

# How is My DHB performing?



2014/15 QUARTER TWO (OCTOBER–DECEMBER) RESULTS

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This is the first time Faster cancer treatment has been reported as a health target.

**Shorter stays in  
Emergency  
Departments**

Ranking	District Health Board	Quarter two performance (%)	95%	Change from previous quarter
1	West Coast	99		-0.3
2	Nelson Marlborough	97		0.2
3	Waitemata	97		1.6
4	Counties Manukau	96		1.5
5	South Canterbury	96		0.5
6	Whanganui	96		2.8
7	Wairarapa	96		-0.8
8	Tairāwhiti	96		0.5
9	Canterbury	95		2.4
10	MidCentral	95		4.8
11	Bay of Plenty	95		3.1
12	Taranaki	94		0.8
13	Auckland	94		1.3
14	Waikato	94		2.5
15	Southern	93		0.0
16	Lakes	92		1.2
17	Hawke's Bay	92		2.3
18	Northland	91		0.7
19	Hutt Valley	90		2.0
20	Capital & Coast	89		0.1
<b>All DHBs</b>		<b>94</b>		<b>1.6</b>

**Improved access to  
Elective Surgery**

Ranking	District Health Board	Quarter two performance (%)	100%	Progress against plan (discharges)
1	Northland	131		1025
2	Taranaki	116		358
3	Waikato	115		1032
4	Hutt Valley	114		336
5	Bay of Plenty	112		521
6	Counties Manukau	112		930
7	Wairarapa	110		92
8	Lakes	110		186
9	Waitemata	109		762
10	MidCentral	108		284
11	West Coast	106		51
12	Whanganui	105		85
13	Nelson Marlborough	103		105
14	South Canterbury	102		27
15	Southern	101		67
16	Hawke's Bay	100		7
17	Auckland	100		6
18	Tairāwhiti	99		-12
19	Canterbury	97		-234
20	Capital & Coast	96		-187
<b>All DHBs</b>		<b>107</b>		<b>5441</b>

**Faster  
Cancer Treatment**

Ranking	District Health Board	Quarter two performance (%)	85%	Change from previous quarter
1	Capital & Coast	82		0.0
2	Taranaki	75		0.0
3	Southern	75		0.0
4	Tairāwhiti	74		0.0
5	South Canterbury	73		0.0
6	West Coast	73		0.0
7	Nelson Marlborough	70		0.0
8	Wairarapa	69		0.0
9	Canterbury	68		0.0
10	Waikato	68		0.0
11	Northland	67		0.0
12	Waitemata	66		0.0
13	MidCentral	66		0.0
14	Hawke's Bay	63		0.0
15	Whanganui	62		0.0
16	Bay of Plenty	57		0.0
17	Hutt Valley	55		0.0
18	Lakes	54		0.0
19	Counties Manukau	52		0.0
20	Auckland	50		0.0
<b>All DHBs</b>		<b>66</b>		<b>0.0</b>

**Increased  
Immunisation**

Ranking	District Health Board	Quarter two performance (%)	95%	Change from previous quarter
1	Hawke's Bay	96		1.7
2	Whanganui	96		4.5
3	Hutt Valley	96		2.7
4	Capital & Coast	96		1.8
5	MidCentral	95		0.9
6	Wairarapa	95		5.2
7	Southern	95		1.3
8	South Canterbury	95		-1.7
9	Auckland	94		-1.1
10	Counties Manukau	94		0.0
11	Waitemata	94		1.7
12	Lakes	94		2.6
13	Canterbury	93		0.2
14	Taranaki	93		3.9
15	Tairāwhiti	93		1.7
16	Nelson Marlborough	92		3.9
17	Waikato	91		0.6
18	Northland	90		4.0
19	Bay of Plenty	89		0.9
20	West Coast	82		4.8
<b>All DHBs</b>		<b>94</b>		<b>1.2</b>

**Better help for  
Smokers to Quit**

Ranking	District Health Board	Quarter two performance (%)	95%	Change from previous quarter
1	Hospitals	98		0.5
2	Whanganui	96		0.3
3	Hutt Valley	96		-1.4
4	Capital & Coast	89		0.7
5	MidCentral	98		0.7
6	Wairarapa	95		-1.0
7	Southern	95		-2.0
8	South Canterbury	96		0.6
9	Auckland	93		4.2
10	Counties Manukau	96		-1.1
11	Waitemata	96		1.2
12	Lakes	96		2.1
13	Canterbury	99		0.2
14	Taranaki	97		2.4
15	Tairāwhiti	99		0.9
16	Nelson Marlborough	95		0.3
17	Waikato	95		1.7
18	Northland	80		-3.9
19	Bay of Plenty	96		3.4
20	West Coast	95		0.4
<b>All DHBs</b>		<b>95</b>		<b>0.4</b>

**More  
Heart and  
Diabetes Checks**

Ranking	District Health Board	Quarter two performance (%)	90%	Change from previous quarter
1	Auckland	92		0.2
2	Northland	91		0.8
3	Counties Manukau	91		0.2
4	Whanganui	91		-0.5
5	Waitemata	90		0.5
6	Taranaki	90		1.6
7	Wairarapa	89		0.1
8	Waikato	88		2.1
9	Tairāwhiti	88		0.4
10	Bay of Plenty	88		0.7
11	Lakes	88		0.3
12	Hawke's Bay	88		1.5
13	Capital & Coast	87		0.9
14	Nelson Marlborough	85		3.2
15	Hutt Valley	85		1.7
16	MidCentral	85		-1.3
17	South Canterbury	84		0.7
18	West Coast	83		3.7
19	Southern	80		0.3
20	Canterbury	77		5.6
<b>All DHBs</b>		<b>87</b>		<b>1.3</b>

## Shorter stays in Emergency Departments

The target is 95 percent of patients will be admitted, discharged, or transferred from an Emergency Department (ED) within six hours. The target is a measure of the efficiency of flow of acute (urgent) patients through public hospitals, and home again.

## Improved access to elective surgery

The target is an increase in the volume of elective surgery by at least 4000 discharges per year. DHBs planned to deliver 78,581 discharges for the year to date, and have delivered 5,441 more.

## Faster cancer treatment

The new target is 85 percent of patients receive their first cancer treatment (or other management) within 62 days of being referred with a high suspicion of cancer and a need to be seen within two weeks by July 2016, increasing to 90 percent by June 2017. Results cover those patients who received their first cancer treatment between July and December 2014.

## Increased immunisation

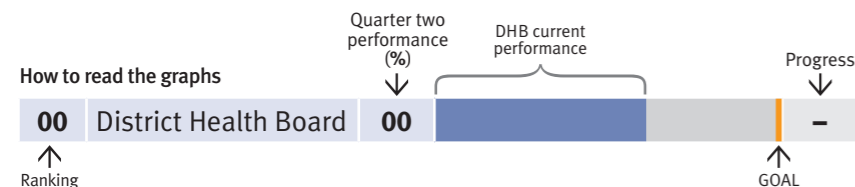
The national immunisation target is 95 percent of eight-month-olds have their primary course of immunisation at six weeks, three months and five months on time by December 2014. This quarterly progress result includes children who turned eight-months between October and December 2014 and who were fully immunised at that stage.

## Better help for smokers to quit

The target is 95 percent of patients who smoke and are seen by a health practitioner in public hospitals, and 90 percent of patients who smoke and are seen by a health practitioner in primary care, are offered brief advice and support to quit smoking.

## More heart and diabetes checks

This target is 90 percent of the eligible population will have had their cardiovascular risk assessed in the last five years.



Health target results are sourced from individual DHB reports, national collections systems and information provided by primary care organisations.

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