

Case Study #1 Alcohol Status QI Activity

This was a Quality Improvement activity carried out in Geelong where the staff measured **the proportion of regular patients aged 15+ who have had their alcohol consumption status recorded in the previous 24 months**. The staff identified this as an important QI activity as excessive consumption of alcohol is a preventable risk factor for many chronic conditions such as cardiovascular disease.

Clinic's alcohol status reporting was below the 75% target in 2021 at 63%



The Clinical Audit Tool was used to identify patients without an alcohol status



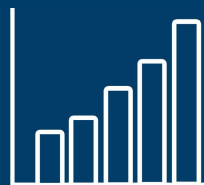
Over 1 month there was an increase of 2.1% for the clinic



One GP had an increase of 10.5%



Current 2022 indicators at 76%



Clinic staff found the QI helpful

