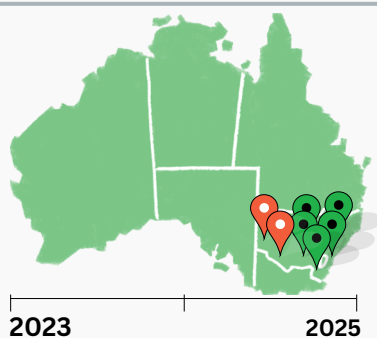


# SCREENING EMERGENCY ADMISSIONS AT RISK OF CHRONIC HEPATITIS - 3 EXTENSION



NEWSLETTER - 21 MARCH 2025

RESULTS TO DATE  
= **25,055 TESTED**



## PILOT COMPLETED:

**South Western Sydney  
Local Health District**

Fairfield, Campbelltown,  
Bankstown, Liverpool

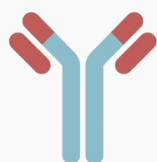
**Sydney Local Health District**  
Canterbury

## PLANNING STAGE:

**Western NSW Local  
Health District**  
Dubbo

**Murrumbidgee Local  
Health District**  
Wagga Wagga

## HEPATITIS C (HCV) Results

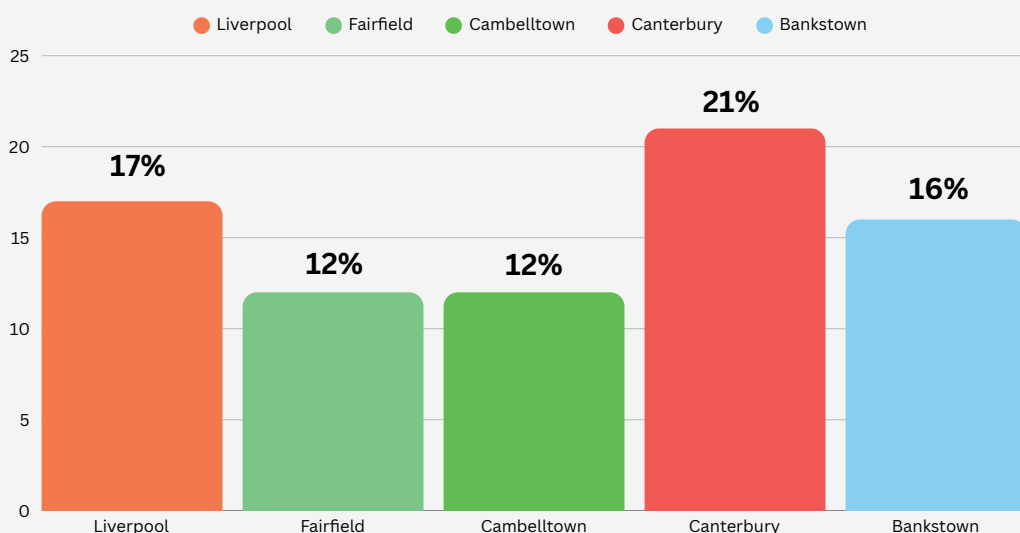


**2.1% HCV Ab  
Positive**



**16% RNA Positive  
(Active Infection)**

## RNA Positive By Site (Active Infection)



**82% Started  
DAA Treatment**



**71% Completed  
Treatment**

## HEPATITIS B (HBV) RESULTS



**Countries with >5% Prevalence:**  
Cambodia, Tonga, Sudan, Vietnam

## Of those with known HBV:



**63% had received liver care in the  
year prior to testing**

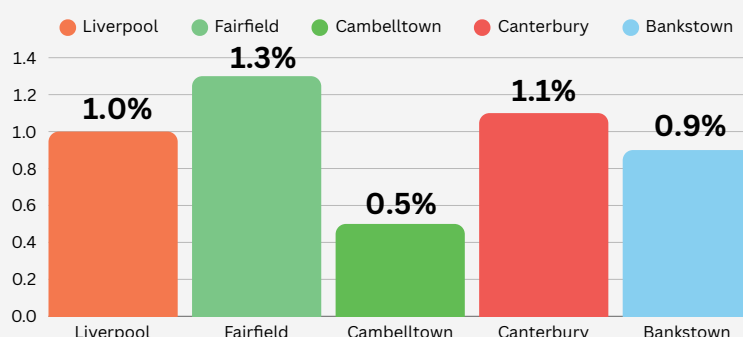


**43% had engaged in appropriate  
HCC screening in the year prior to  
testing (where indicated)**



**1.0% HBsAg Positive**

## HBsAg Positive By Site





1 in 33 people tested were positive for hepatitis B or C

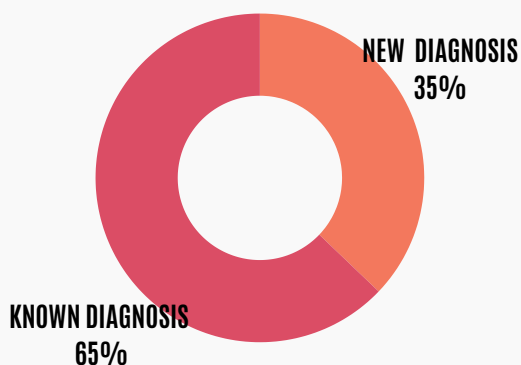


- HREC Approval: 2022/ETH01158
- AH&MRC Approval 2037/22

## NEW DIAGNOSES

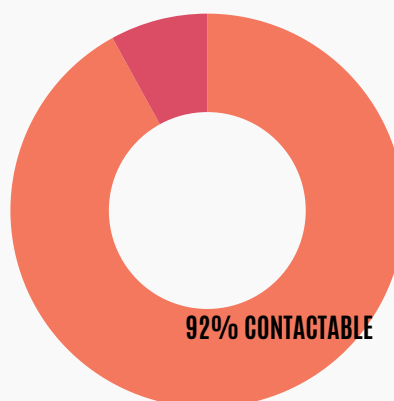
Hepatitis C - 13%

Hepatitis B - 22%



## 92% CONTACTABLE

Most patients were linked to care (follow up is ongoing at Bankstown and Canterbury)




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