

Embracing the Complete Visitor Economy

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Transportation =

development of healthcare
away from home =

link to tourism

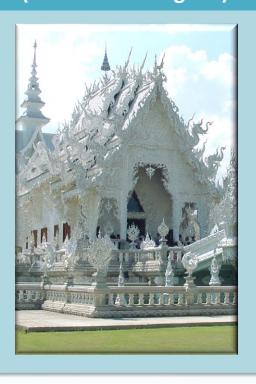






Forwardkeys, to monitor Air traveller reservation trends worldwide in real time

True Destination (Inbound Chiang Rai)



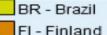
Travellers' flow

inbound





True Origin (Source Markets)



- SE Sweden
- 📕 BE Belgium
- PT Portugal
- RU Russia
- CH Switzerland
- DK Denmark
- NL Netherlands
- GB United Kingdo
- FR France
- IT Italy
- US U.S.A.
- DE Germany
- ES Spain



Monitor top source markets and measure ROI

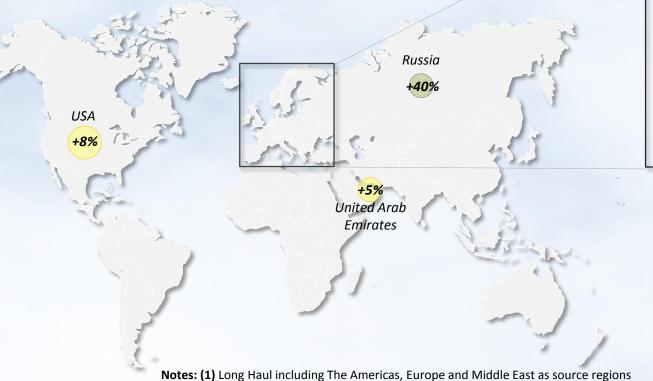
Destination: Thailand

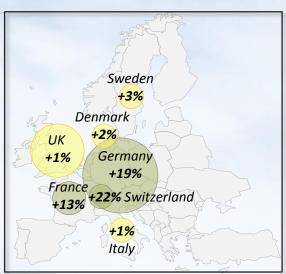
Arrival period: From 1-April 2012 to 31-March 2013 (vs April 2011- March 2012)

Source Markets considered: Long haul¹ source countries with detail of top 10

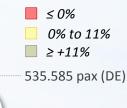
Past Arrivals to Thailand from Long Haul Source Countries¹

(% Var. vs. Prev. Mov. Year): **+11,3%**









105.254 pax (UAE)



Adapt to future trends based on issued bookings

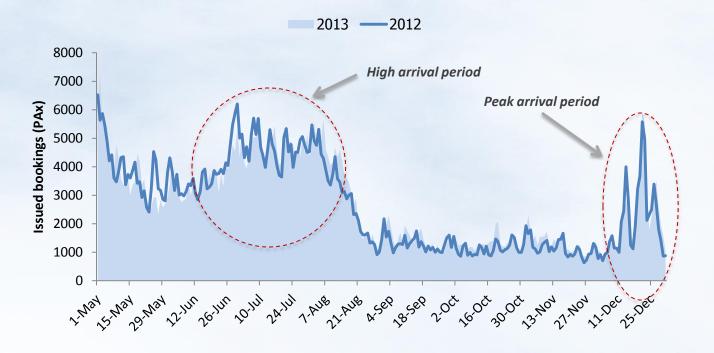
Destination: Thailand

Arrival period: May-December 2013 (vs same period 2012)

Source Markets considered: Long haul¹ source countries

Expected Arrivals to Thailand from Long Haul Source Countries¹

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Qualifying a Medical traveller

Medical tourism suffers from poor (data) BI

Business traveller

LOS: 3 days

Booking: 1 person

Days: Week days

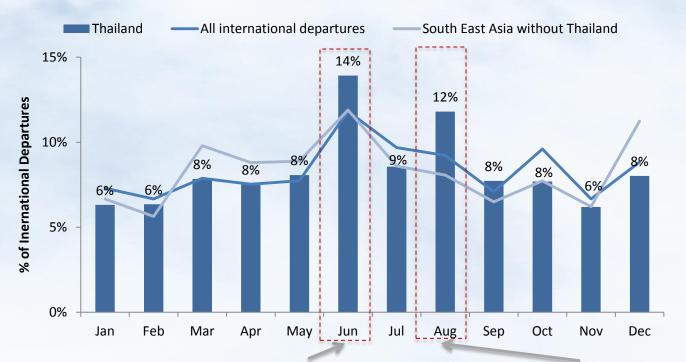


Outbound Middle East trends to South East Asia

Destination: All international destinations with detail of South East Asia and Thailand

Arrival period: Jan-Dec 2012

Source Markets considered: Middle East countries



Pre Ramadan¹ peak from Middle East countries to all destinations

Very relevant Post Ramadan¹ peak from Middle East countries to Thailand not that visible for other destinations

Notes: (1) In 2012 Ramadan begun on 20th July and ended on 18th August

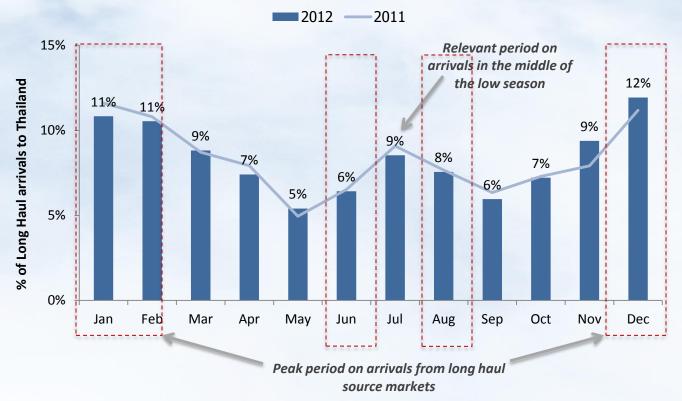


Thailand arrivals seasonality

Destination: Thailand

Arrival period: 2011, 2012

Source Markets considered: Long haul¹ source countries





Tourism is not equal to Leisure

- Medical Tourism needs to be addressed a part of the « Tourism portfolio »
 - Fantastic (potentially manageable) drivers to our industry (as well as trade tourism - shoppers).
 - A (key) facet of tourism that could be optimized to the benefit of destination economy – the benefit of all!

Suggestion...

Let's apply tourism management receipes to Medical and Yield it!



Better BI and solid Middlemen

Drivers	Facilitators
CostsTimeQualityLaw	 Ease and cost of transportation Quality is available A real business opportunity

- Drivers (driving demand) are volatile in a permanently changing and very diverse market. Demand is changing but there!
- Facilitors will only get better Offer is growing



Key importance of facilitators between offer and demand - How to « ease » the link between offer and demand?



Conclusions

- The nature of medical tourism business makes it difficult to apprehend – let's build a better Business Intelligence!
- Let's yield Medical Tourims as a facet of tourism, to best contribute to destination economy.
- Young and hetherogeneous industry link between demand and offer needs to be allowed to mature.

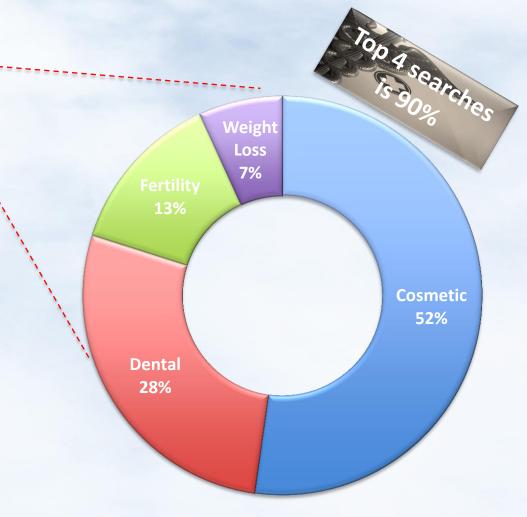


Data - The Web perspective



What patients search for?

PROCEDURES	PERCENTAGE
Cosmetic	46,8%
Dental	24,8%
Fertility	11,9%
Weight Loss	6,1%
Orthopedic	3,5%
Surgery	2,5%
Eye Surgery	1,6%
Spine and Neurology	0,8%
Cancer Treatment	0,6%
Stem Cell Therapies	0,6%
Heart Surgery and	
Cardiology	0,6%
Other	0,2%
Wellness & Spa	0,1%
TOTAL	100,0 <mark>%</mark>

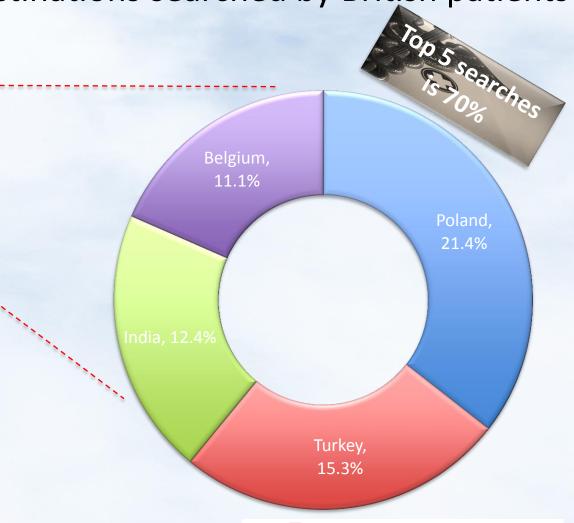






Medical destinations searched by British patients

DESTINATION	PERCENTAGE
Poland	21,4%
Turkey	15,3%
India	12,4%
Belgium	11,1%
Spain	9,9%
Czech republic	7,6%
UK	6,6%
Thailand	5,7%
Croatia	5,7%
Other	4,3%
TOTAL	100%



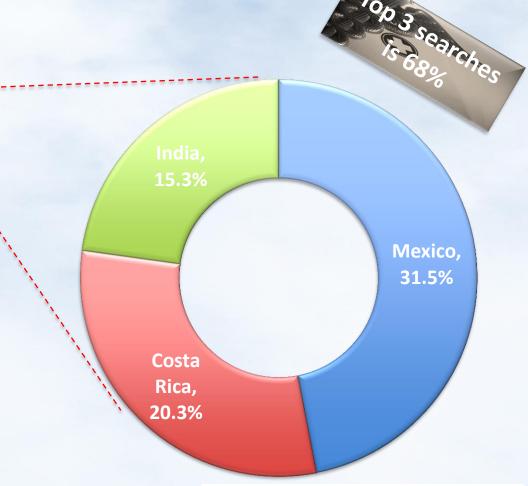






Medical destinations searched by US patients

DESTINATION	PERCENTAGE
Mexico	31,5%
Costa Rica	20,3%
India	15,3%
USA	7,8%
Argentina	5,6%
Thailand	5,3%
Turkey	5,3%
Other	8,9%
TOTAL	100%









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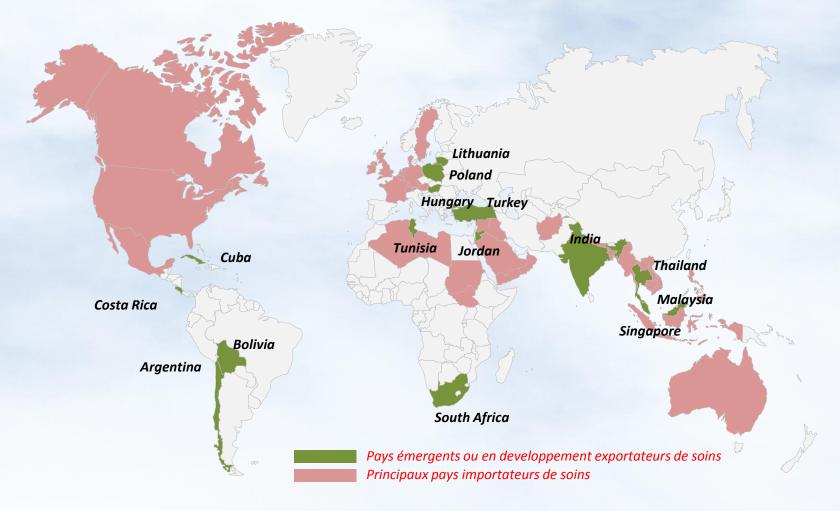
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Thank you!



International flows related to medical Tourism



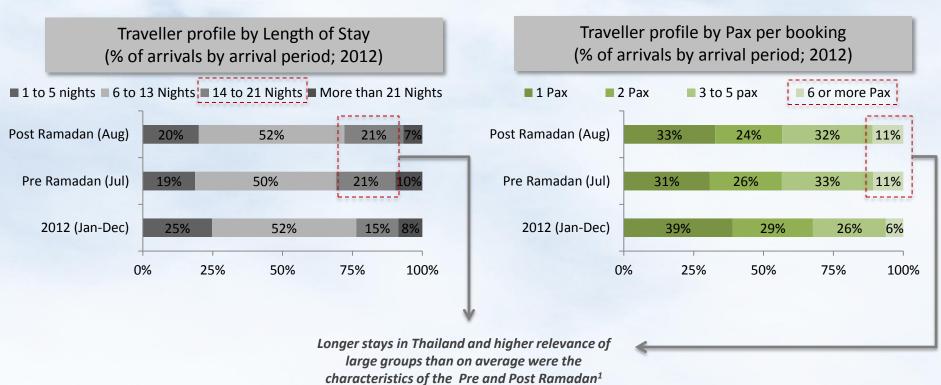


Middle East traveller inbound Thailand - paterns

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traveller profile in 2012 from Middle East countries

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