

GENERAL PRACTICE ALERT STATE (GPAS) - SITREP

13 NOVEMBER 2023 - 17 NOVEMBER 2023

	GPAS STATUS	OPEL CONVERSION	CLINICAL ACTIVITY	RETURN RATES
LINCOLNSHIRE	AMBER 2	3	30 / 1000 pts	41%
EAST	AMBER 2	3	30 / 1000 pts	44%
SOUTH	AMBER 2	3	29 / 1000 pts	54%
SOUTHWEST	AMBER 2	3	34 / 1000 pts	44%
WEST	AMBER 2	3	25 / 1000 pts	30%

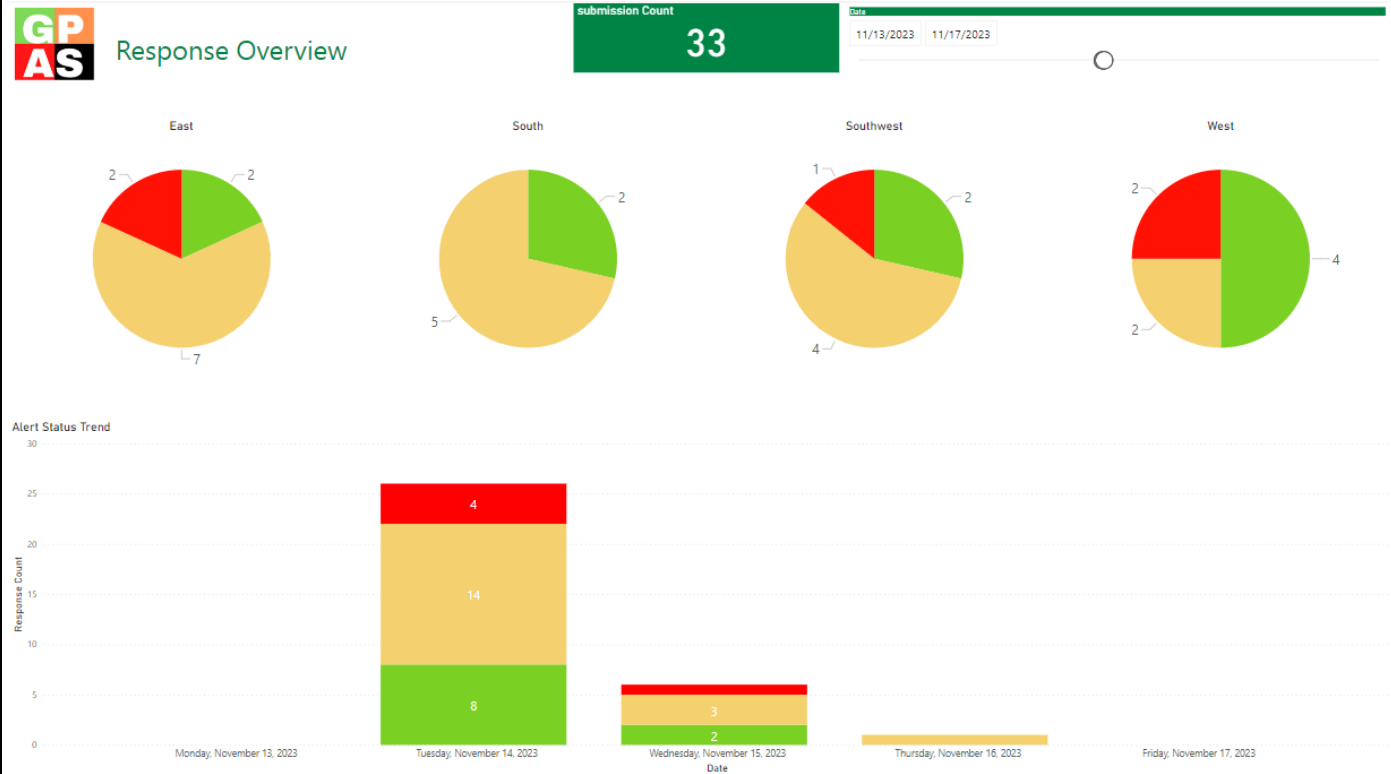
Bold figures indicate over 50% return rate.

MIN NUMBER OF PATIENTS COVERED BY AMBER + PRACTICES¹: **254,849**

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

Indicative number of patient contacts in General Practice this week²: **122,725**

GPAS – COMMENT / ANALYSIS



The county wide assessment this week is **AMBER / OPEL 3** with **55%** of reporting practices assessed as **AMBER**, **15%** reporting as **RED**, **0%** as **BLACK** covering a total patient population of **254,849**. **GREEN** assessments account for **30%**.

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

Other comments:

- Annual leave and high staff sickness levels adding to pressure and reduced capacity. Staying afloat with locums.
- DNAs (all appointments booked in advance).
- Significant increase in patient demand, almost as though we are coming in to Winter...
- Recruitment negatively impacting appointments.
- Patient demand is overwhelming, much of which is spilling over from secondary care not dealing with the patients.