years. Obviously the cold weather will lead to more illnesses. The following function uses a paired t-test to calculate whether the differences are statistically significant or not. It will either use a Welch's test if the variances are not equal, a students t-test if they are or if the data is not normal then it will perform a Wilcoxon Sign Ranked Test on the data. Autumn data cannot be considered as only 1 year of autumn data.

```
#Extracting the data to be used in these tests
stat_data <- data %>%
  #Give a 0 or 1 as a year column for paired t-testing.
  mutate(year == year(appointment_date)) %>%
  select(appt_mode, week_num, season_median, year, count) %>%
  unique()

stat_test <- function(data = stat_data, type = "NA", season = "NA"){
#Updating data

temp_data <- data
  if(type != "NA"){
    temp_data <- temp_data %>%
      filter(appt_mode == type)
  }

  if(season != "NA"){
    temp_data <- temp_data %>%
      filter(season_median == season)
  }

#Test the normality assumption of the data
normal <- TRUE
if(shapiro.test(temp_data$count)$p.value < 0.05){
  normal <- FALSE
}

#Checking validity of equal variance
year_1 <- temp_data %>%
  filter(year == 0) %>%
  select(count) %>%
  as_vector()
year_2 <- temp_data %>%
  filter(year == 1) %>%
  select(count) %>%
```

```

as_vector()

#Setting seed to ensure reproducibility
set.seed(666)
min_length <- min(length(year_1), length(year_2))

#Defining data in another format for latter parts
test_data <- tibble(year_1 = year_1 %>% sample(min_length),
                    year_2 = year_2 %>% sample(min_length))

#t-test section
if(normal){

#Sampling for F-test if numbers are different
#Replace = FALSE by default.

variance <- TRUE
#Compares the p.value from F-test and changes the variance check accordingly
if(tidy(var.test(test_data$year_1,
                 test_data$year_2)) %>%
  select(p.value) %>% as_vector() < 0.05){
  #Varaince test significant -> variances NOT Equal
  variance <- FALSE
}
if(variance == FALSE){
  test <- "Welch"
  #Run Welch test where variance assumption NOT assumed
  p_value <- tidy(t.test((test_data$year_2 - test_data$year_1), mu = 0,
                        alternative = "greater")) %>%
    select(p.value) %>% as_vector()
  if(t_test < 0.05){
    return("H1 True")
  }else{
    return("H0 True")
  }
}else{
  test <- "Students"
  #Run students were the variance is assumed
  p_value <- tidy(t.test((test_data$year_2 - test_data$year_1), mu = 0,
                        var.equal=TRUE ,alternative = "greater")) %>%
    select(p.value) %>% as_vector()
}

}else{
  test <- "Wilcoxon"
  #Run the wilcoxon sign ranked test if normality assumption failed
  p_value <- tidy(wilcox.test(test_data$year_2 , test_data$year_1,
                             paired = TRUE, alternative = "greater")) %>%
    select(p.value) %>% as_vector()
}

#Conclusion
if(p_value < 0.05){

```

```

    outcome <- "H1 True"
  }else{
    outcome <- "H0 True"
  }

output <- tibble(appt_mode = type, season = season, test = test,
                 p_value = p_value, conclusion = outcome)

output

}

```

#Now run the paired T-Test on the data

```

stat_table <- stat_test(type = "Telephone") %>%
  rbind(stat_test(type = "Face-to-Face")) %>%
  rbind(stat_test(type = "Home Visit")) %>%
  rbind(stat_test(stat_data, "Telephone", "summer")) %>%
  rbind(stat_test(stat_data, "Telephone", "winter")) %>%
  rbind(stat_test(stat_data, "Telephone", "spring")) %>%
  rbind(stat_test(stat_data, "Face-to-Face", "summer")) %>%
  rbind(stat_test(stat_data, "Face-to-Face", "winter")) %>%
  rbind(stat_test(stat_data, "Face-to-Face", "spring")) %>%
  rbind(stat_test(stat_data, "Home Visit", "spring")) %>%
  rbind(stat_test(stat_data, "Home Visit", "winter")) %>%
  rbind(stat_test(stat_data, "Home Visit", "spring"))

```

```

## Multiple parameters; naming those columns num.df, denom.df
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```

```
stat_table
```

```

## # A tibble: 12 x 5
##   appt_mode    season test      p_value conclusion
##   <chr>        <chr> <chr>    <dbl>    <chr>
## 1 Telephone   NA     Wilcoxon 0.0000130 H1 True
## 2 Face-to-Face NA     Wilcoxon 0.815      H0 True
## 3 Home Visit  NA     Wilcoxon 0.0984      H0 True
## 4 Telephone   summer Students 0.0000678 H1 True
## 5 Telephone   winter  Wilcoxon 0.0938      H0 True
## 6 Telephone   spring  Students 0.00366     H1 True
## 7 Face-to-Face summer  Wilcoxon 0.897      H0 True
## 8 Face-to-Face winter  Wilcoxon 0.0938      H0 True
## 9 Face-to-Face spring  Wilcoxon 0.545      H0 True
## 10 Home Visit  spring  Students 0.409      H0 True
## 11 Home Visit  winter  Wilcoxon 0.219      H0 True
## 12 Home Visit  spring  Students 0.409      H0 True

```

#Only non significant data point in Telephone is winter but not really enough variables to accurately t

The outcome from this table demonstrates that there is a only a statistically significant increase in the number of appointments between the 2018 and 2019 dates for telephone appointment types.

Second assignment Questions

```
data_2 <- part_2_data

#Checking unique types of booking times
data_2 %>%
  select(time_between_book_and_appt) %>%
  unique()

## # A tibble: 8 x 1
##   time_between_book_and_appt
##   <chr>
## 1 1 Day
## 2 Unknown / Data Issue
## 3 Same Day
## 4 8 to 14 Days
## 5 22 to 28 Days
## 6 2 to 7 Days
## 7 More than 28 Days
## 8 15 to 21 Days

#Checking unique types of appt_status
data_2 %>%
  select(appt_status) %>%
  unique()

## # A tibble: 4 x 1
##   appt_status
##   <chr>
## 1 Attended
## 2 Unknown
## 3 DNA
## 4 Appt Status Not Provided

#Discard all data with Unknown / Data Issue and
#Appointment status as Unknown or Appt Status Not Provided
#As only interested in attended/Not attended appointments

data_2 <- data_2 %>%
  filter(!time_between_book_and_appt == "Unknown / Data Issue") %>%
  filter(appt_status %in% c("Attended", "DNA")) %>%
  #Only looking at the GP appointments not attended
  filter(hcp_type == "GP")

#Having a look at mean count
data_2 %>%
  group_by(appt_status, time_between_book_and_appt) %>%
  summarise(c = mean(count))

## # A tibble: 14 x 3
## # Groups:   appt_status [2]
##   appt_status time_between_book_and_appt      c
##   <chr>      <chr>                      <dbl>
## 1 Attended  1 Day                          NA
## 2 Attended  15 to 21 Days                   NA
```

```

## 3 Attended      2 to 7 Days      NA
## 4 Attended      22 to 28 Days     NA
## 5 Attended      8 to 14 Days      NA
## 6 Attended      More than 28 Days NA
## 7 Attended      Same Day          NA
## 8 DNA           1 Day             NA
## 9 DNA           15 to 21 Days     NA
## 10 DNA          2 to 7 Days        NA
## 11 DNA          22 to 28 Days      NA
## 12 DNA          8 to 14 Days       NA
## 13 DNA          More than 28 Days  NA
## 14 DNA          Same Day          NA

#temp variance to join by to get the total number of appointments for each day
total_count <- data_2 %>%
  select(appointment_date, time_between_book_and_appt, count_of_appointments) %>%
  group_by(appointment_date, time_between_book_and_appt) %>%
  summarise(total_count = sum(count_of_appointments)) %>%
  ungroup()

#
appt_count <- data_2 %>%
  select(appointment_date, time_between_book_and_appt, appt_status, count_of_appointments) %>%
  group_by(appointment_date, time_between_book_and_appt, appt_status) %>%
  #Has the counts for each day based on both attended and did not attend
  summarise(count = sum(count_of_appointments)) %>%
  ungroup() %>%
  inner_join(total_count) %>%
  mutate(percentage_attendance = 100 *(count/total_count)) %>%
  #Add factoring in for time between appt for future plotting and test outputs
  #Note couple of them had double white spaces
  mutate(time_between_book_and_appt = fct_relevel(time_between_book_and_appt, c("Same Day", "1 Day", "2
    "8 to 14 Days", "15 to 21 Days", "22 to 28 Days", "More than 28 Days")))

## Joining, by = c("appointment_date", "time_between_book_and_appt")

appt_count %>%
  filter(appt_status == "DNA") %>%
  group_by(time_between_book_and_appt) %>%
  summarise(min_visits = min(total_count),
            max_visits = max(total_count),
            #median_visits = median(total_count),
            min_dna = min(percentage_attendance),
            max_dna = max(percentage_attendance),
            #median_dna = median(percentage_attendance)
            )

## # A tibble: 7 x 5
##   time_between_book_and_appt min_visits max_visits min_dna max_dna
##   <fct>                     <int>      <int>   <dbl>   <dbl>
## 1 Same Day                   3        4325    1.54    33.3
## 2 1 Day                       8         705    3.17     25
## 3 2 to 7 Days               12       1555    3.33    32.1
## 4 8 to 14 Days               1         714    4.53    100
## 5 15 to 21 Days              1         443    3.40    100
## 6 22 to 28 Days              1         307    2.44    100

```



```
## 7 More than 28 Days          1          209    2.17    100
#DNA = 100 - Attended so no need to store both
#Variables with < 20 in the number of appointments can lead to a very highly skewed output based on jus
#Did not attends
anova_data <- appt_count %>%
  #Filtering to get did not attend status(reverse for otherone)
  filter(appt_status == "DNA") %>%
  filter(count > 20)

#Variation assumption
leveneTest(percentage_attendance ~ time_between_book_and_appt, data = anova_data)

## Levene's Test for Homogeneity of Variance (center = median)
##           Df F value    Pr(>F)
## group      6  28.926 < 2.2e-16 ***
##           1090
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

#Since this assumption is NOT valid, it means the anova is not suitable for this data
#Instead the kruskal-wallis test will be used
kruskal_time <- kruskal.test(percentage_attendance ~ time_between_book_and_appt, data = anova_data)
#https://stackoverflow.com/questions/2478272/kruskal-wallis-test-with-details-on-pairwise-comparisons
#Normally for an anova test a TukeyHSD test would be used to check which ones are not the same
#E.G have different means
#For a kruskal wallis test however, Nemenyi-Damico-Wolfe-Dunn test in the package
library(coin)
oneway_test(percentage_attendance ~ as.factor(time_between_book_and_appt), data = anova_data)

##
## Asymptotic K-Sample Fisher-Pitman Permutation Test
##
## data:  percentage_attendance by
##   as.factor(time_between_book_and_appt) (Same Day, 1 Day, 2 to 7 Days, 8 to 14 Days, 15 to 21 Days)
## chi-squared = 842.37, df = 6, p-value < 2.2e-16

#Seems to be all we need
library(pgirmess)

#Looks at which comparisons do NOT have the same mean, individual comparisons
tukey_time <- kruskalmc(anova_data$percentage_attendance, anova_data$time_between_book_and_appt)
tukey_time

## Multiple comparison test after Kruskal-Wallis
## p.value: 0.05
## Comparisons
##
##           obs.dif critical.dif difference
## Same Day-1 Day      239.50283    107.88478      TRUE
## Same Day-2 to 7 Days  419.01606     86.26360      TRUE
## Same Day-8 to 14 Days  651.36842     86.52620      TRUE
## Same Day-15 to 21 Days  707.88069     92.30922      TRUE
## Same Day-22 to 28 Days  822.66095    165.75877      TRUE
## Same Day-More than 28 Days  945.33082    485.11292      TRUE
## 1 Day-2 to 7 Days     179.51323    107.88478      TRUE
## 1 Day-8 to 14 Days    411.86559    108.09487      TRUE
```

```
## 1 Day-15 to 21 Days 468.37786 112.77725 TRUE
## 1 Day-22 to 28 Days 583.15812 177.97103 TRUE
## 1 Day-More than 28 Days 705.82799 489.42034 TRUE
## 2 to 7 Days-8 to 14 Days 232.35236 86.52620 TRUE
## 2 to 7 Days-15 to 21 Days 288.86463 92.30922 TRUE
## 2 to 7 Days-22 to 28 Days 403.64489 165.75877 TRUE
## 2 to 7 Days-More than 28 Days 526.31476 485.11292 TRUE
## 8 to 14 Days-15 to 21 Days 56.51227 92.55466 FALSE
## 8 to 14 Days-22 to 28 Days 171.29253 165.89558 TRUE
## 8 to 14 Days-More than 28 Days 293.96240 485.15969 FALSE
## 15 to 21 Days-22 to 28 Days 114.78026 168.98388 FALSE
## 15 to 21 Days-More than 28 Days 237.45013 486.22436 FALSE
## 22 to 28 Days-More than 28 Days 122.66987 505.34059 FALSE
```

##Looking at number of suitable results per category to analyse the wider variance of values as x axis

```
anova_data %>%
  group_by(time_between_book_and_appt) %>%
  summarise(count =n())
```

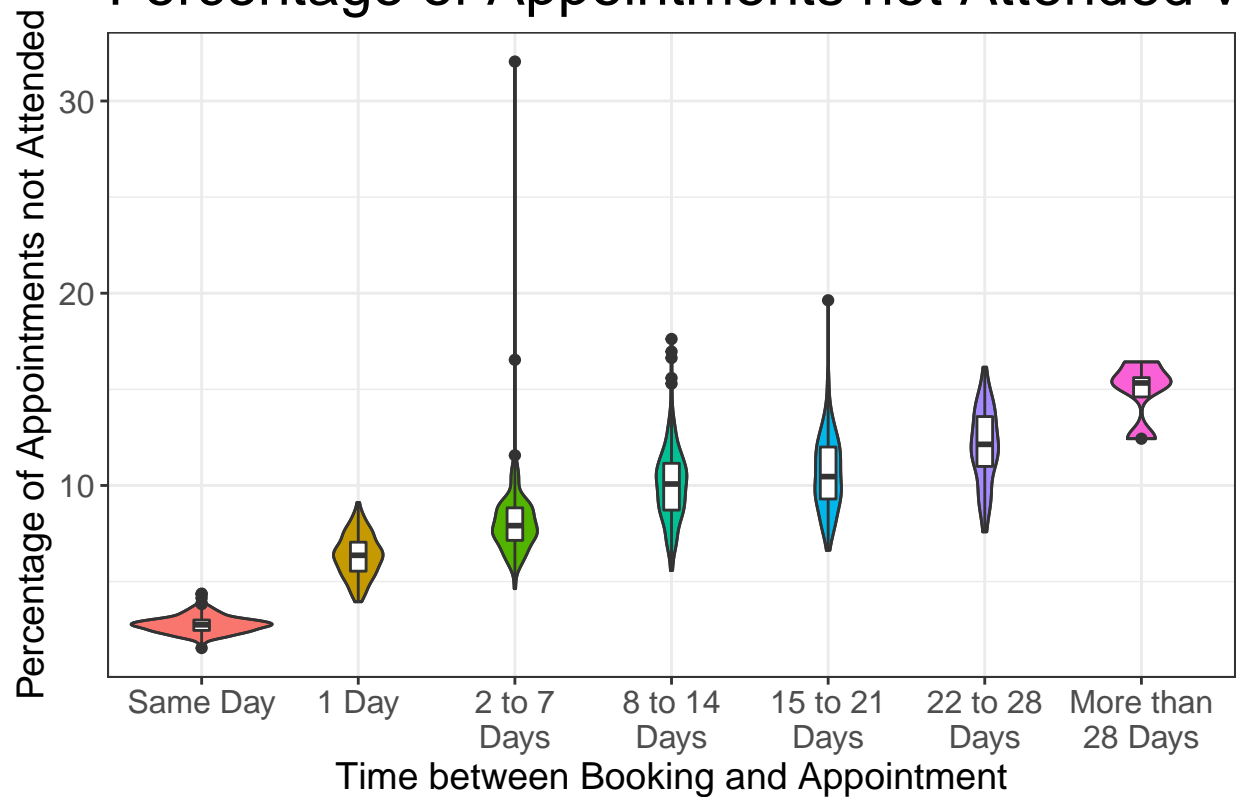
```
## # A tibble: 7 x 2
##   time_between_book_and_appt count
##   <fct>                <int>
## 1 Same Day                249
## 2 1 Day                   117
## 3 2 to 7 Days             249
## 4 8 to 14 Days            246
## 5 15 to 21 Days           193
## 6 22 to 28 Days           39
## 7 More than 28 Days        4
```

```
plot <- anova_data %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = time_between_book_and_appt, y = percentage_attendance)) +
  geom_violin(aes(fill = time_between_book_and_appt)) +
  geom_boxplot(aes(x = time_between_book_and_appt, y = percentage_attendance), width = 0.10) +
  geom_violin(fill = NA) +
  theme_bw() +
  labs(y = "Percentage of Appointments not Attended", x = "Time between Booking and Appointment",
       title = "Percentage of Appointments not Attended vs Appointment Waiting Time") +
  theme(legend.position = "none") +
  #Allowing labels to go onto 2 lines if required
  scale_x_discrete(labels = function(x) str_wrap(x, width = 10))
```

##Changing axis ready for submission

```
plot + theme(axis.text=element_text(size=12),
             axis.title=element_text(size=14),
             plot.title = element_text(size = 22))
```

Percentage of Appointments not Attended vs



<http://www.sthda.com/english/wiki/ggplot2-violin-plot-quick-start-guide-r-software-and-data-visualization>
<https://katherinemwood.github.io/post/violins/>

##Number of DNAs by average number of days + 1

```
anova_data %>%
  group_by(time_between_book_and_appt) %>%
  summarise(median = median(percentage_attendance)) %>%
  ungroup() %>%
  #Adding +1 to account for same day and giving more than 28 a value of 33
  #to match increase from of 7 between previous
  cbind(ave_day = c(1, 2, 5.5, 12, 19, 26, 33)) %>%
  mutate(per_day = median/ave_day)
```

```
##   time_between_book_and_appt   median ave_day  per_day
## 1      Same Day      2.751376      1.0 2.7513757
## 2      1 Day      6.366048      2.0 3.1830239
## 3    2 to 7 Days    7.908992     5.5 1.4379986
## 4    8 to 14 Days  10.075971    12.0 0.8396643
## 5   15 to 21 Days  10.460251    19.0 0.5505395
## 6   22 to 28 Days  12.138728    26.0 0.4668742
## 7  More than 28 Days 15.332945    33.0 0.4646347
```