

GENERAL PRACTICE ALERT STATE (GPAS) - SITREP

27 NOVEMBER 2023 - 1 DECEMBER 2023

	GPAS STATUS	OPEL CONVERSION	CLINICAL ACTIVITY	RETURN RATES
LINCOLNSHIRE	AMBER 2	3	31 / 1000 pts	44%
EAST	AMBER 2	3	31 / 1000 pts	60%
SOUTH	AMBER 2	3	29 / 1000 pts	31%
SOUTHWEST	AMBER 2	3	32 / 1000 pts	50%
WEST	AMBER 2	3	29 / 1000 pts	33%

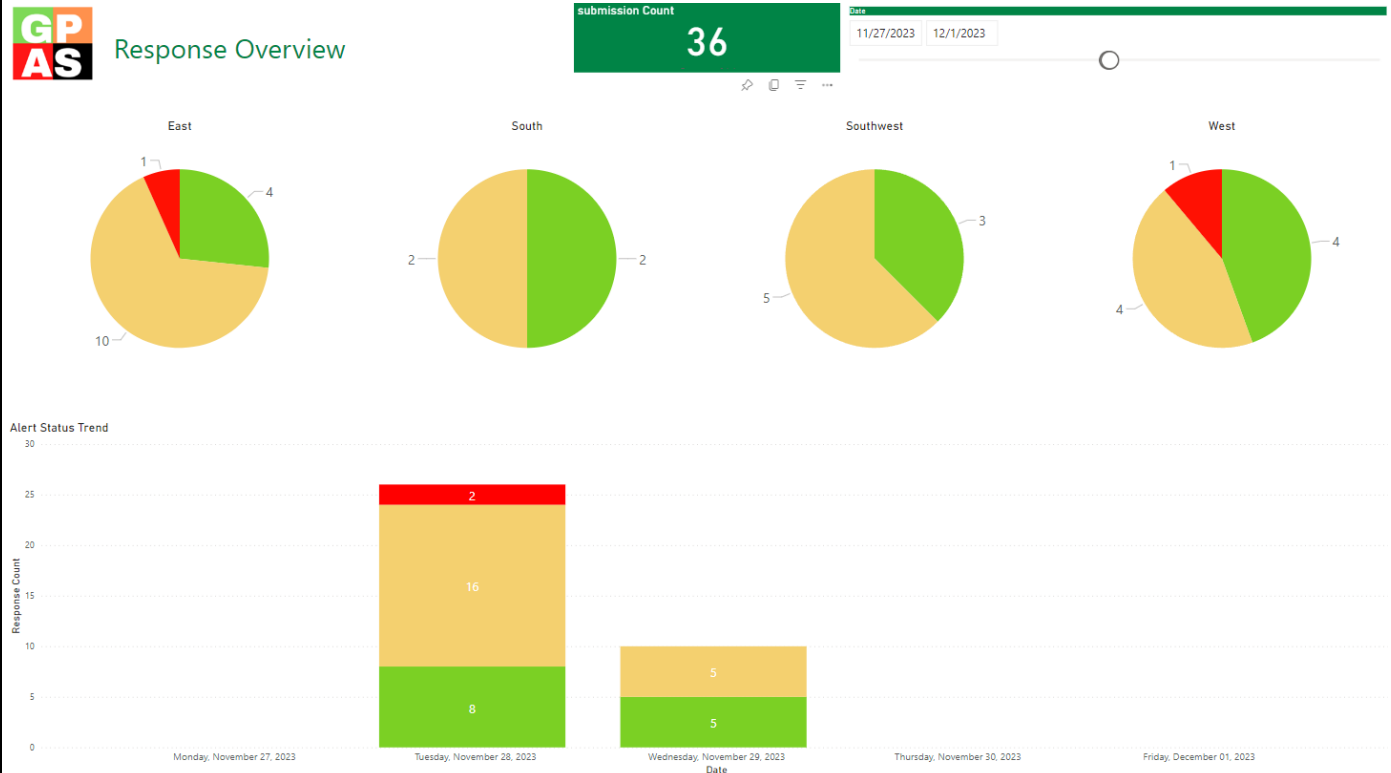
Bold figures indicate over 50% return rate.

MIN NUMBER OF PATIENTS COVERED BY AMBER + PRACTICES¹: **279,734**

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

Indicative number of patient contacts in General Practice this week²: **126,815**

GPAS – COMMENT / ANALYSIS



The county wide assessment this week is **AMBER / OPEL 3** with **58%** of reporting practices assessed as **AMBER**, **6%** reporting as **RED**, **0%** as **BLACK** covering a total patient population of **279,734**. **GREEN** assessments account for **36%**.

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

Other comments:

- Lots of staff sickness reported. In addition, staff leave and phased return(s) affecting capacity.
- High level of DNAs, especially in the last 2 months.
- Increased patient demand for acute appointments on the day, increasing week on week.
- Generally busy. Sickness affecting clinics that need to be cancelled/rearranged.
- Increase in patients presenting with respiratory issues.
- Increasing number of contacts, capacity issues, not enough staff available to deal with the requests.