Reducing short-stay admissions and improving bed availability at Lahey Hospital & Medical Center

- The day of the week and time of the day can determine:
  - Whether a patient gets admitted to the hospital
  - The length of stay at the hospital

- Factors affecting admission and length of stay:
  - Who is in charge – conservative admissions
  - Lack of testing on weekends
  - Inpatient vs. outpatient scheduling for MRI

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