HAND HYGIENE

"It's in our hands"

"Improvement can only happen if every HCW takes responsibility for their hand hygiene and every ward gets behind the initiative" MB

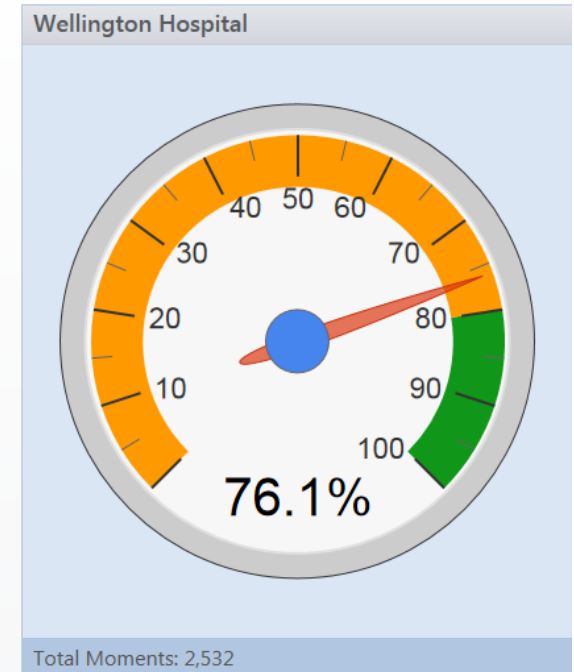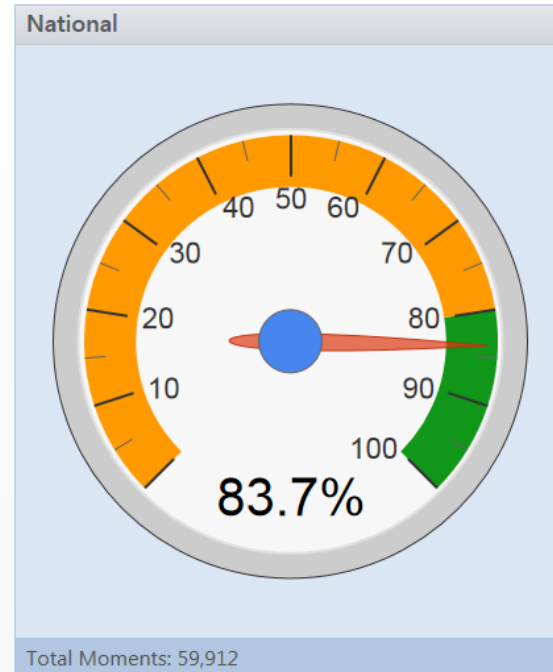*Carolyn Clissold, CNS, IPC, CCDHB*

BE CRAP

Consistently

Return

Awful

Practice

National

83.7%

Total Moments: 59,912

Wellington Hospital

76.1%

Total Moments: 2,532

IPC/QIPS asked to lead a hospital-wide initiative from July – October 2017

'It's in our hands': Hospital-wide HH initiative

Aim:

- HH rates **> 80%** for **all HCW** in **ALL inpatient areas on 5 Moments of HH audit**

Does disaster loom...

Date	Spread	%
Oct 2016	8 Areas	82.2%
March 2017	9 Areas	79%
June 2017	13 Areas	76.1%
Oct 2017	17 Areas	?

Disaster prevention tips

1. Increase Awareness of HH

2. Increase Accessibility and acceptability of product

3. Increased Auditing

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Increase awareness by...

- Articles and posters

- Medical HOD ownership

- Quality- Awards for consistency above 80% & improvement

- Ward ownership

- Sequencing training – Scenarios

- Target HH E Learning

HH accessibility and acceptability

- Spot audits of end of beds in each area

- ⬆ bed bracket availability

- Refine product

- Ensure supply

- Teach better bed bracket mounting

Increased auditing

- Run twice yearly and well publicised auditor study days

- Employ auditor for 1 day per week (Doing baseline and then national audit)

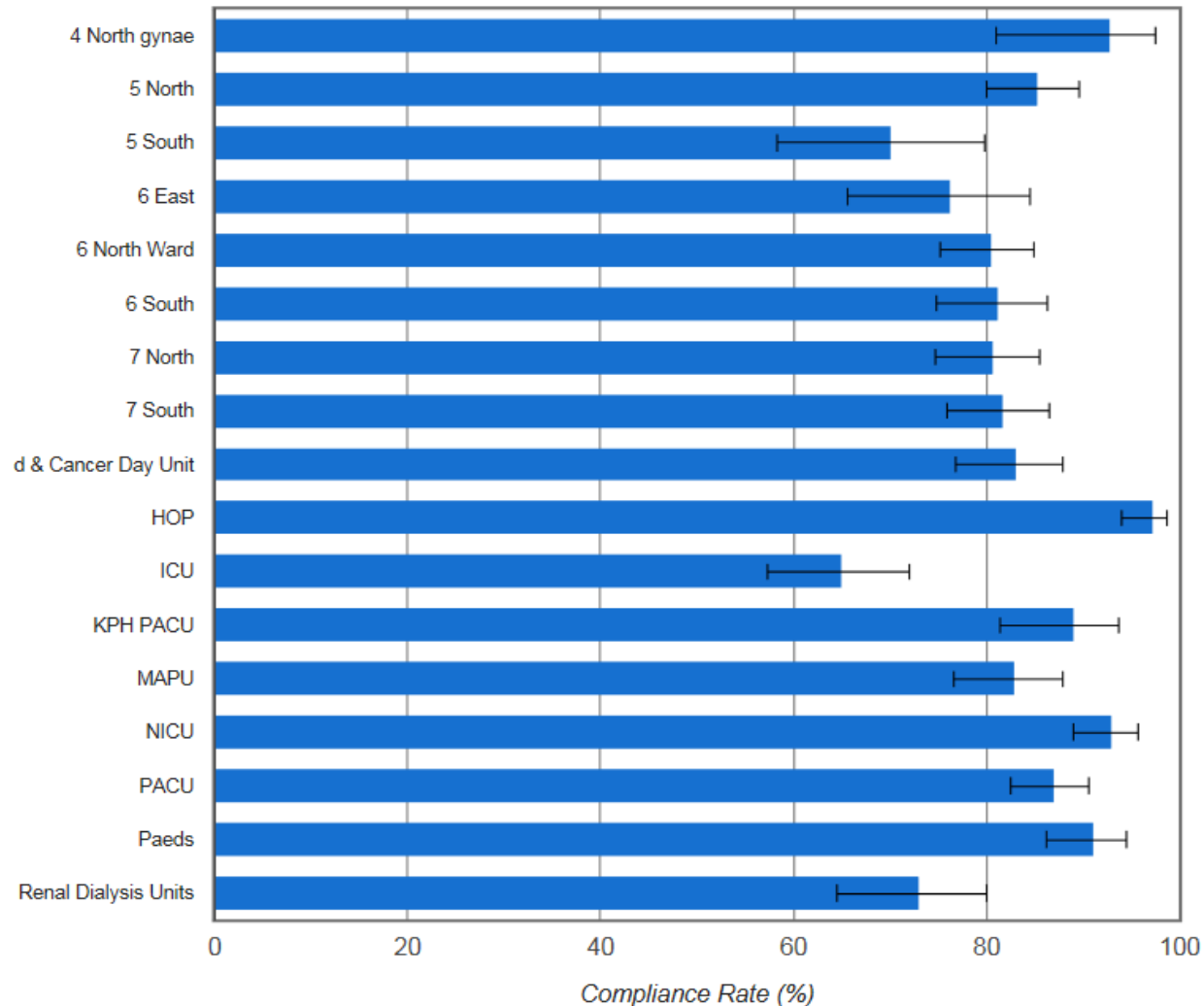- Get areas to send senior nurses for auditing training

Auditor and Area Feedback

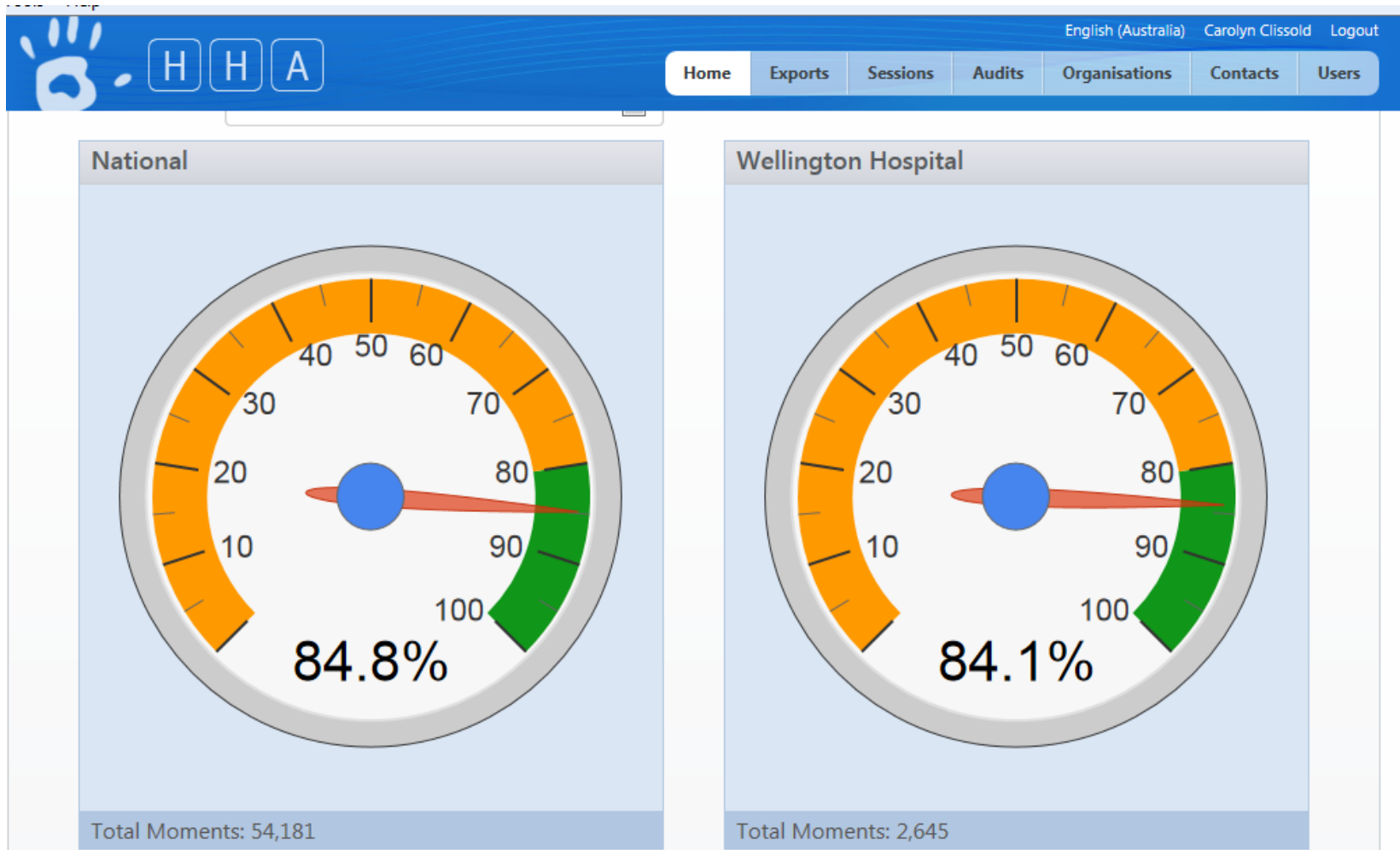| Moments done	Moments needed by Sept end	Moments needed by Oct end	%
100	100	200	72%

Mid point feedback to areas on
- %, Moments needed by end of September, and moments needed by end of October.

- Area posters sent around

- Teaching session by IPCN if needed

A huge range of departments now participating

HH- "It is in our hands!!"

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