

GENERAL PRACTICE ALERT STATE (GPAS) - SITREP

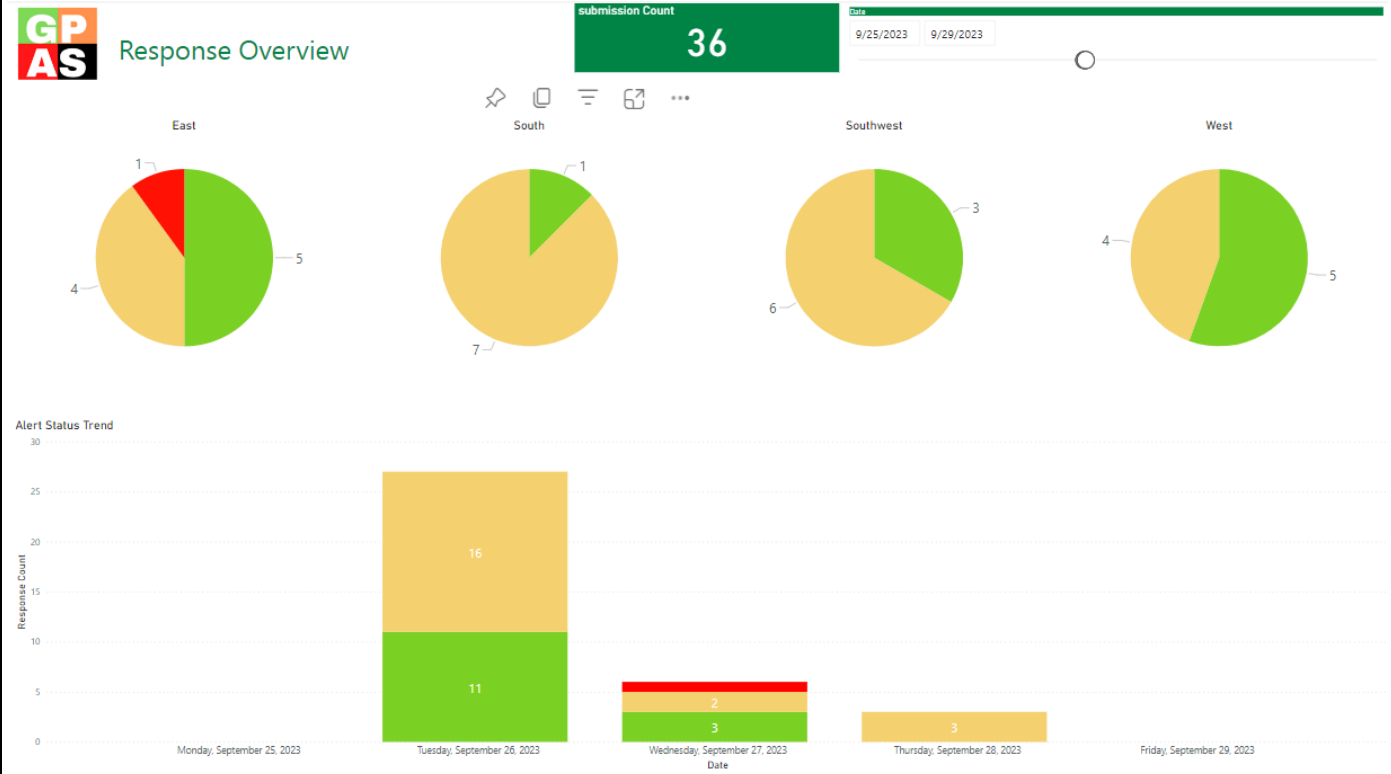
25 SEPTEMBER 2023 - 29 SEPTEMBER 2023

	GPAS STATUS	OPEL CONVERSION	CLINICAL ACTIVITY	RETURN RATES
LINCOLNSHIRE	AMBER 2	3	32 / 1000 pts	44%
EAST	AMBER 2	3	34 / 1000 pts	40%
SOUTH	AMBER 2	3	29 / 1000 pts	62%
SOUTHWEST	AMBER 2	3	32 / 1000 pts	56%
WEST	AMBER 1	2	30 / 1000 pts	33%

Bold figures indicate over 50% return rate.

MIN NUMBER OF PATIENTS COVERED BY AMBER + PRACTICES¹.	280,338
GPAS to OPEL Conversion for the county wide assessment	3
Indicative number of patient contacts in General Practice this week².	130,592

GPAS – COMMENT / ANALYSIS



The county wide assessment this week is **AMBER / OPEL 3** with **58%** of reporting practices assessed as **AMBER**, **3%** reporting as **RED**, **0%** as **BLACK** covering a total patient population of **280,338**. **GREEN** assessments account for **39%**.

In addition to the standard report attached, we have received the following information affecting General practices:

Other comments:

- Multiple staff on annual leave.
- Staff sickness (COVID) affecting staff and families, increase in patients with respiratory conditions.
- Increase in number of patient contacts and Junior Doctor strike affecting demand.
- Unreasonable locum costs when using agencies for cover.
- Power cut affected availability.