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# **Birmingham and Solihull ICS**

## **Headline Finance & Performance Report**

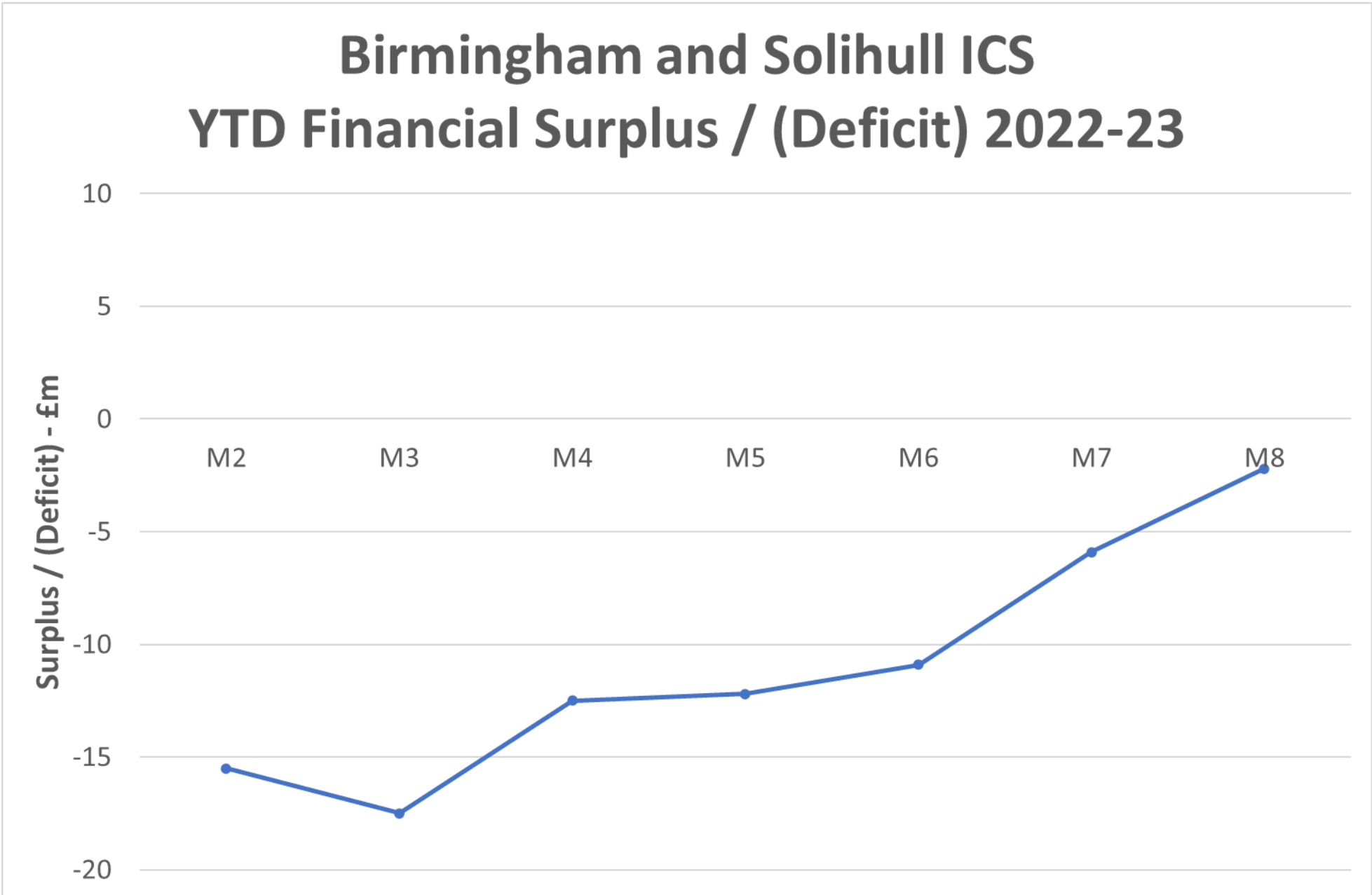
Month 8



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# Finance

## Month 8 Financial Performance



The ICS has seen consistent improvements in our financial position over the course of the 22/23 financial year. At the end of November 2022, the system deficit was £2.2m, with a forecast breakeven position by year end.

The key drivers of the ICS financial position are:

- Prescribing – Increases in primary care drug volumes and prices
- Pay vacancies/recruitment slippage – Continuing underspends on substantive pay, partly offset by overspends on bank and agency spend.
- Efficiency delivery - Whilst the system is exceeding its year to date ask, a significant element of this has been achieved non-recurrently
- Elective recovery – Suspension of clawback for activity shortfalls has improved the overall system financial position
- Inflationary pressures
- Interest receivable – increased interest on cash balances

	M1	M2	M3	M4	M5	M6	M7	M8	Forecast
	£000s	£000s	£000s	£000s	£000s	£000s	£000s	£000s	£000s
Agency Cap	4,958	4,758	5,078	5,334	4,959	5,369	5,370	5,496	60,016
Total Agency Actual	6,587	6,587	6,596	6,876	7,267	7,636	8,576	8,327	82,939
Less costs re add'l cap	171	113	240	195	213	318	519	450	4,149
Adjusted Agency Actual	6,416	6,475	6,357	6,681	7,053	7,318	8,057	7,877	78,790
Total % of cap	129%	136%	125%	125%	142%	136%	150%	143%	131%

Efficiency Performance	Annual Plan	FOT	FOT	Actual	Recurrent		Non-recurrent	
	£000s	£000s	Variance £000s	as % of Plan	schemes variance £000s	% of plan	schemes variance £000s	% of plan
Provider Total	72,981	72,298	-683	99%	-17,767	61%	17,084	162%
B'ham and Solihull CCG/ICB	24,141	24,141	0	100%	-1450	92%	1,450	121%
System Total	97,122	96,439	-683	99%	-19,217	69%	18,534	153%

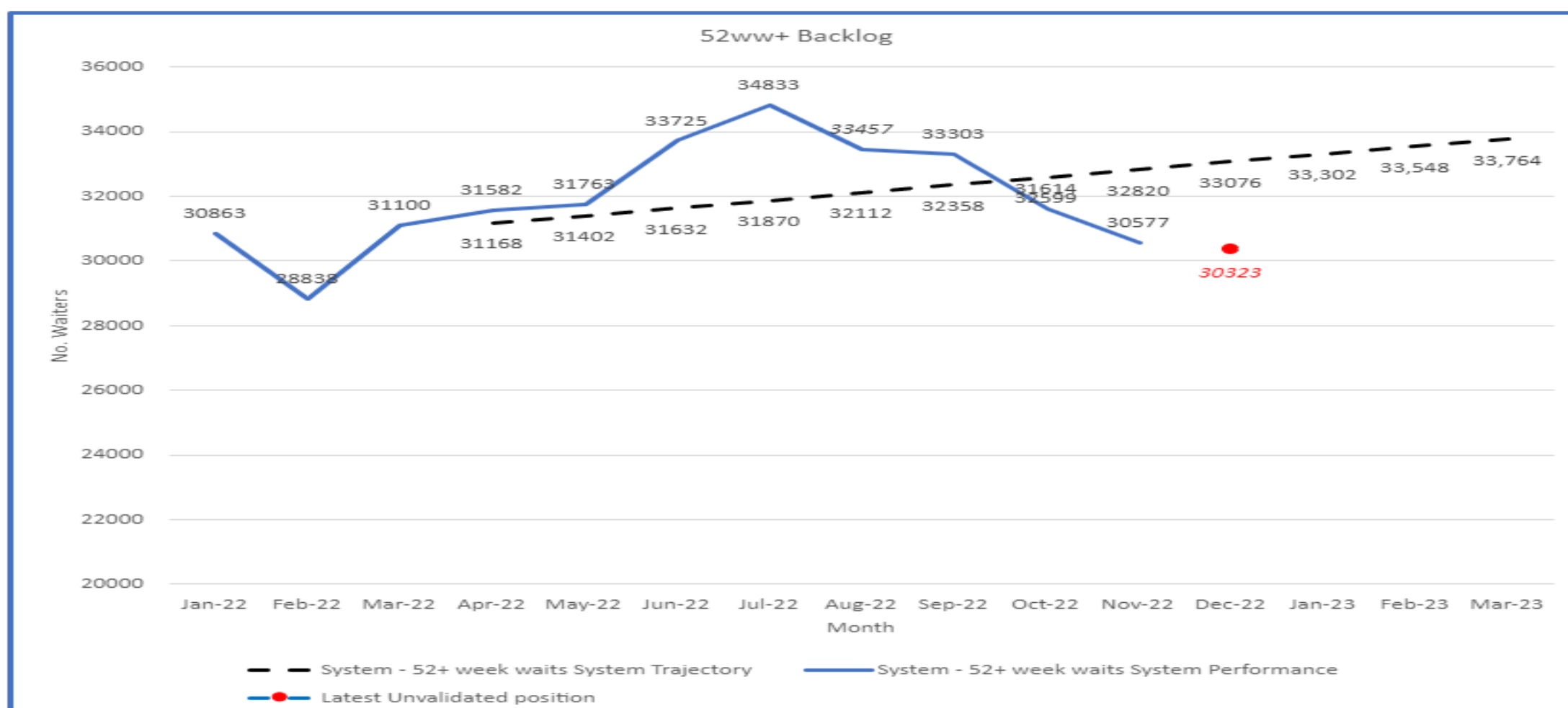
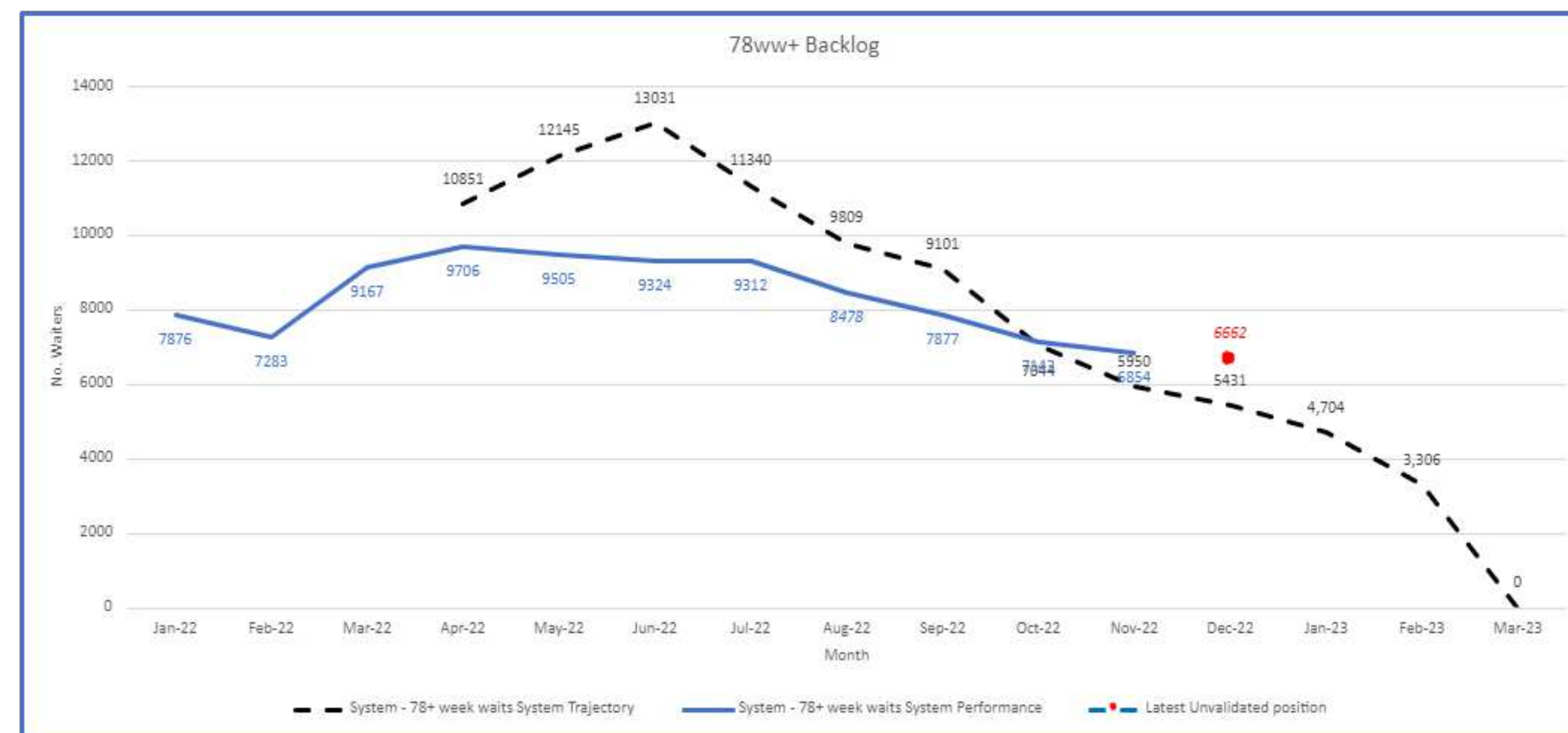
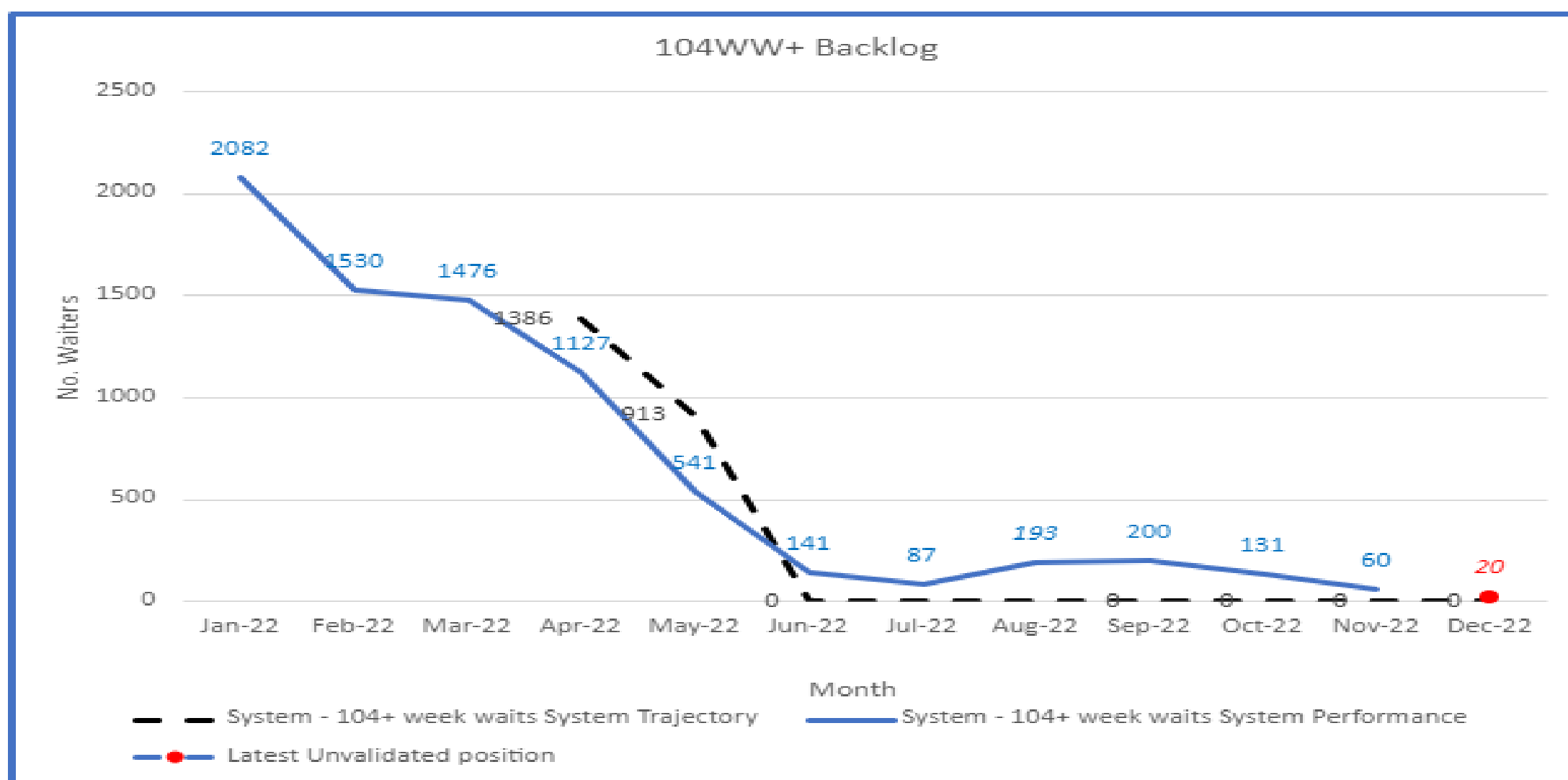




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# Elective recovery

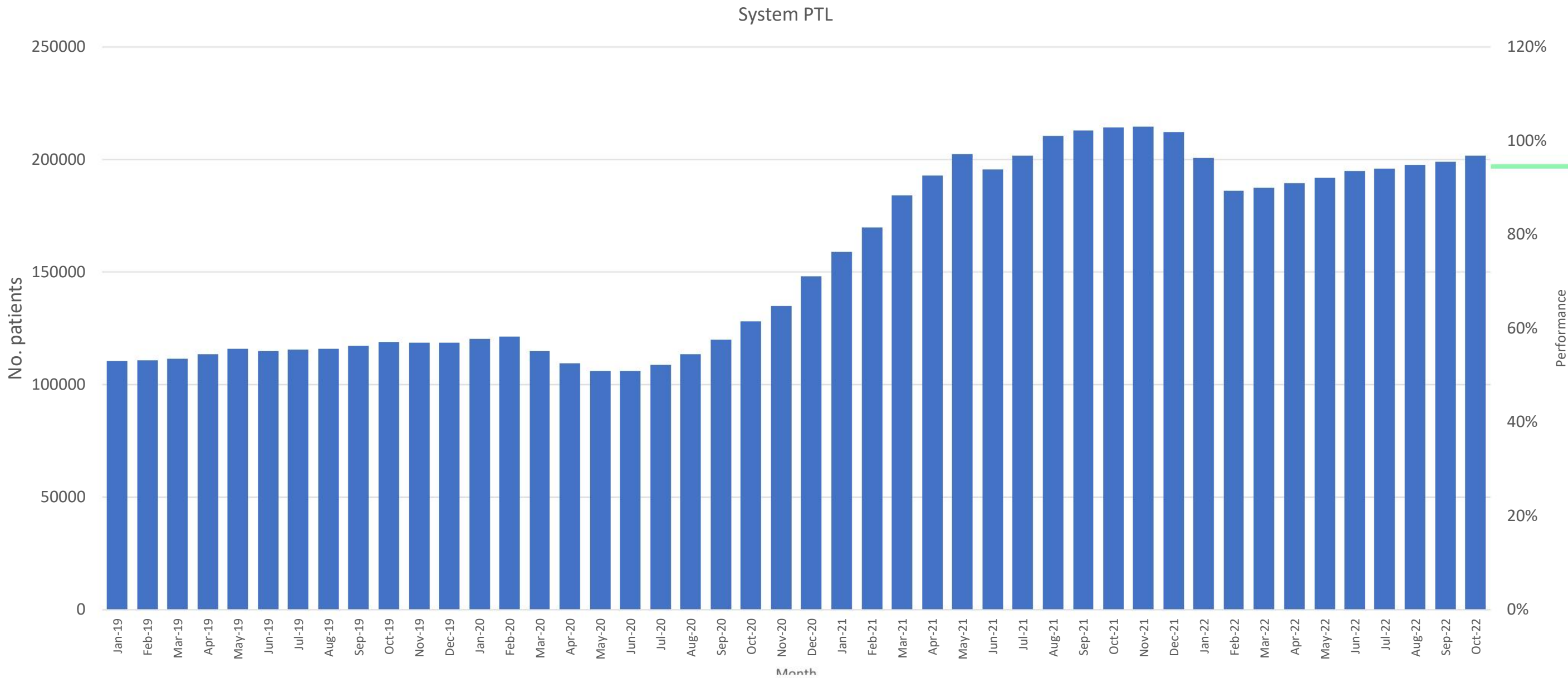
## System Waiting Time Backlogs



- Figures to the end of November 2022 show reductions in the number of patients waiting 52, 78 and 104 weeks for treatment.
- Unvalidated data for December is subject to final update
- Final validated data for 104 weeks shows just 3 patients waiting over 104 weeks for treatment; this is a huge progress for the system. Plan in place to deliver zero breaches by end of January 2023.
- The number of patients waiting over 78 weeks for treatment exceeds the monthly trajectory but the system is confident in delivering the improved target of zero breaches by the end of March 2023.



# System Waiting Time Backlogs



- The latest validated system position shows there were 201,521 patients on the system PTL at the end of October 2022. This is down from a peak of 214,424 in November 2021 but has been steadily rising since February 2022.
- There has been a focus on the longest waiting patients during 2022-23 which has seen a reduction in the longest waiting times for patients. This has contributed to a steady increase in the overall waiting list
- Looking at the latest validated position for October 2022 there is a breakdown by specialty in the table opposite. This shows the patients on the waiting list by provider and how those figures tally to the overall system position.
- Following the query at last JHOSC, the Gynaecology waiting list shows 22,388 patients on the BSOL waiting list

Treatment Function	Oct-22			
	Total number of incomplete pathways			
	BYCH	ROH	UHB	System
General Surgery Service	0	0	11493	11493
Urology Service	0	0	12265	12265
Trauma and Orthopaedic Service	0	11996	11042	23038
Ear Nose and Throat Service	0	0	21089	21089
Ophthalmology Service	0	0	13397	13397
Oral Surgery Service	0	0	4510	4510
Neurosurgical Service	0	0	1258	1258
Plastic Surgery Service	0	0	1297	1297
Cardiothoracic Surgery Service	0	0	181	181
General Internal Medicine Service	0	318	506	824
Gastroenterology Service	0	0	12885	12885
Cardiology Service	0	0	6950	6950
Dermatology Service	0	0	9528	9528
Respiratory Medicine Service	0	0	4799	4799
Neurology Service	0	0	6835	6835
Rheumatology Service	0	0	1881	1881
Elderly Medicine Service	0	0	271	271
Gynaecology Service	10862	0	11526	22388
Other - Medical Services	0	641	13468	14109
Other - Mental Health Services	0	0	1	1
Other - Paediatric Services	13709	0	3717	17426
Other - Surgical Services	0	0	9714	9714
Other - Other Services	2991	247	2144	5382
Total	27562	13202	160757	201521

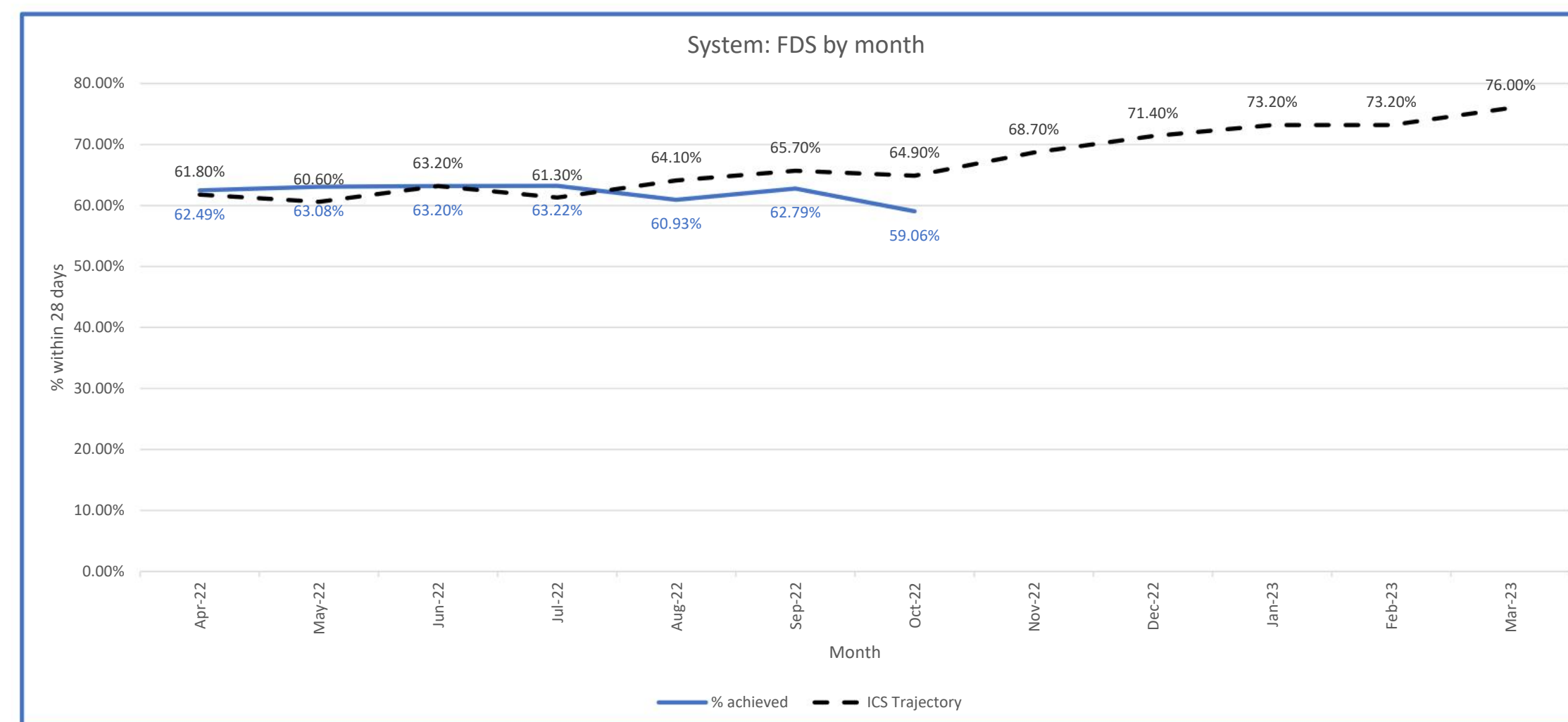
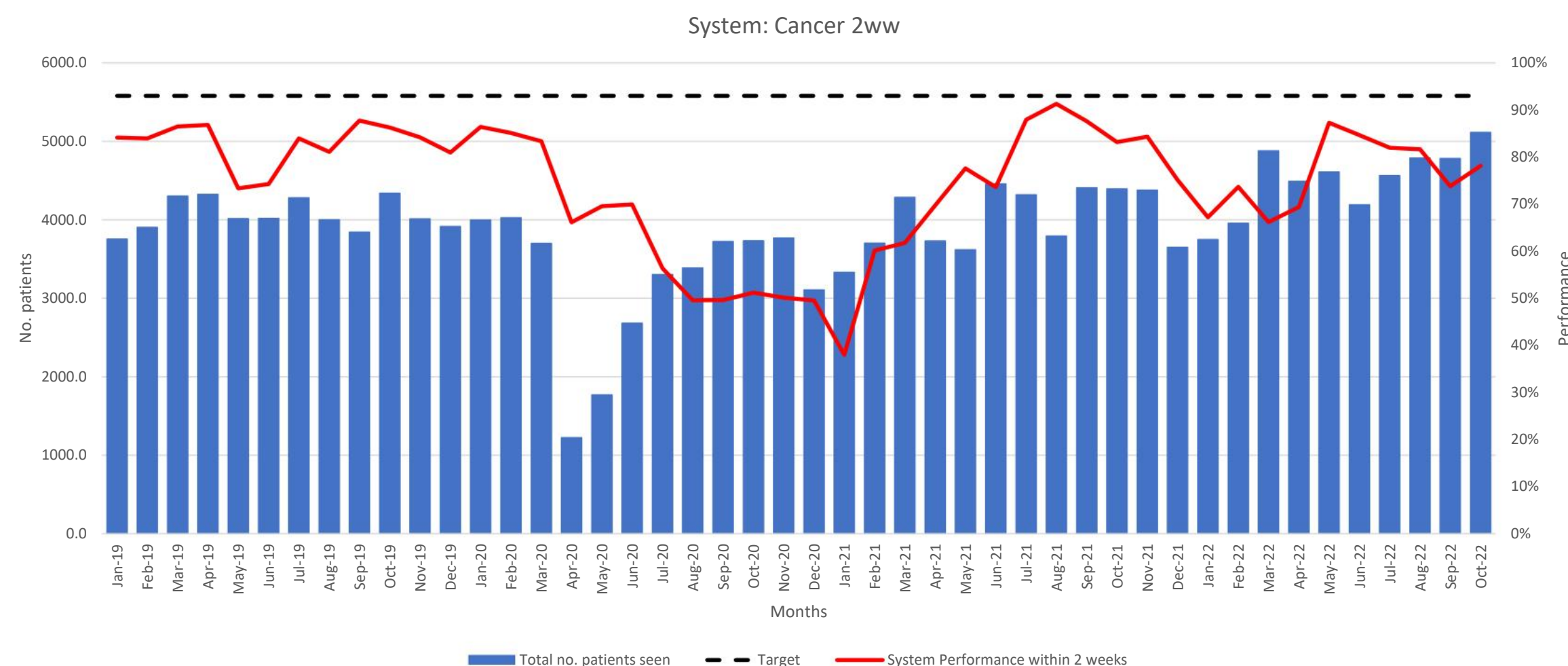


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# **Cancer**



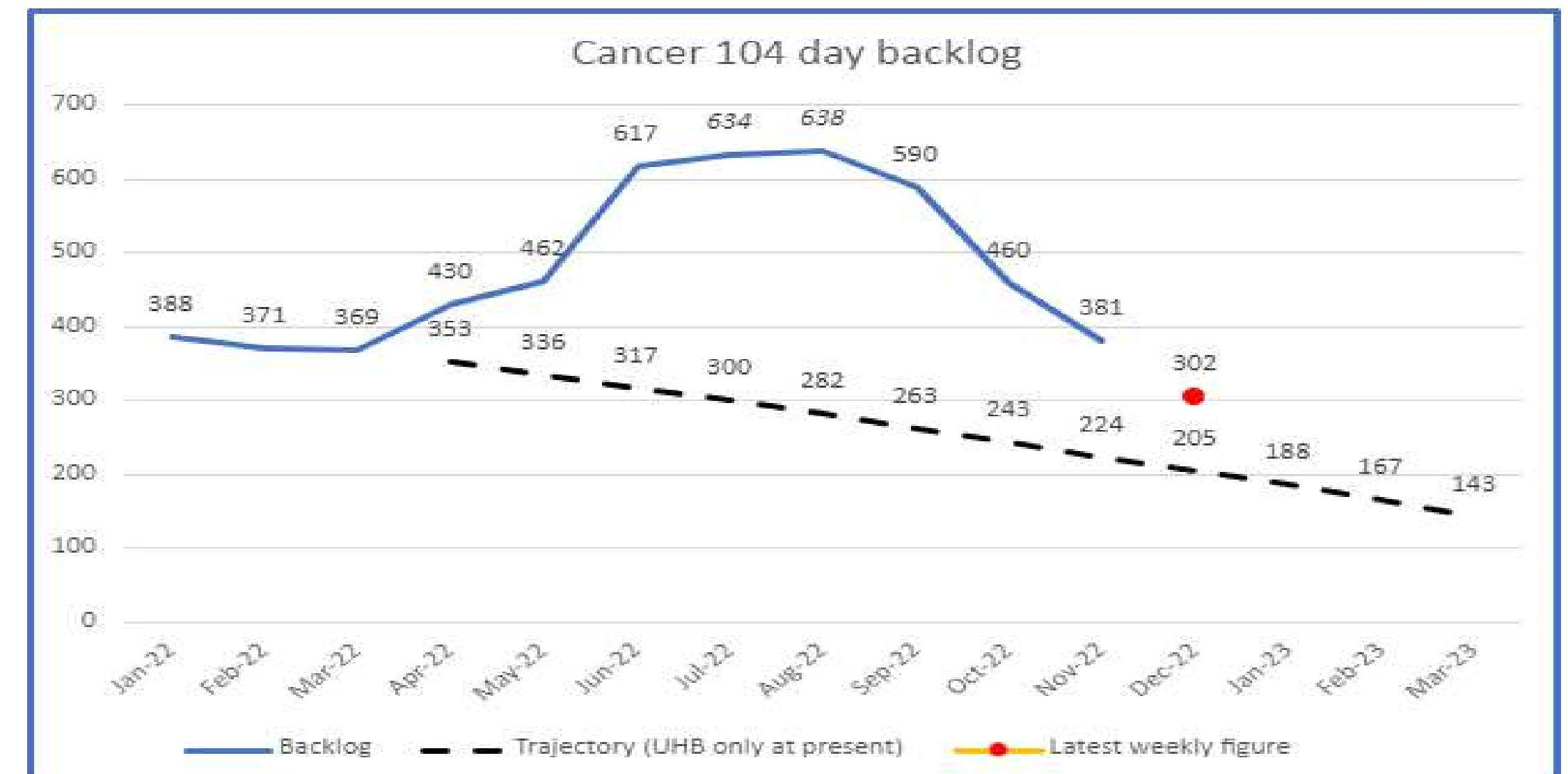
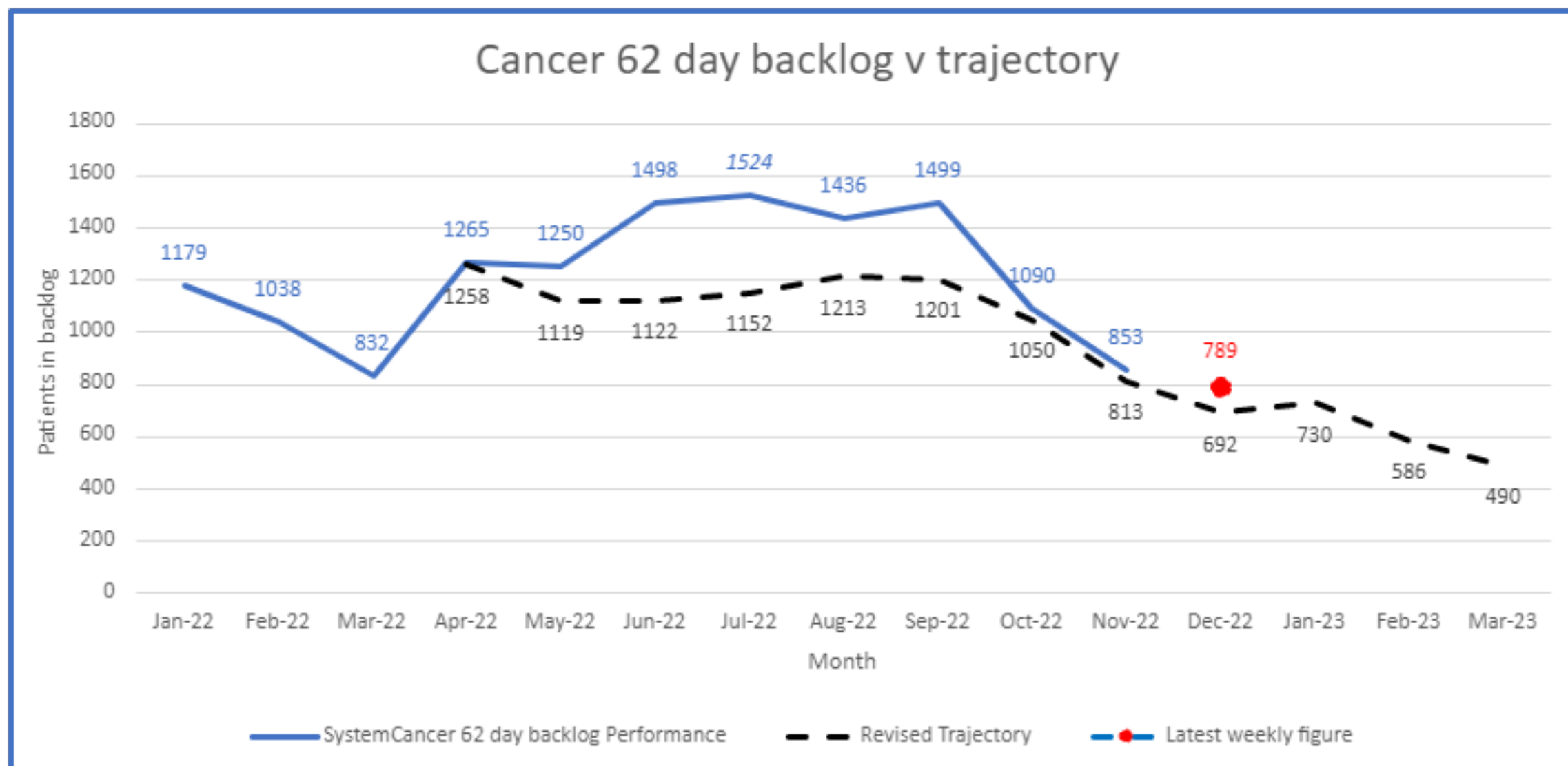
## Cancer Referral performance



- Latest 2 week wait system performance was 78.16% for October 2022. This figure has fluctuated in year but October 2022 saw a peak of 5,114 patients treated, it is expected that 2 week wait performance will improve as the system continues to work through its recovery and transformation processes.
- Faster Diagnosis Standard is a new measure that was bought in which measures people receiving their first cancer treatment within 28 days. Again there have been pressures along this pathway with the volume of patients we have in the backlog and treating new patients coming onto the cancer pathway. Latest performance in October 2022 was 59.06% against a operational planning trajectory for the system of 64.90%.



# Cancer treatment backlogs



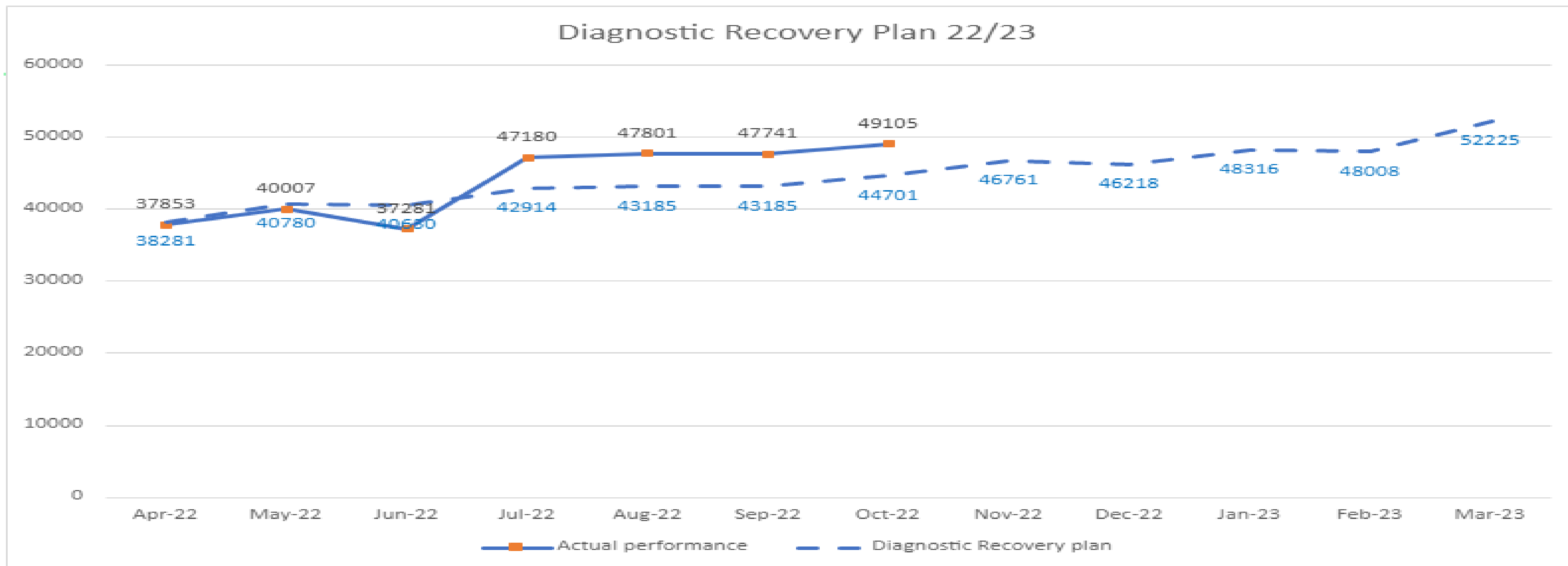
- The latest unvalidated position shows that there were 789 patients who have waited over 62 days for treatment in w/e 11<sup>th</sup> December and 302 patients who have waited for over 104 days.
- These figures have reduced significantly over the past few month with a peak validated position in July of 1,524 patients on the 62 day backlog that has reduced by 48% to the latest position that is continuing to be driven down.
- There is confidence that the March 2023 trajectory will be delivered with accurate forecasting haven taken place over recent months and assurance and oversight given weekly through the System Oversight Group.
- This March position will be a significant improvement from the pre Covid position so will be successful progress



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# Diagnostics

## Recovery 120% of Activity against 19/20 baseline



- Diagnostic activity remained above the system 22/23 recovery plan for the fourth consecutive month.
- The system is delivering the target set in the planning return in August with activity of 49,105 against a plan of 44,701
- Although that we are delivering the overall activity against plan there are three specific areas where diagnostics remains a challenge for Ultrasound, MRI and Gastroscopy.

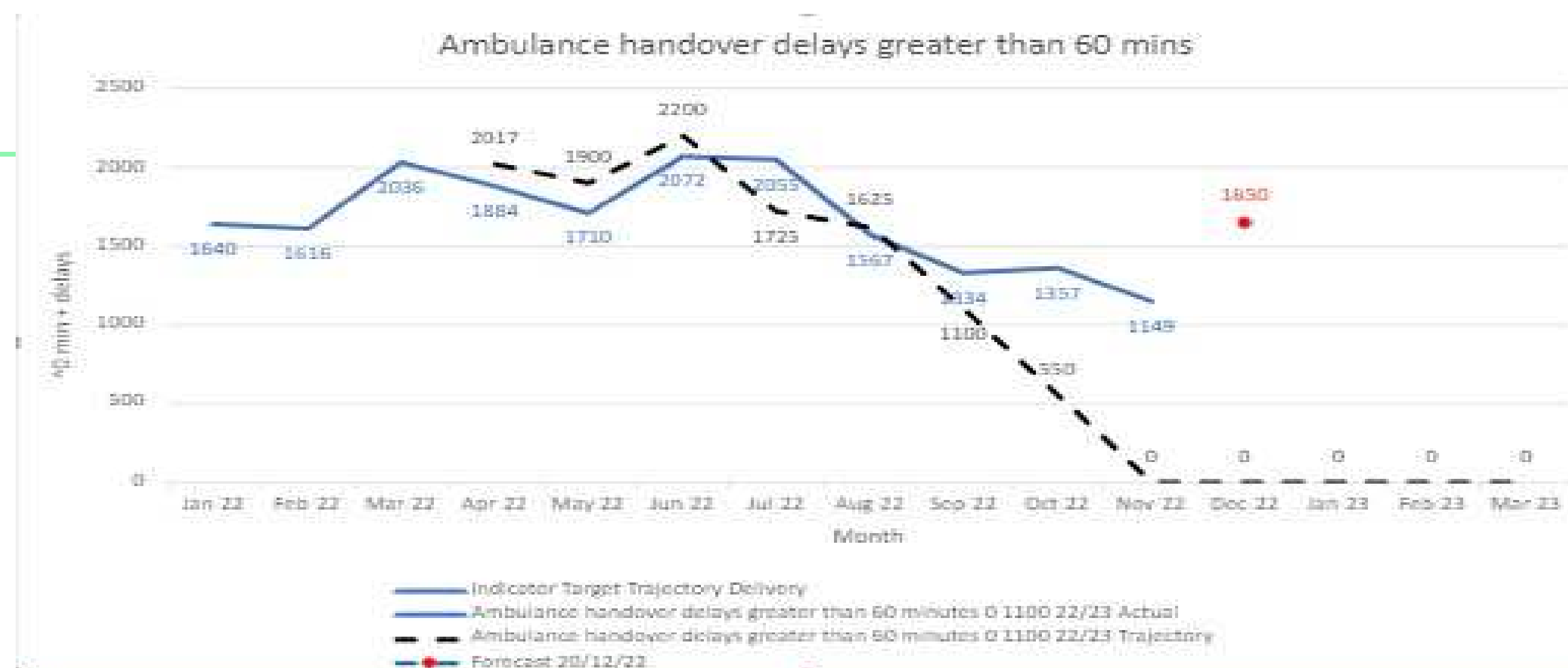
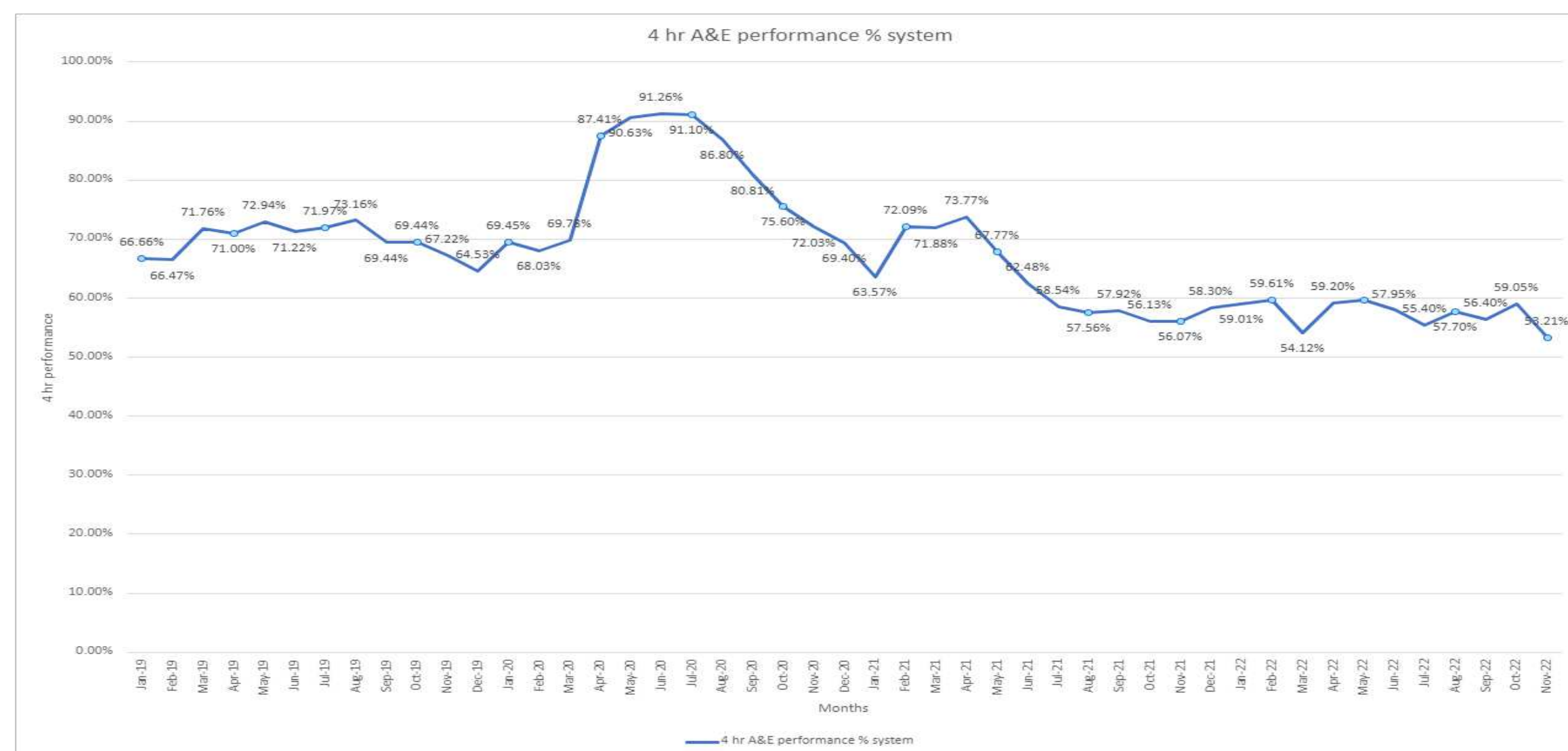




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## **Urgent and emergency care**

# Accident & Emergency



- There has been a decrease in performance in November and Performance against the 4 hour target has remained under 60% for most of the last year. There is a new national target to work towards delivering 76% by March 2024.
- The number of ambulances waiting for greater than 60 minutes to overload patients in A&E showed significant and consistent improvement between June and November, however this is expected to increase significantly in December. This has been mirrored nationally where December was a very challenging month for ambulance handovers.
- Targets for ambulance handovers are 7 minutes, 18 minutes, 120 minutes and 180 minutes respectively. Category 1 performance is better than the average across the region but categories 2 – 4 are generally waiting longer than other patients across the region

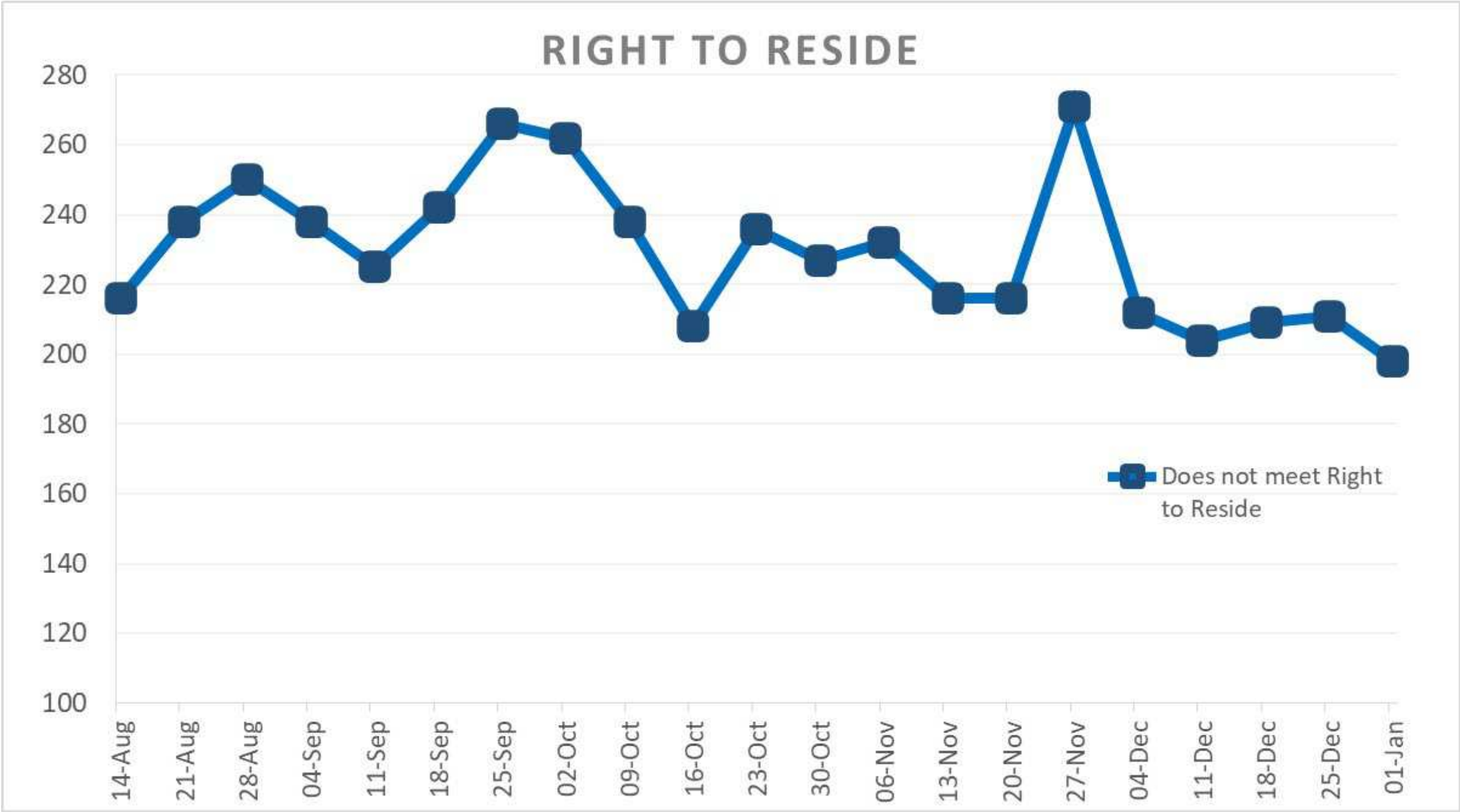


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# Discharges



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Weekly Snapshot - Trust Name	% beds occupied by patients NOT meeting criteria to reside	Number of patients NOT meeting criteria to reside
Midlands	13.6%	2246
University Hospitals Birmingham NHS Foundation Trust	10.0%	165
Trust A	15.9%	83
Trust B	13.2%	39
Trust C	10.3%	57
Trust D	15.9%	105
Trust E	16.4%	254
Trust F	11.5%	70
Trust G	13.4%	88
Trust H	12.3%	39
Trust I	11.4%	65
Trust J	15.7%	127
Trust K	21.2%	153
Trust L	14.4%	142
Trust M	30.6%	231
Trust N	7.7%	104
Trust O	11.5%	179
Trust P	9.9%	122
Trust Q	20.0%	103
Trust R	6.1%	44
Trust S	24.3%	76

- We are getting our patients as close to home as possible, a lot quicker than we have done previously – this is reflected in the performance over time as well as the comparative table for the midlands.
- Looking at the latest weekly snapshot the percentage of beds occupied by patients who do not meet the right to reside compares well across the Midlands region. Of the 20 trusts there are only 3 trusts across the region who have lower proportions of beds occupied by patients who do not meet the right to reside criteria.
- Overall numbers without a right to reside at UHB have fallen this week from 190 to 165 – *current week*
- BCHC patients without a right to reside rose from 21 to 33 this week (Friday snapshot) – *current week*



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# Mental Health



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## Out of Area Placements in Mental Health

		Current Achivement	Current Target
Birmingham and Solihull CCG	September, 2022	1,475	1,360

### BSOL CCG

Inappropriate Out of Area Bed Days and Target

Achievement Target (max)



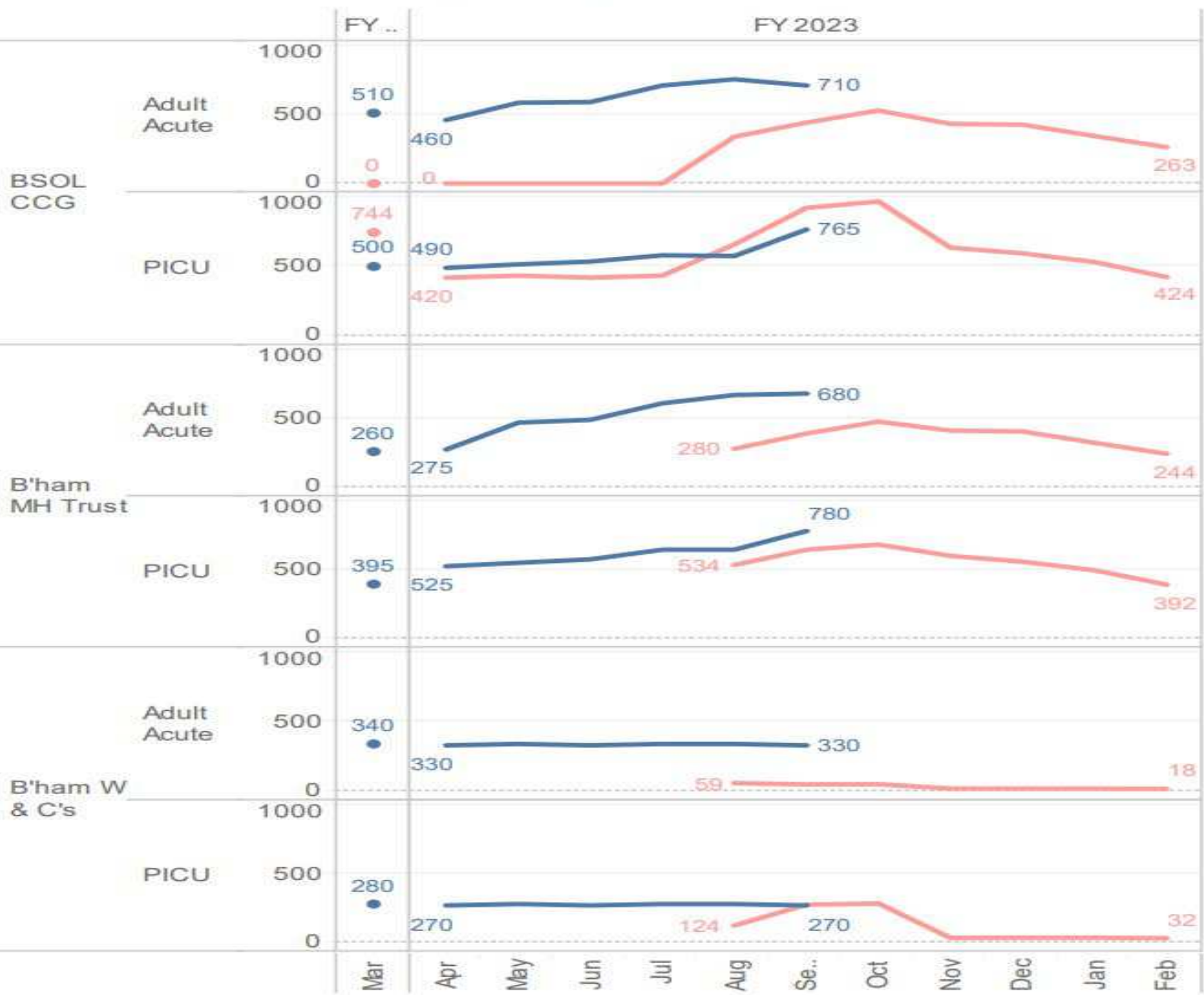
Source: NHS Digital via MLCSU Analyst Global

- Elimination of out of area placements is desired.
- Targets re-profiled from Aug 2022 onwards.
- Figures for sending providers include both BSOL and non-BSOL patients. Figures for BSOL are restricted to BSOL patients.

### Adult Acute and PICU

Inappropriate Out of Area Bed Days and Target

Achievement Target (max)

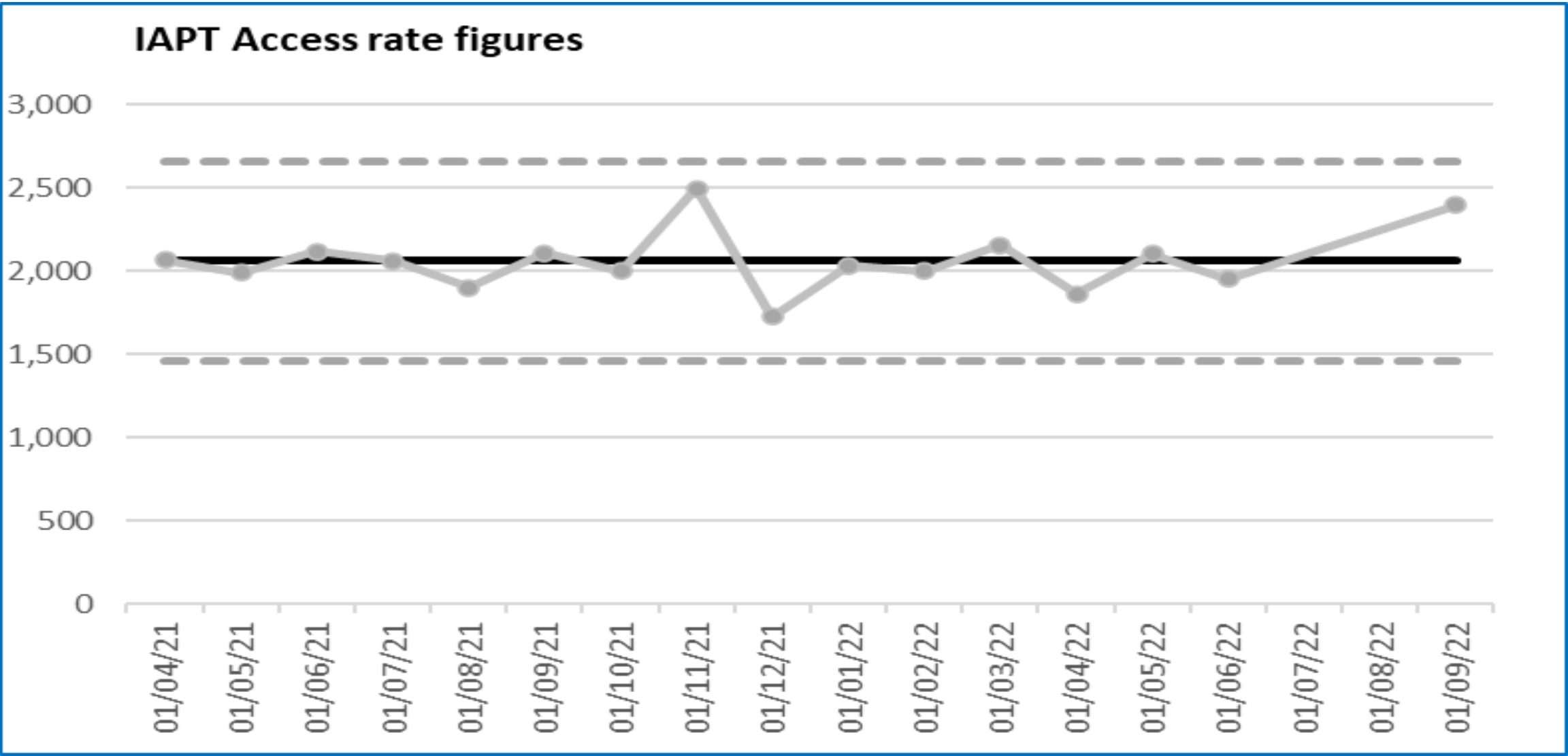


The number of inappropriate out of area bed days remains above targeted levels. This figure has already become to reduce in the local data, post September, that we hold and additional capacity is also coming online that will continue to reduce this figure.

A trajectory is being revised that will track progress to delivering zero by Q2 2023/24



# IAPT Access



- 2,395 patients entered NHS funded treatment with IAPT services in September 2022. The cumulative figure of 20,710 to date is an estimate as a result of July and August figures not being available at this time.
- BSol are targeting to see 36,334 patients across the year, this will be below the national target to see 47,459.

**Note on Rolling 12m figure:** July and August data is missing, but September data is included, this means the rolling 12 month figure is short of two months of data. My estimate is 25,055 which is below the BSOL target of 36,289.