Walrus Content

1 - MBS Eligibility

The Walrus MBS eligibility data provides information on patient eligibility for:

Low-level notifications:

- Possibly eligible for new GPMP
- Possibly eligible for new TCA
- Care Plan Review
- Eligible for Indigenous Health Assessment
- HMR/RMMR
- 75+ Health Assessment
- 45-49 Health Assessment

Please note that this is based on information in your billing (where available to POLAR), and does not include items billed at other practices.

2 - Risk Scores

The risk scores tab shows the calculated risk for a patient under the Western HARP model, Australian Absolute CVD Risk calculation and APRI cirrhosis risk.

Documentation on these scores can be found on the links below

HARP Risk Calculation Report - Data Definitions

CVD risk calculation process

APRI score calculation

The possible values are:

HARP risk:

- Low - low notification level
- Medium - medium notification level
- High - high-level notification
- Urgent - high-level notification

CVD risk:

- Low - low notification level
- Medium - medium notification level
- High - high-level notification
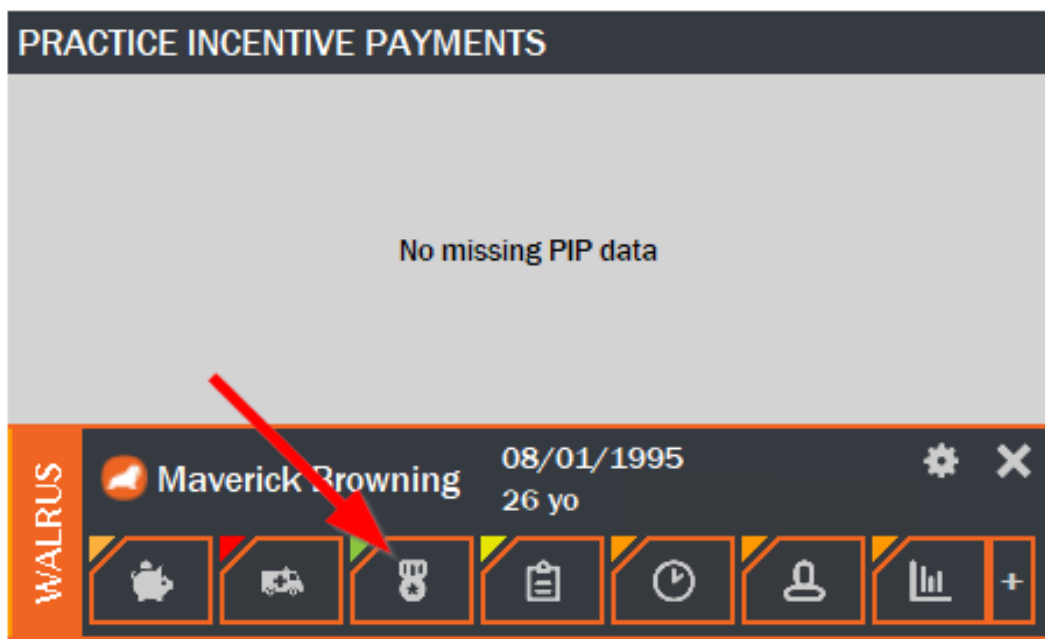- At risk - high-level notification

APRI cirrhosis risk:

- Little to no indication of cirrhosis - low notification level
- Moderate indicator of cirrhosis - medium notification level
- A strong indicator of cirrhosis - high-level notification

Other risk items include:

- BMI recording required - medium notification level
- Waist Circumference recording required - medium notification level
- Blood Pressure recording required - medium notification level
- Lipids test required - medium notification level
- Fasting Glucose test required - medium notification level
- HbA1c testing is due for diabetes monitoring care - medium notification level
- Last HbA1c above RACGP recommended range 3/12 test
- COVID Vaccine Status: Unvaccinated - high-level notification
- COVID Vaccine Status: Partially vaccinated - medium-level notification
- COVID Vaccine Status: Fully vaccinated, booster due - medium-level notification
- COVID Vaccine Status: Fully vaccinated, booster not due - low notification level

3 - PIP QI

Provides prompts for missing data/tests for patients who fall under PIP QI measures, these include:

QIM 1 - HbA1c test required (where a patient has type 1/2 diabetes or an unknown type of diabetes) - low-level notification

QIM 2 - Smoking status not recorded - low-level notification

QIM 3 - BMI not recorded in past 12 months - low-level notification

QIM 4 - Flu vaccination required (65+ patients) - low-level notification

QIM 5 - Flu vaccination required (Patients with diabetes) - low-level notification

QIM 6 - Flu vaccination required (Patients with COPD) - low-level notification

QIM 7 - AUDIT C required - low-level notification

QIM 8 - CVD risk components required - low-level notification

QIM 9 - Cervical screening required - low-level notification

QIM 10 - Blood pressure not recorded in past 6 months - low-level notification

4 - Data Quality

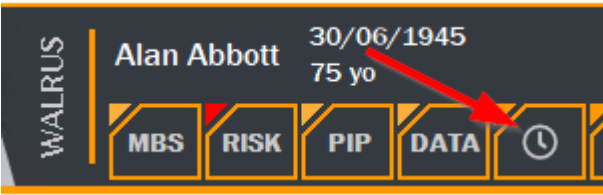PIP QI components are assessed as low-urgency notifications.

The data quality tab will give you information around missing information for both the clinical part of a patient's record and the demographics/admin component.

The notifications for clinical are:

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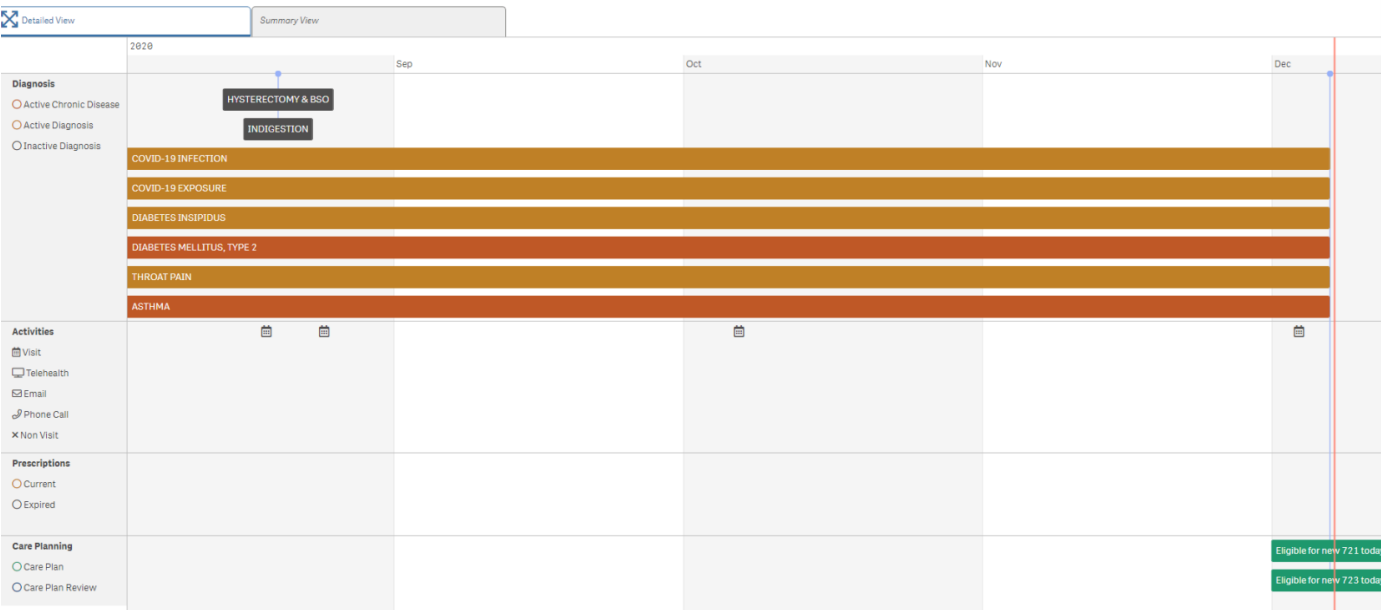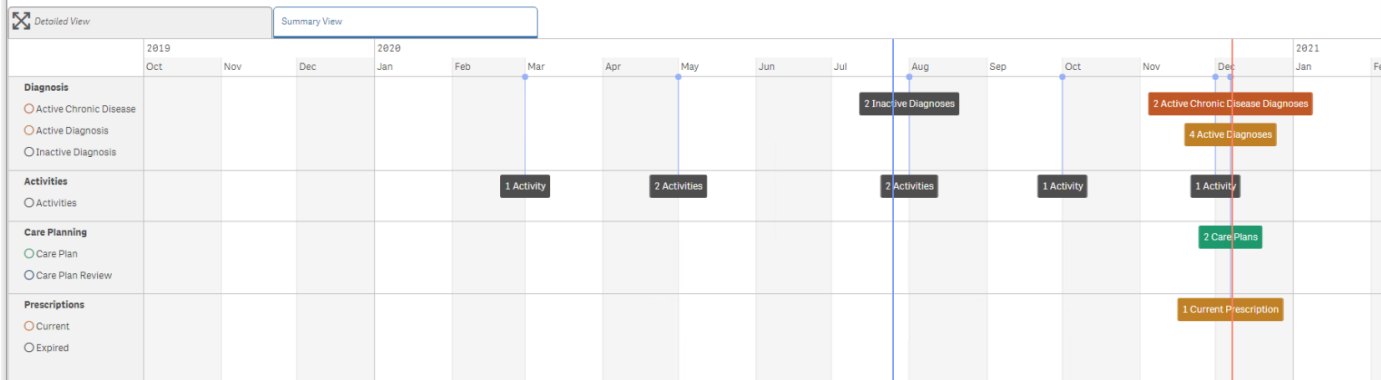
5 - Patient Timeline - NO LONGER AVAILABLE

The patient timeline is available in two separate streams, a detailed view that will give you insight into the individual diagnosis, activities, prescriptions and care planning information. See below for example:

The summary view will give you a quick glimpse at the overarching trends in the patient record, with the grouping of diagnosis (active, inactive, active chronic disease), activities, care plans and prescriptions.
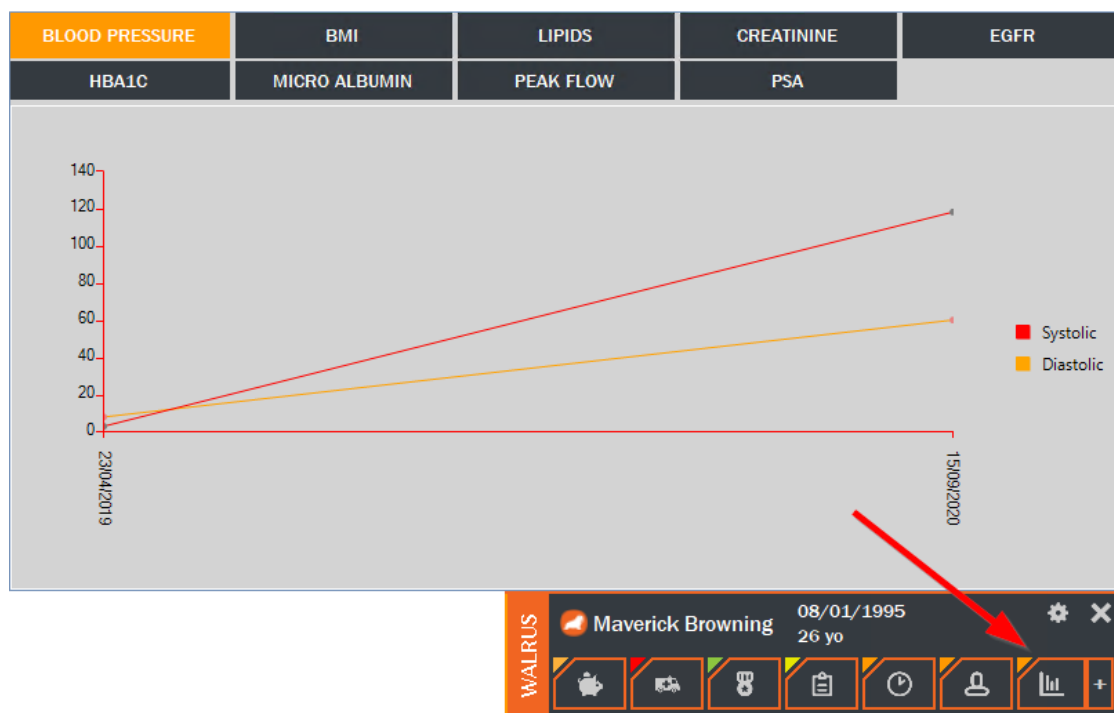
6 - Clinical Summary

Gives the overview of patient clinical records for allergies, diagnosis, immunisations and medications. For more information on the source of the data from your system, see:

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7 - Clinical Graphs

Clinical graphs are available to track results over time for:

- Blood pressure (systolic and diastolic)
- BMI
- Cholesterol
- Creatinine
- eGFR
- HbA1c
- Microalbumin
- Peak flow
- PSA (males only)

Clinical graph data is drawn from measurements/observations and pathology data.