

## GENERAL PRACTICE ALERT STATE (GPAS) - SITREP

30 OCTOBER 2023 - 3 NOVEMBER 2023

	GPAS STATUS	OPEL CONVERSION	CLINICAL ACTIVITY	RETURN RATES
LINCOLNSHIRE	AMBER 2	3	31 / 1000 pts	41%
EAST	AMBER 2	3	30 / 1000 pts	44%
<b>SOUTH</b>	<b>AMBER 2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>31 / 1000 pts</b>	<b>54%</b>
SOUTHWEST	AMBER 2	3	33 / 1000 pts	38%
WEST	AMBER 2	3	28 / 1000 pts	33%

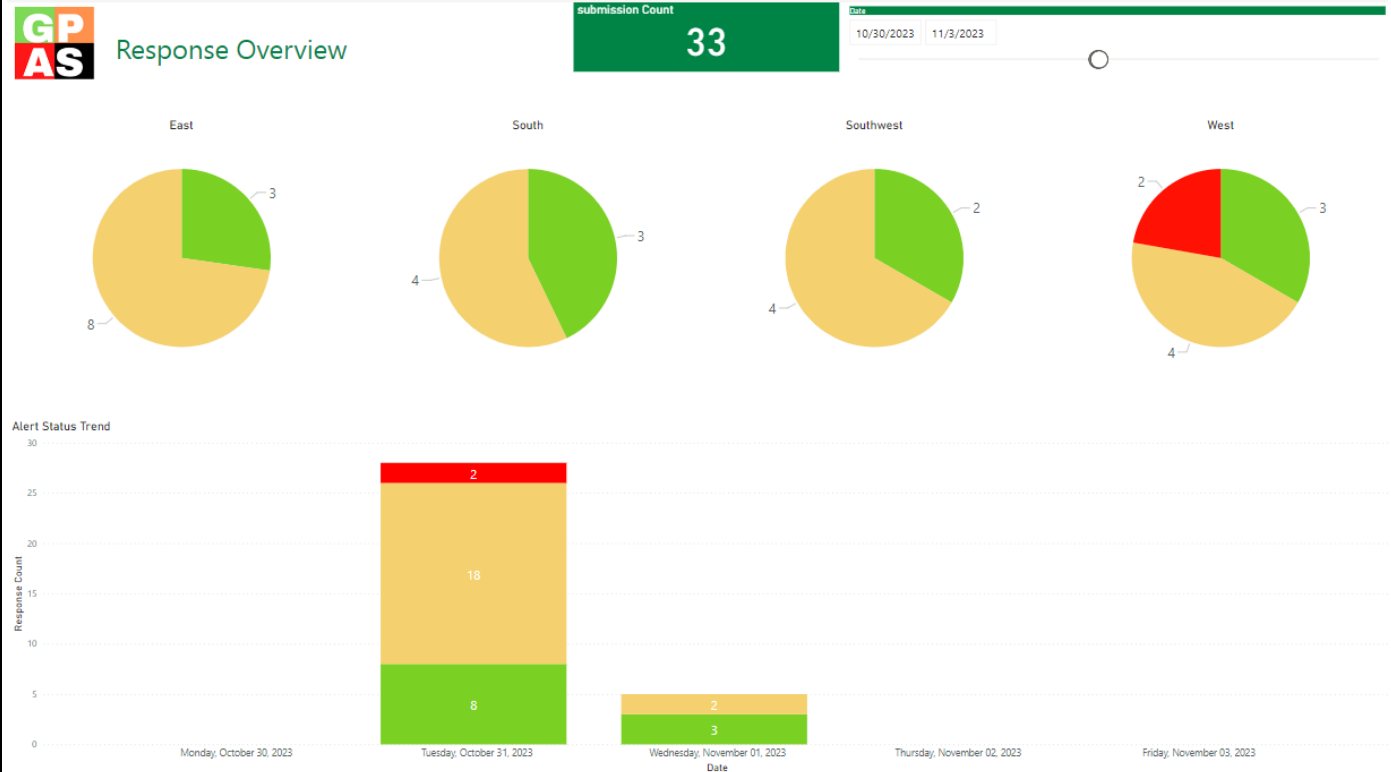
**Bold** figures indicate over 50% return rate.

**MIN NUMBER OF PATIENTS COVERED BY AMBER + PRACTICES<sup>1</sup>:** **287,630**

**GPAS to OPEL Conversion for the county wide assessment** **3**

**Indicative number of patient contacts in General Practice this week<sup>2</sup>:** **126,583**

### GPAS – COMMENT / ANALYSIS



The county wide assessment this week is **AMBER / OPEL 3** with **61%** of reporting practices assessed as **AMBER**, **6%** reporting as **RED**, **0%** as **BLACK** covering a total patient population of **287,630**. **GREEN** assessments account for **33%**.

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

#### Other comments:

- Staff Sickness (including COVID) and annual leave.
- Increased use of Locums (at colossal costs), difficulty in Recruiting Salaried GPs.
- Higher DNAs (mainly those that had pre booked) why do we have to have this?
- Increased demand in patient contacts, practice team under pressure from the relentless workload.
- Practice list size increasing week on week.
- Unsustainable demand, stressed workforce including Practice Manager.