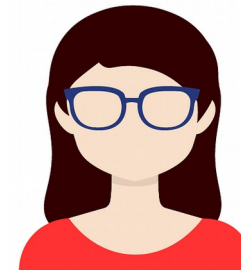


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Meeting the NHS cancer referral targets?

How does the South East compare to the UK in
Meeting the NHS cancer referral targets?

“A patient should start treatment in 62 days after initial referral...”

- NHS source – Jeremy Hunt Interview
- Discuss



Jane J.

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How good is the NHS in **general** at meeting the cancer referral targets?

The NHS is...

- ☐ always on target
- ☐ often on target
- ☐ mostly on target
- ☐ somewhat target
- ☒ mostly above target
- ☐ often above target
- ☐ always above target

How does waiting times compare for the South East to London?

Are services in the South East..

☐ much better at delivering the targets

☒ better

☐ similar

☐ worse

☐ much worse

than services in London at delivering the targets?



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Which factors do you think influence the ability of the NHS to deliver on the waiting time targets?

The number of G |

And how much do they contribute relatively?
Distribute the bars according to the factors importance.

The number of Gps



The number of nurses



The number of hospital beds



We've trained a model of waiting times according to your predictors. Here is what the optimal weights look like:

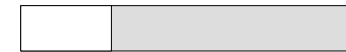
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According to your predictors this is how the map of waiting time targets would look like...

The South West has

- average number of Gps
- high number of nurses
- average number of hospital beds

According to your model the NHS would be below average on delivering on the waiting times targets.



This is the true map of waiting time targets

Waiting times for the South West:
Percentage of patients waiting for treatment after
the target: 25%
Your prediction: 50%



Why did you think the number of GPs would have only a weak impact on the ability to deliver on the targets?

Your guess

Model weight

Doctors can

Here are some other factors people deemed important:

Financial performance
of the hospitals in the
region.



How important do you
think is this factor?



Why did you think the South West would perform worse than the South East delivering the NHS targets when in fact they are similar?



Here are some other predictions and articles around the NHS cancer referral targets:



Similar to your prediction

The NHS needs more Gps in rural areas

The NHS cannot achieve the targets for rural areas.

Given that Gps contribute an important factor in achieving the targets we need...



Other opinions:



The NHS needs more funding



Hospitals need to improve their administration

Would you like to share your thoughts with the community?

Similar to your prediction

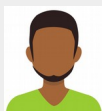
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Predicting NHS targets:

Your model predictions



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