

## WEB APPENDIX PAPER 2

A full list of data sources used in the paper appears below <sup>1-26</sup>

Figure A1: Total attendances, January 2011-2015, NHS England. Note: axis does not start at 0.

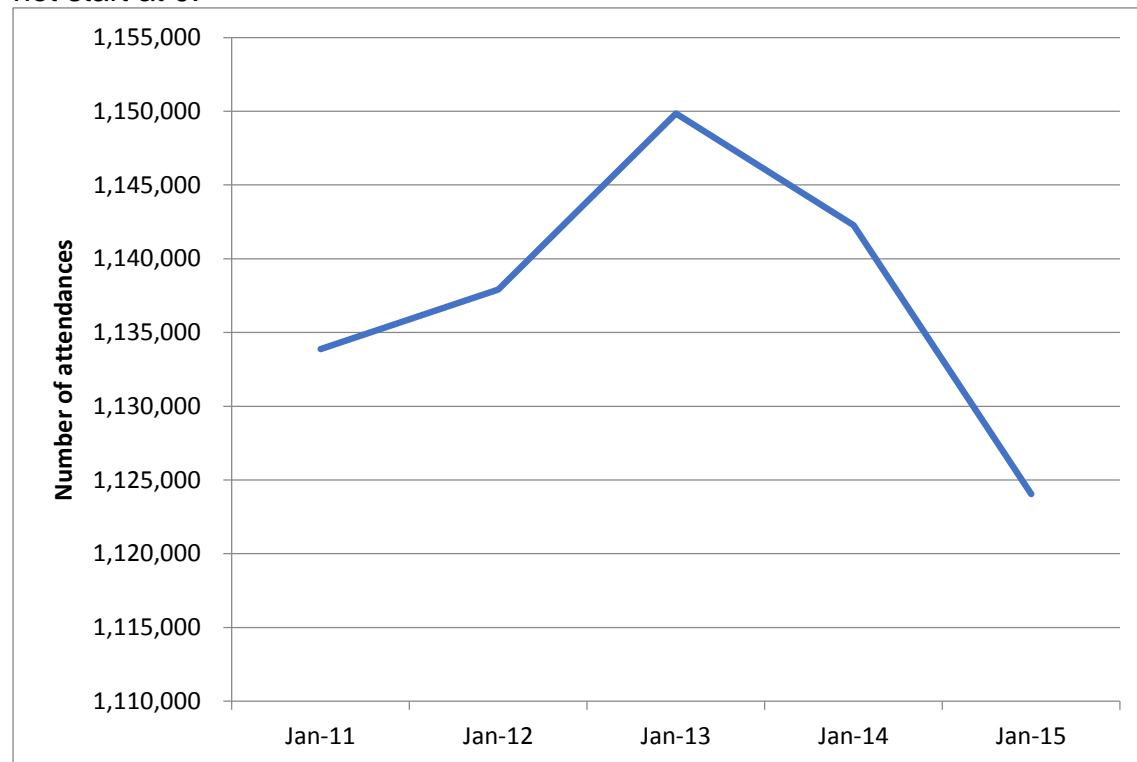
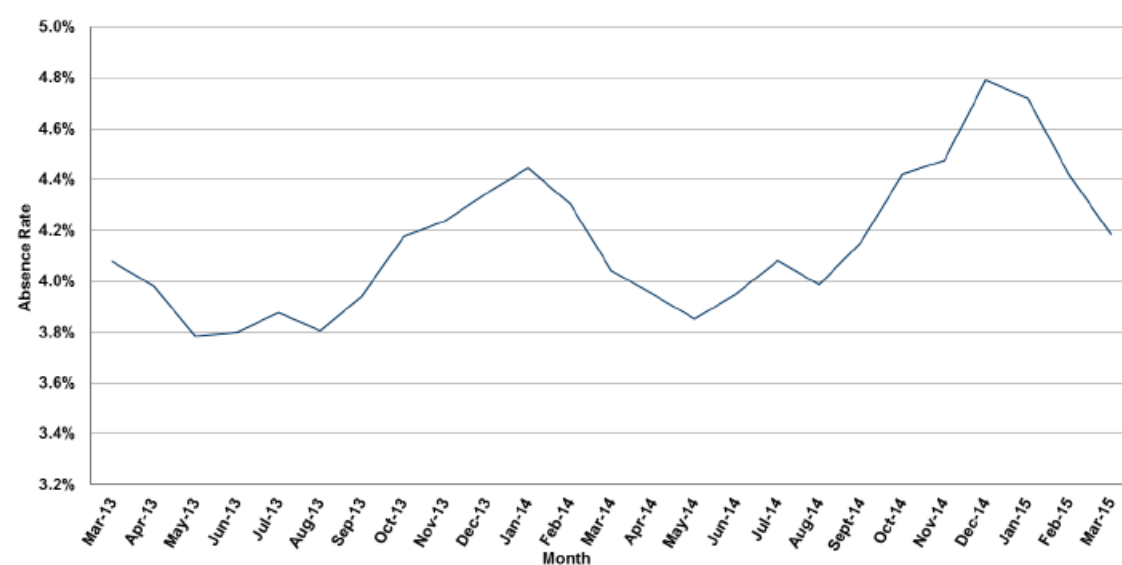


Figure A2: Staff absence rates in the NHS in England. Note: axis does not start at 0.



Source: HSCIC<sup>11</sup>

These figures correspond to areas of NHS performance examined for January 2015. Figure 1 shows that attendances to A&E in this period were not exceptional, indeed lower than the same time periods from 2011. Figure 2 shows an increase in staff absences rates in the NHS in England during that period. In combination with the other markers presented in the paper, these appear to represent a whole system failure in January 2015.

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