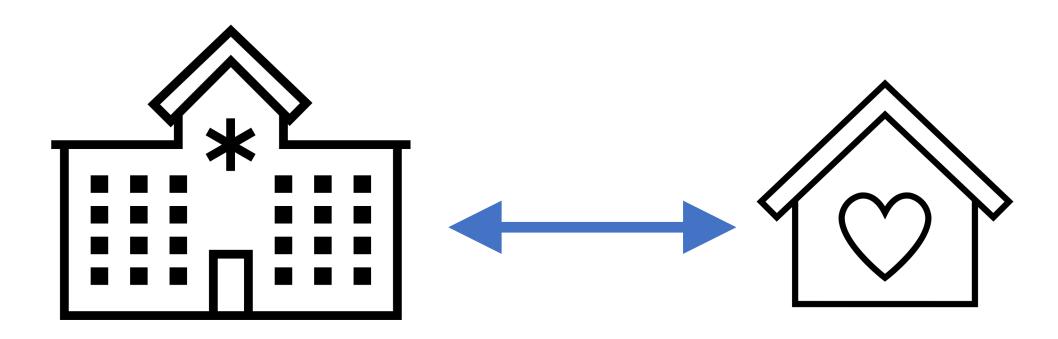
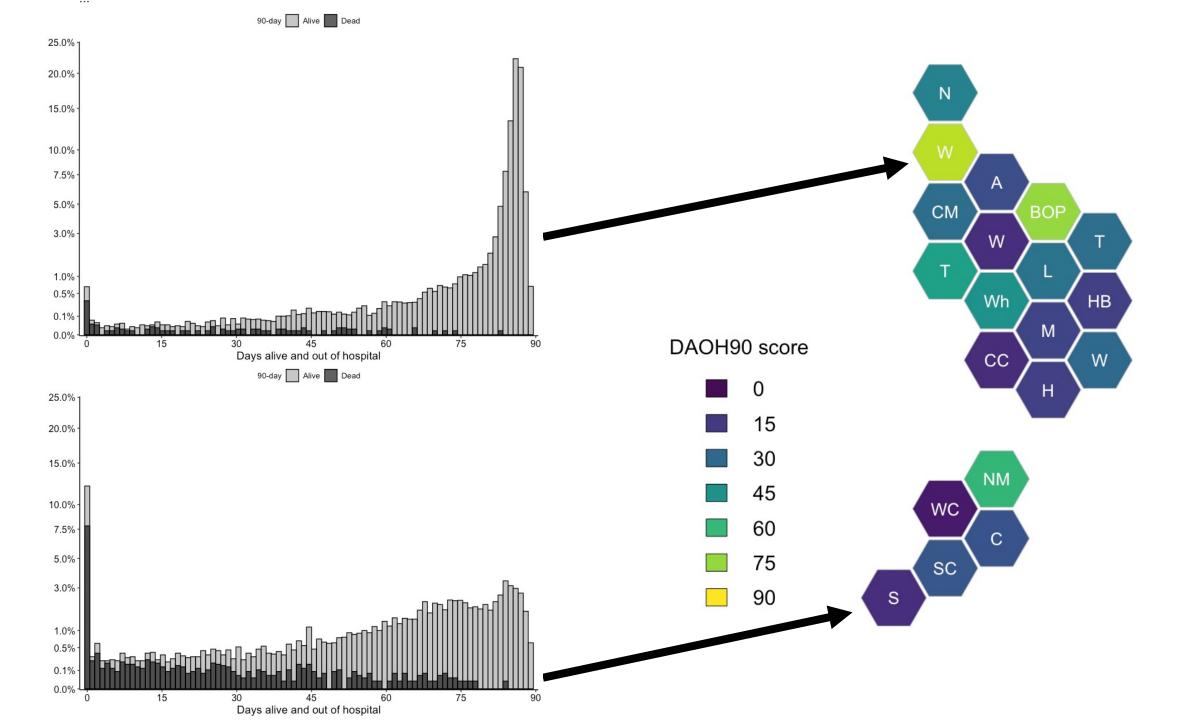
Days alive and out of hospital (DAOH) to compare health outcomes

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Direct risk adjustment with predictive models

- 1. Build a model for what you want to compare (all data)
- 2. Use that model to PREDICT event rates
- 3. Split the data based on PREDICTED event rates
- 4. Each person has a "risk group" (say from 1-10) ---> weights
 - National and local weights from model(s) form a "cell"
- 5. Proportion (cell, DHB) \times Weight (cell, DHB) = Proportion (cell, national).
- 6. TL;DR Direct standardisation using weights from a model rather than proportions lower dimensionality

