

GENERAL PRACTICE ALERT STATE (GPAS) - SITREP

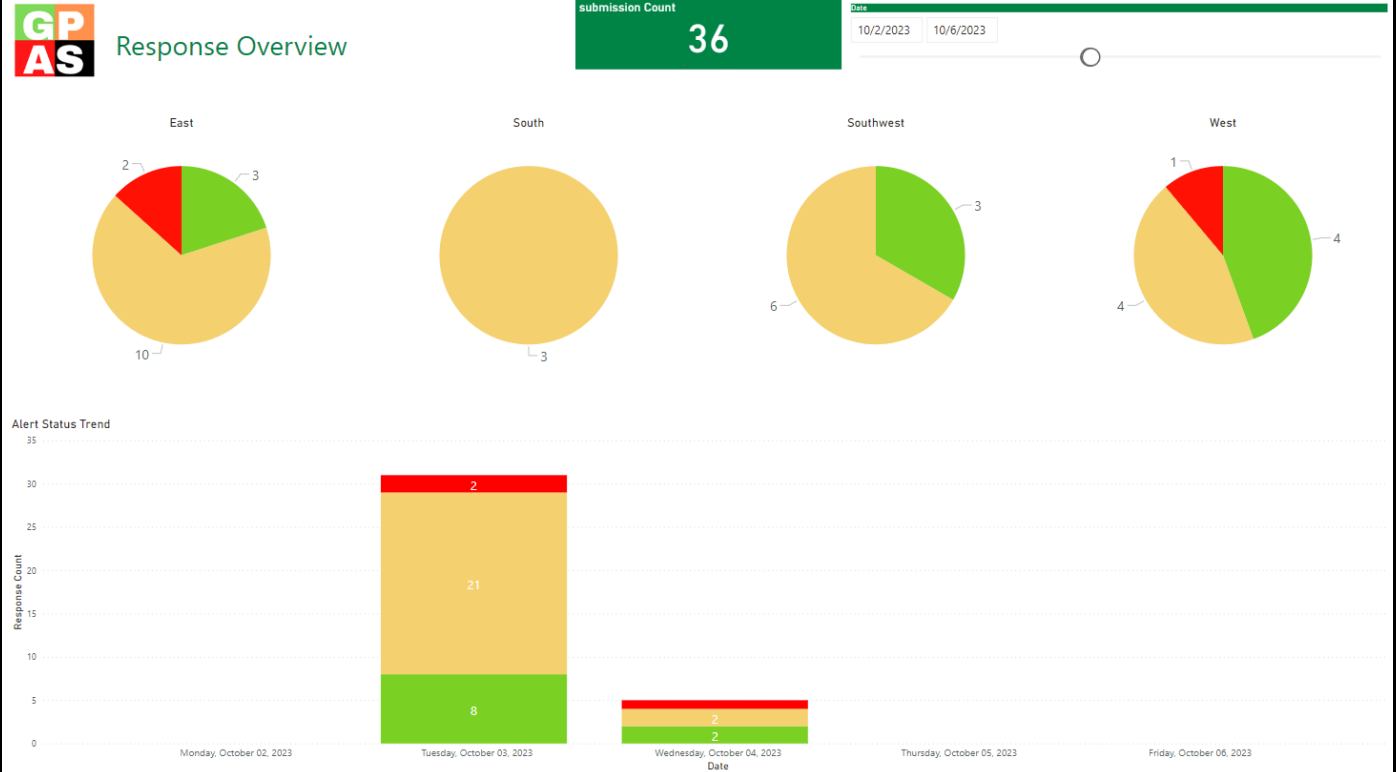
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	GPAS STATUS	OPEL CONVERSION	CLINICAL ACTIVITY	RETURN RATES
LINCOLNSHIRE	AMBER 2	3	32 / 1000 pts	44%
EAST	AMBER 2	3	33 / 1000 pts	60%
SOUTH	AMBER 2	3	26 / 1000 pts	23%
SOUTHWEST	AMBER 2	3	36 / 1000 pts	56%
WEST	AMBER 2	3	27 / 1000 pts	33%

Bold figures indicate over 50% return rate.

MIN NUMBER OF PATIENTS COVERED BY AMBER + PRACTICES¹.	304,135
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 **64%** of reporting practices assessed as **AMBER**, **8%** reporting as **RED**, **0%** as **BLACK** covering a total patient population of **304,135**. **GREEN** assessments account for **28%**.

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

Other comments:

- Annual leave amongst clinicians and increased numbers of patient contacts.
- New staff members and high patient DNAs.
- Staff sickness (Including COVID) and other respiratory illnesses.
- Junior Dr Strike impacting available appointments.
- COVID vaccinations ahead of the deadline for care home and housebound patients.
- Only maintaining AMBER using locums which have high cost.