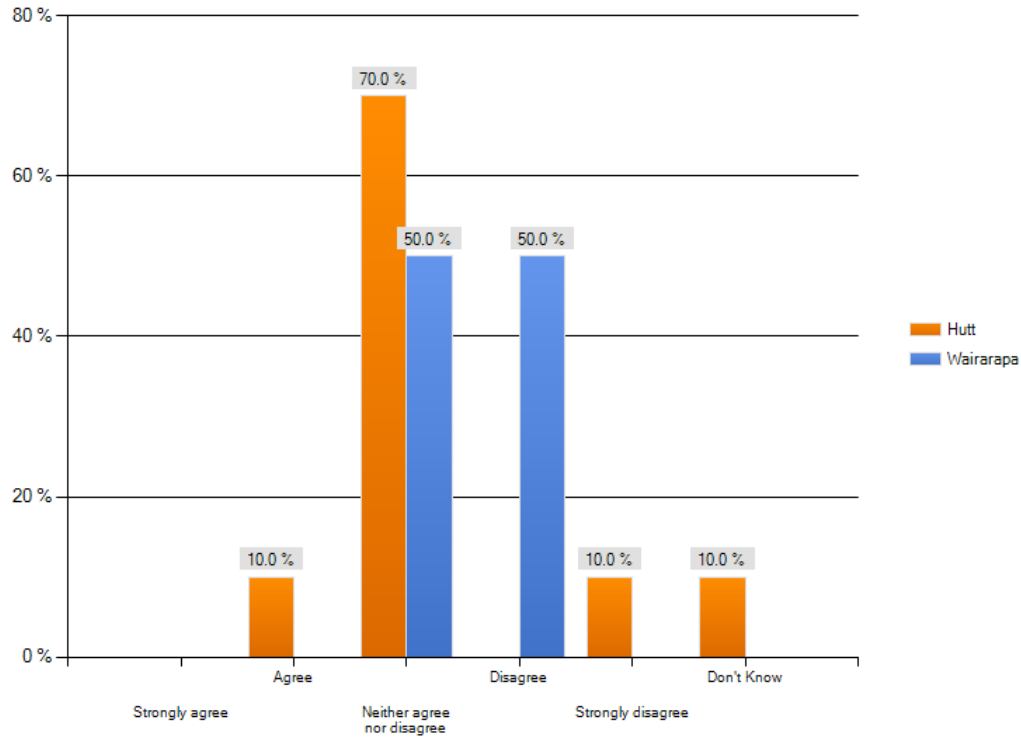


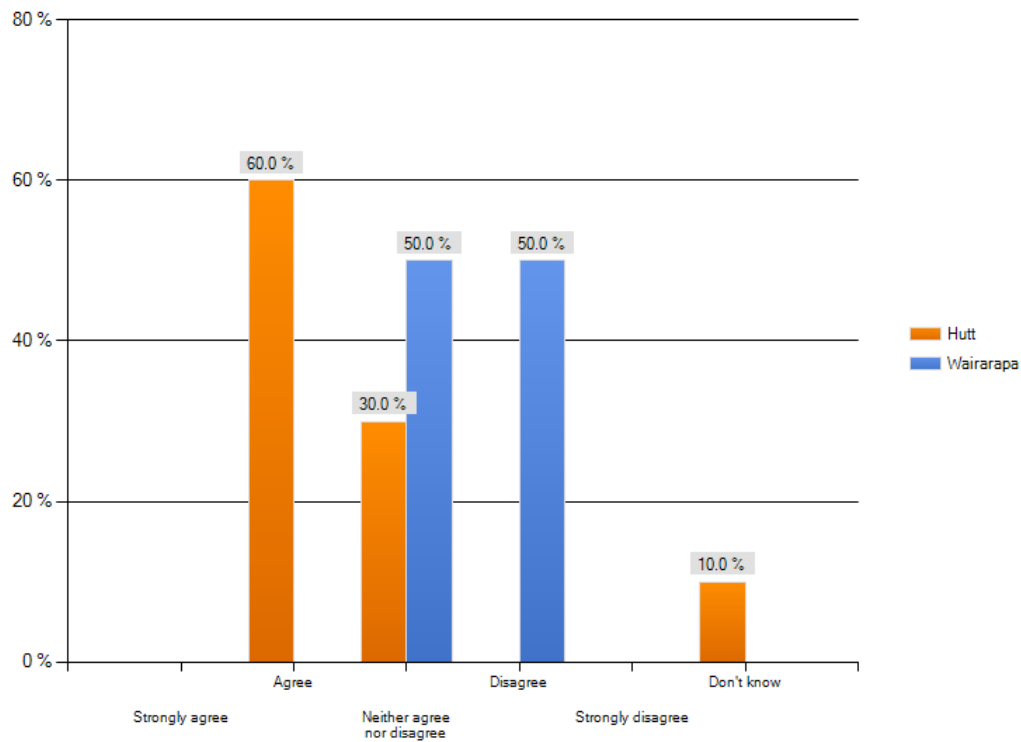
HUTT VALLEY

This section summarises the results of Hutt Valley DHB. *Indicates respondents could choose more than one option.

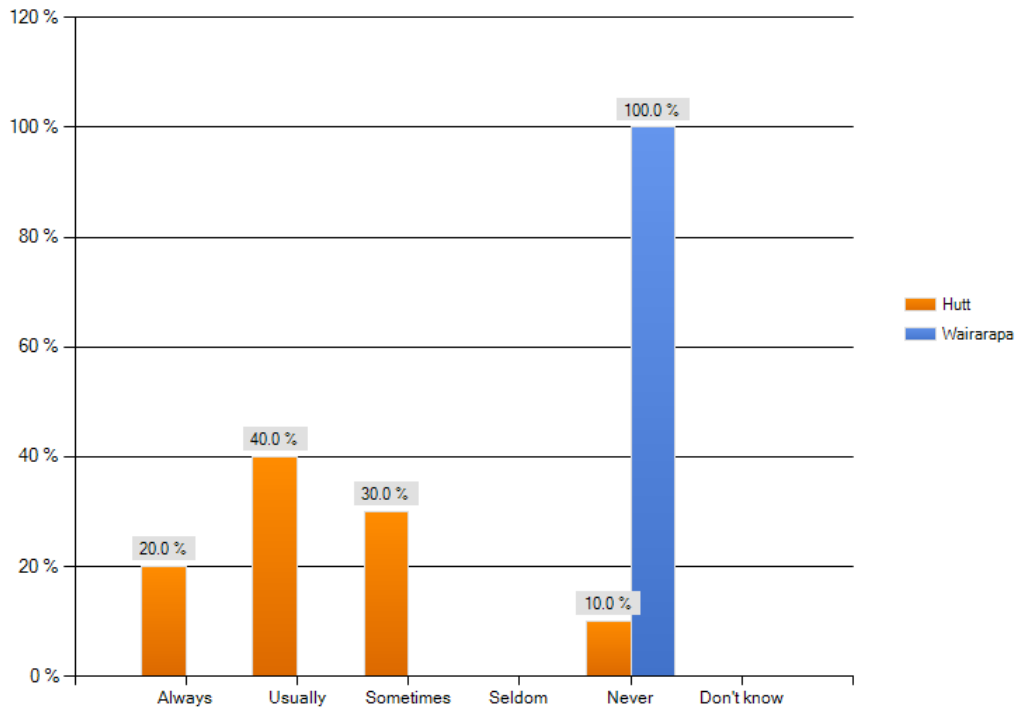
At our hospital House Officers are confident when they start nights.



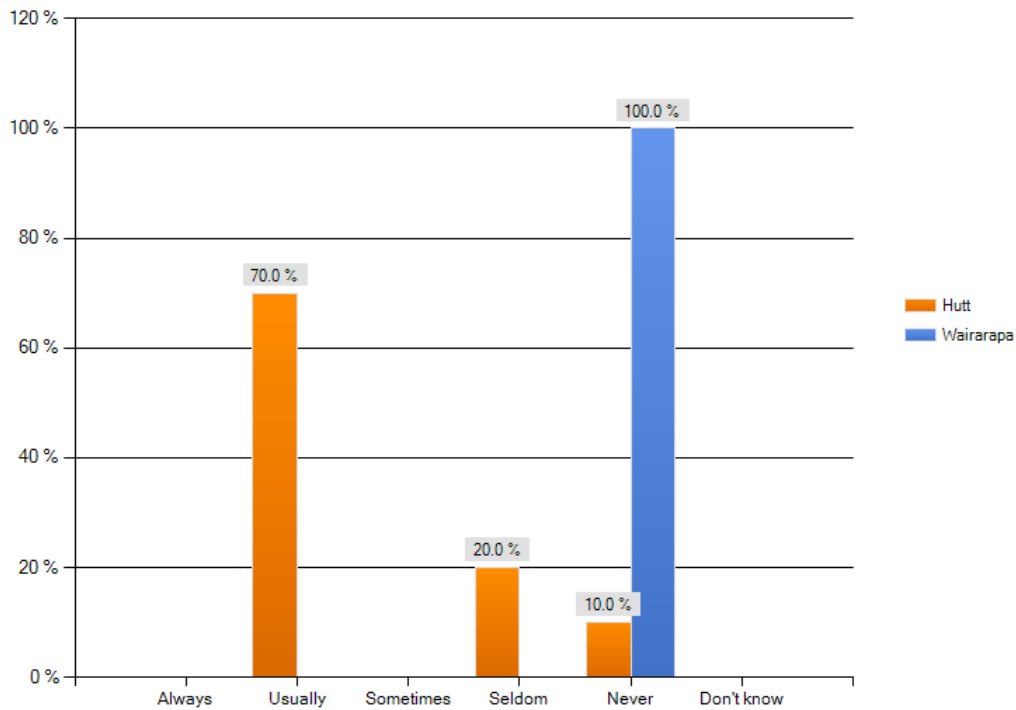
At our hospital House Officers are proficient when they start nights.



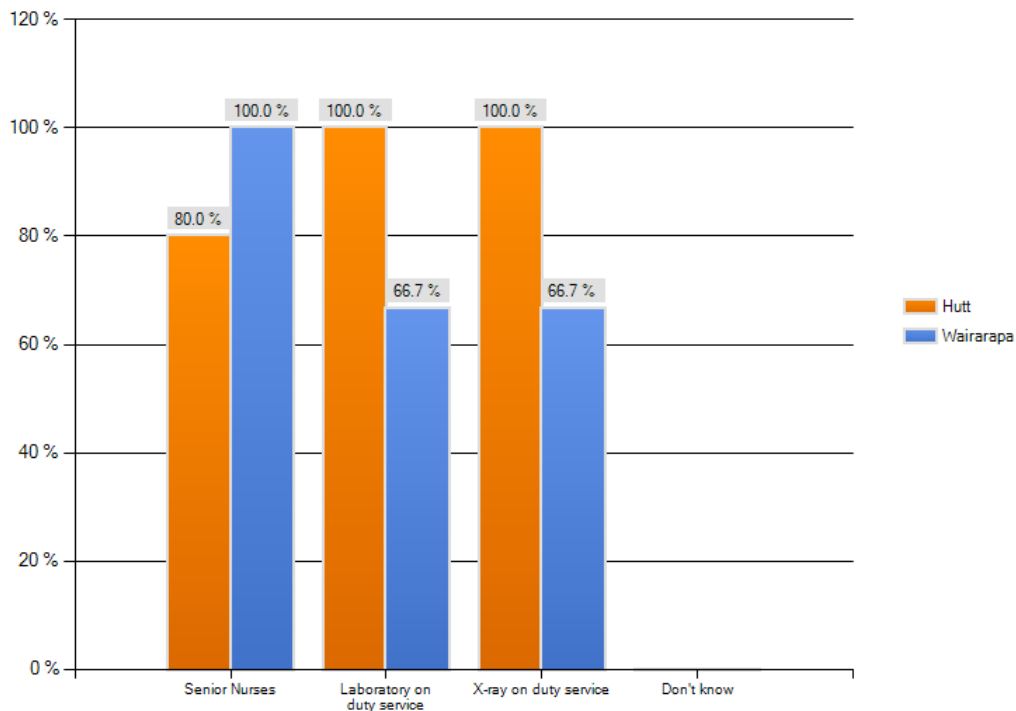
A medical registrar is available and able to provide direct supervision to house officers at night.



A surgical registrar is available and able to provide direct supervision to house officers when on nights.

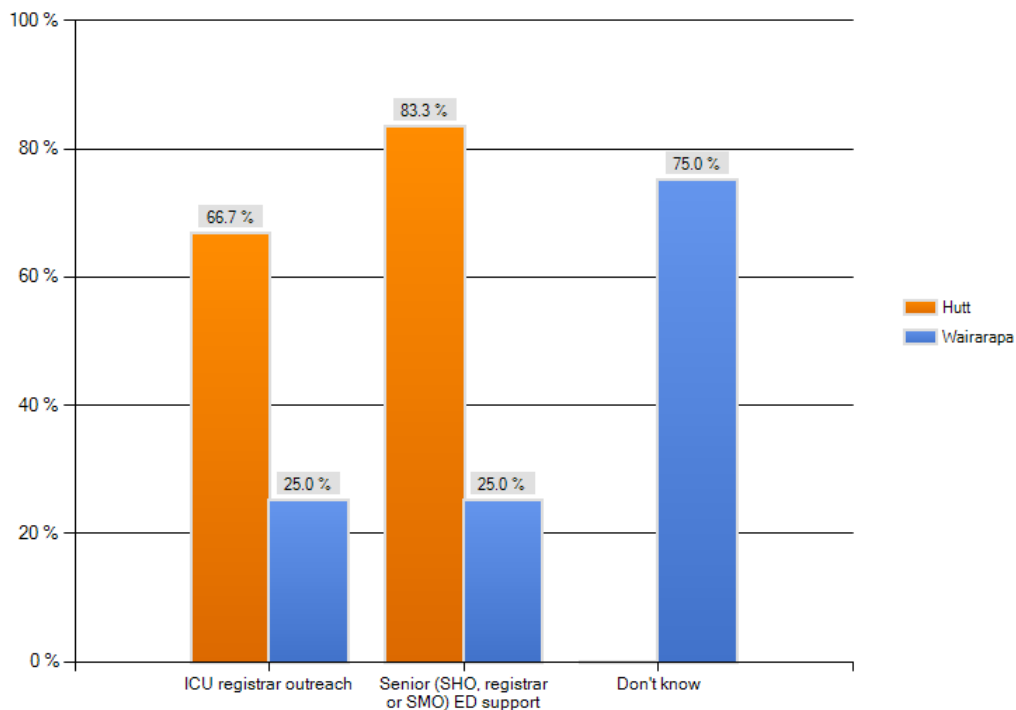


The following additional support staff are available on nights (tick where appropriate):-



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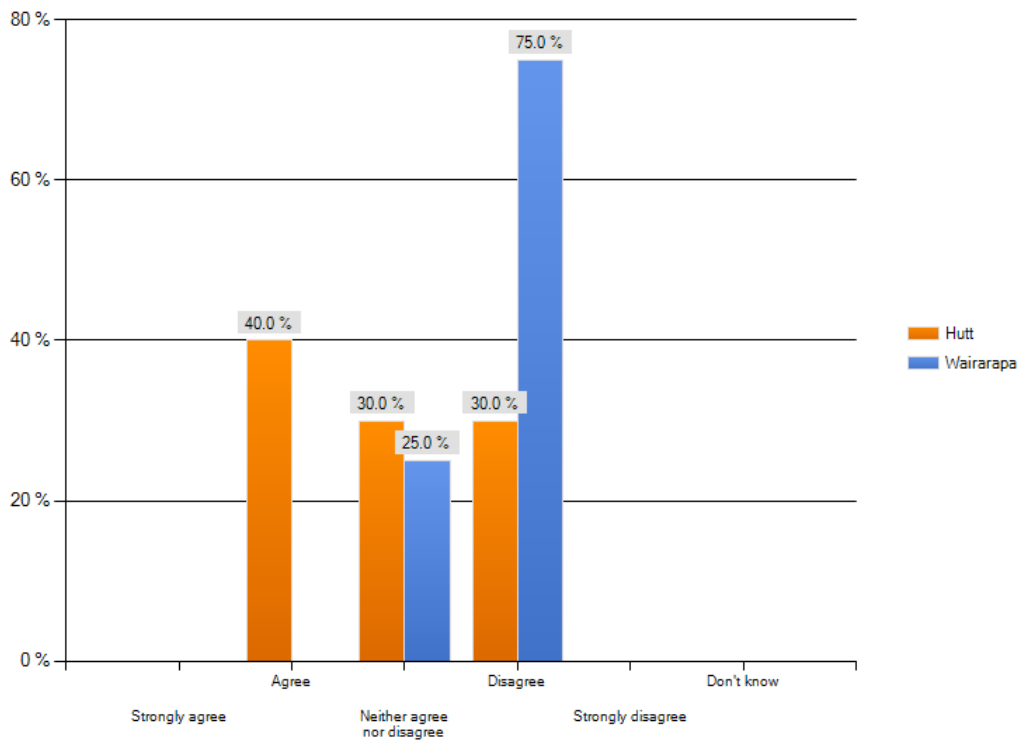
There is additional medical support at night from the following (tick where appropriate).



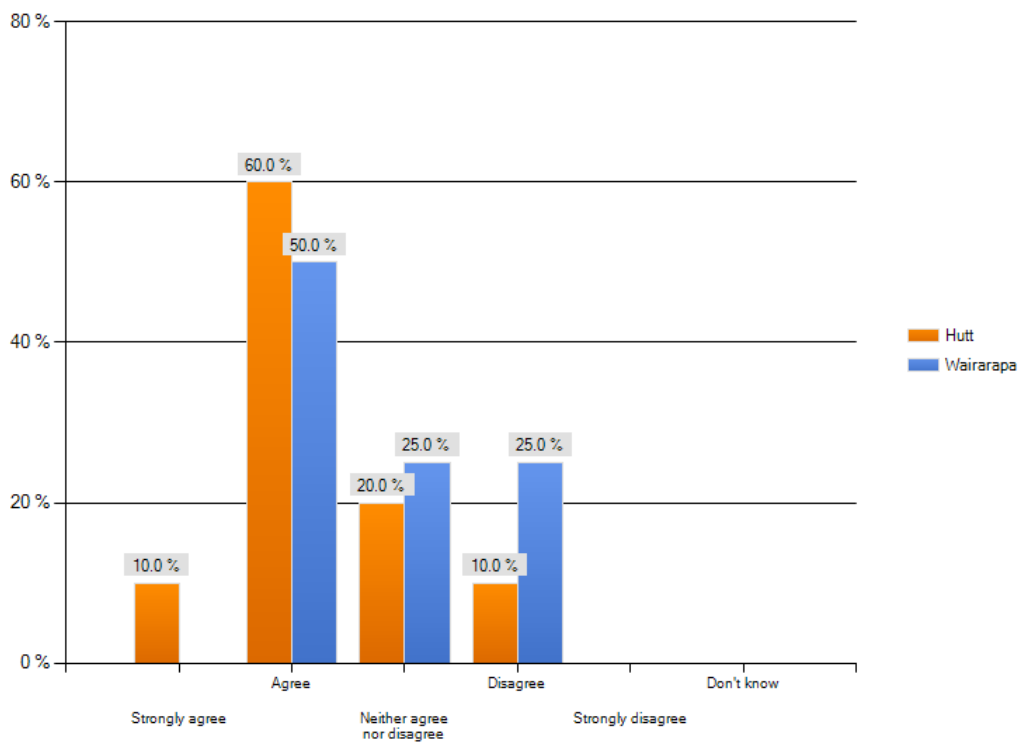
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¹ Comments: "Senior nurses on at night ("after hours management") but skills and availability are highly variable"; "On call consultants and on call lab technicians and radiographers, they can be rung if we need anything. No technicians available as they only come when needed"; "On call lab and x-ray".

Overall medical staffing is at appropriate levels at night.

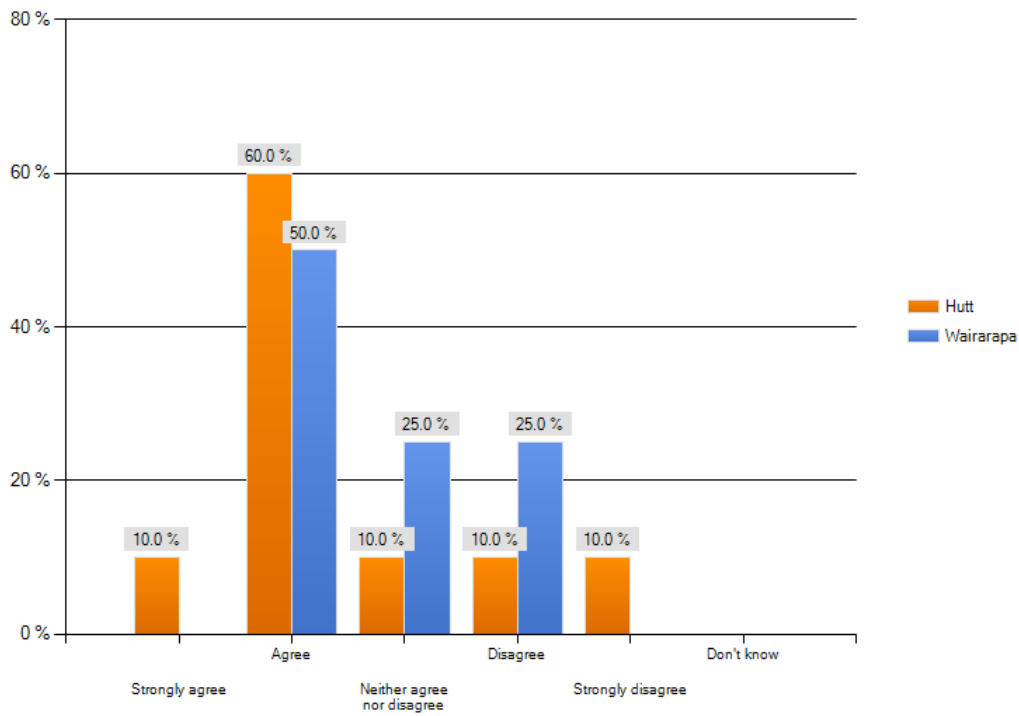


Handover is effective and supported.

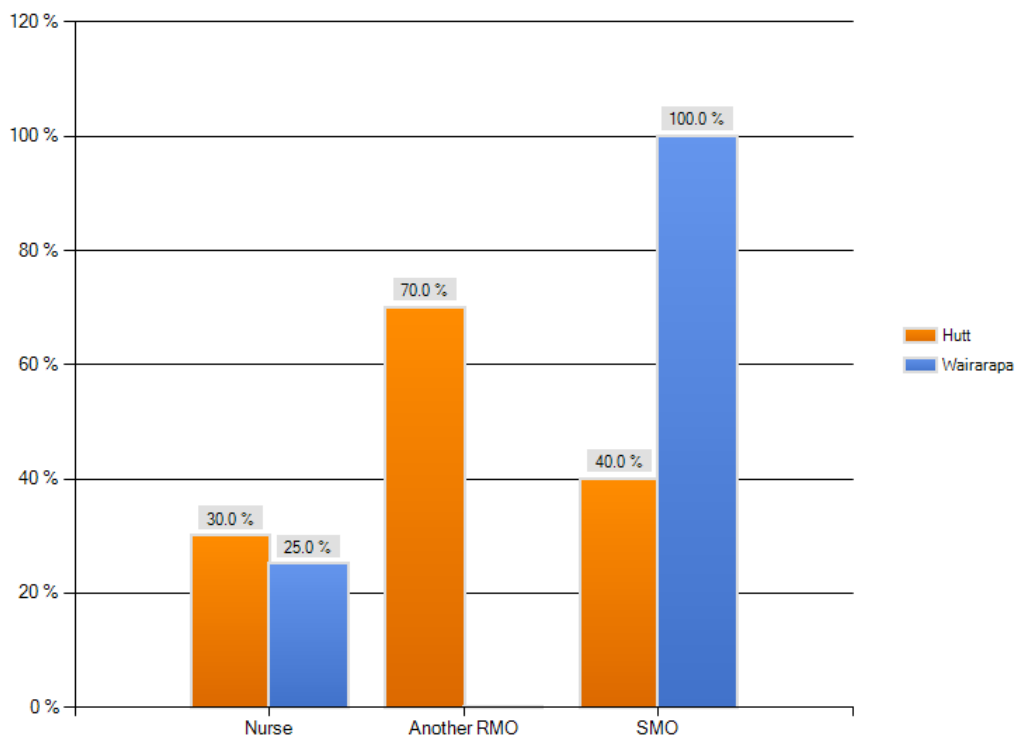


² Comments: "Can contact ICU if patient thought to need their care otherwise no"; "Anaes registrar (covering theatre and ICU and wards)"; "Off-site on call consultants"; "Specialty consultants".

There are well established escalation processes if house officers need help.



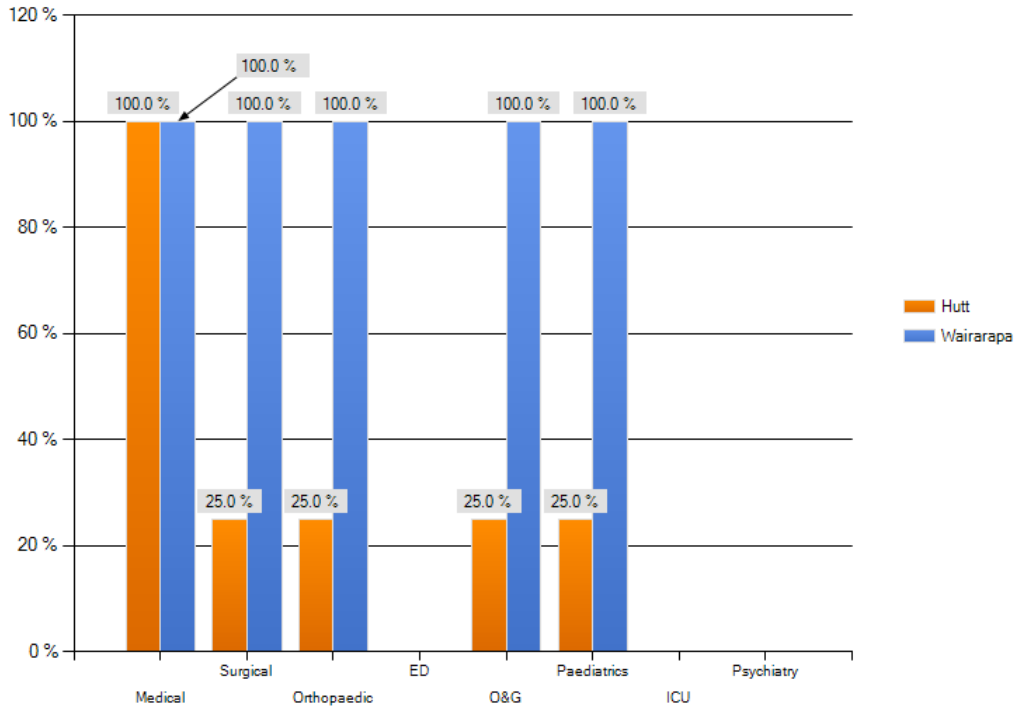
For support or assistance on nights do you call:-



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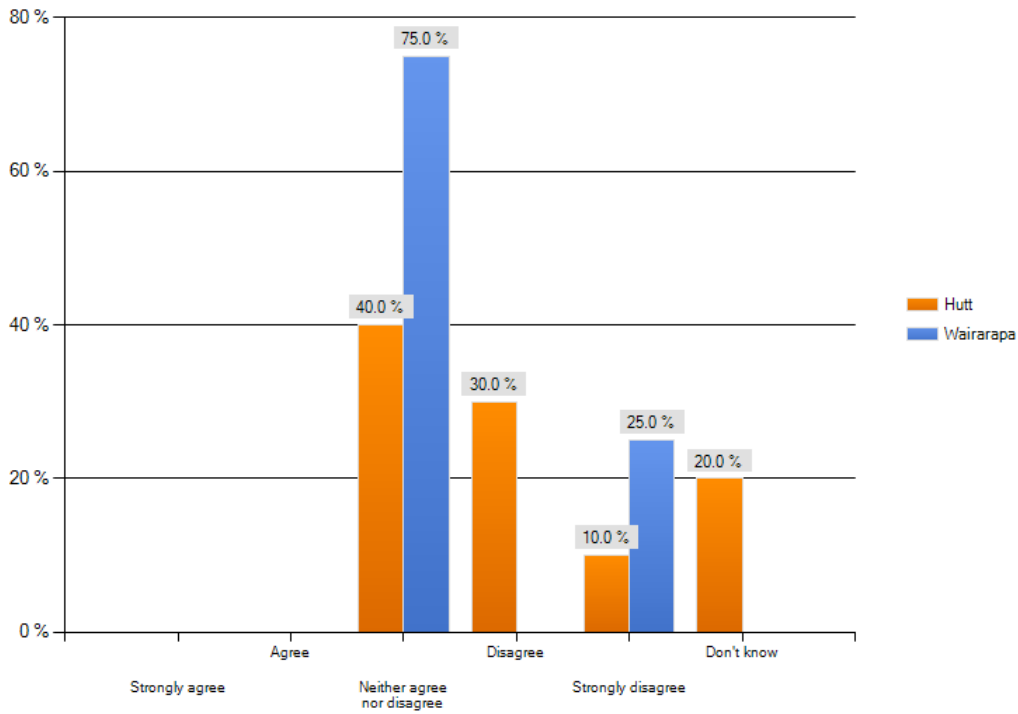
³ Comments: "As House Officer you would call the Registrar; as a Registrar the SMO".

If you answered "SMO" to the previous question please indicate below on which specialties are the SMOs approachable and responsive:



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The house officers received adequate and appropriate orientation to nights.



⁴ Comments: "Unsure about other departments".

Is there an assessment or audit process in place that monitors safety for RMOs and their patients on nights.

