

GENERAL PRACTICE ALERT STATE (GPAS) - SITREP

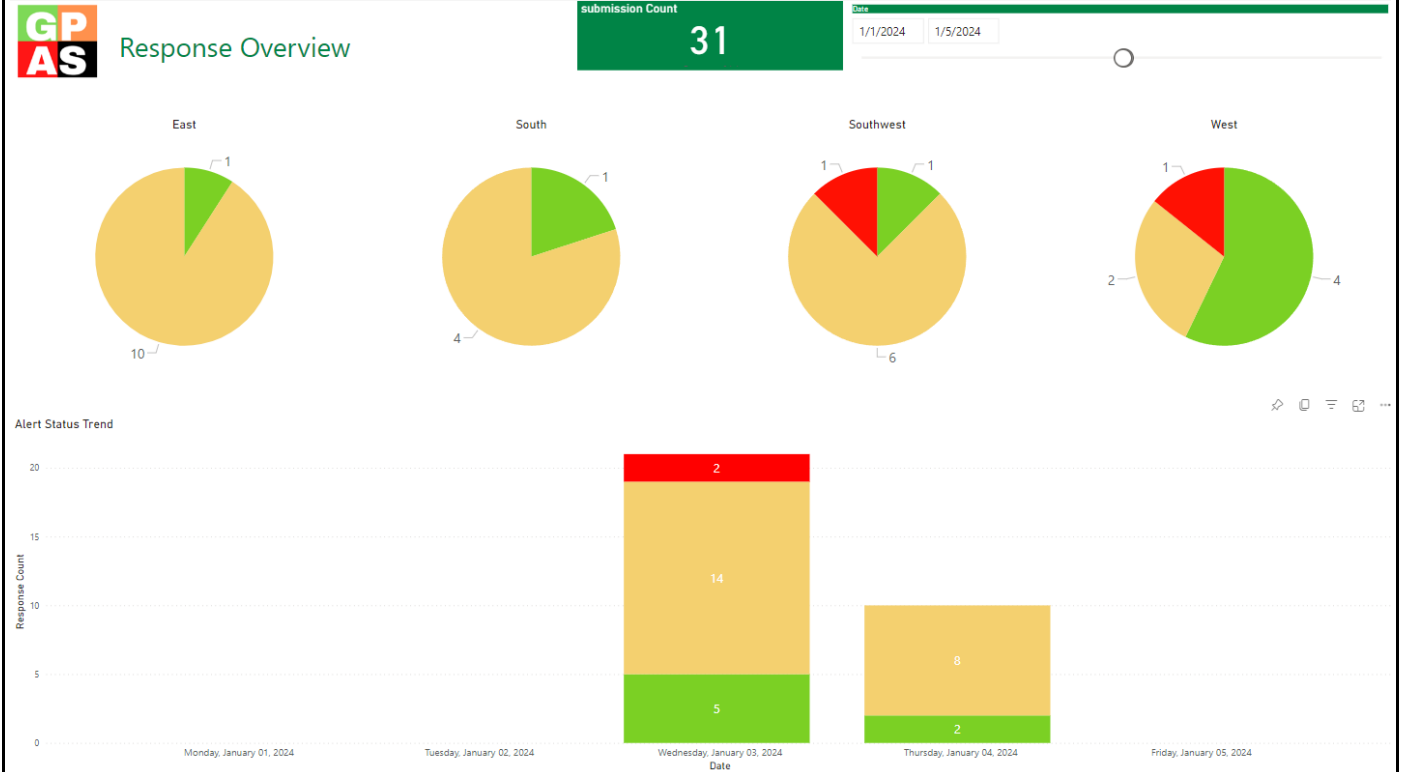
1 JANUARY 2024 - 5 JANUARY 2024

	GPAS STATUS	OPEL CONVERSION	CLINICAL ACTIVITY	RETURN RATES
LINCOLNSHIRE	AMBER 2	3	30 / 1000 pts	38%
EAST	AMBER 2	3	32 / 1000 pts	44%
SOUTH	AMBER 2	3	25 / 1000 pts	38%
SOUTHWEST	AMBER 2	3	30 / 1000 pts	50%
WEST	AMBER 1	2	27 / 1000 pts	26%

Bold figures indicate over 50% return rate.

MIN NUMBER OF PATIENTS COVERED BY AMBER + PRACTICES¹.	261,673
GPAS to OPEL Conversion for the county wide assessment	3
Indicative number of patient contacts in General Practice this week².	122,870

GPAS – COMMENT / ANALYSIS



The county wide assessment this week is **AMBER / OPEL 3** with **71%** of reporting practices assessed as **AMBER**, **6%** reporting as **RED**, **0%** as **BLACK** covering a total patient population of **261,673**. **GREEN** assessments account for **23%**.

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

Other comments:

- Annual leave and staff sickness (Covid-19 and Flu), unable to get Locum cover.
- Staff had to leave as home was in fear of being flooded.
- High DNAs (mainly pre bookable slots).
- High patient demand following bank holiday, also still suffering from high levels of staff absence due to sickness.
- Significant increase in contacts, it's impossible to keep up.
- Several patients contacted 111 who advised see GP within 4 hours.