GENERAL PRACTICE ALERT STATE (GPAS) - SITREP 15 JANUARY 2024 - 19 JANUARY 2024 **CLINICAL ACTIVITY GPAS STATUS OPEL CONVERSION RETURN RATES** LINCOLNSHIRE AMBER 2 32 / 1000 pts 46% 3 **EAST AMBER 2** 3 33 / 1000 pts 52% SOUTH 3 46% AMBER 2 31 / 1000 pts **SOUTHWEST** AMBER 2 3 34 / 1000 pts 50% WEST 37% AMBER 2 3 27 / 1000 pts Bold figures indicate over 50% return rate. MIN NUMBER OF PATIENTS COVERED BY AMBER + PRACTICES1. 261,738 **GPAS** to OPEL Conversion for the county wide assessment 3 Indicative number of patient contacts in General Practice this week². 131,103 **GPAS - COMMENT / ANALYSIS** 1/15/2024 1/19/2024 37 Response Overview AS 0 Alert Status Trend

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

The county wide assessment this week is AMBER / OPEL 3 with 62% of reporting practices assessed as AMBER, 3% reporting as RED, 0% as BLACK covering a total patient population of 261,738. GREEN assessments account

Other comments:

for 35%.

- Annual leave and sickness affecting capacity.
- High levels of DNAs (all time high), all booked in advance and sent text reminders.
- Patient demand is so high we are struggling to do LTC/QOF work.
- People attending Urgent Treatment Centre and A&E over the weekend and then choosing not to wait or advised to contact the GP (of note those return to GP in our opinion could/should have been dealt with).
- Stopped using Locums due to high costs.