



Partnerships With General Practitioners

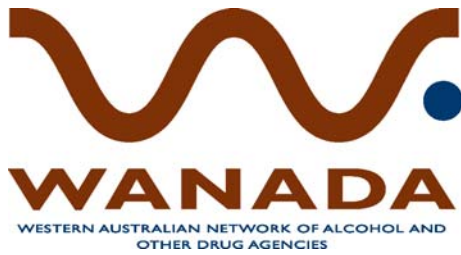
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WA Network Of Alcohol And Other Drug Agencies (WANADA)



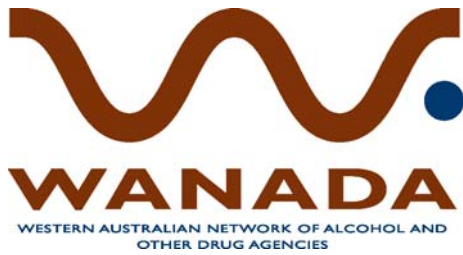
Working in partnership with GPs
for better consumer outcomes

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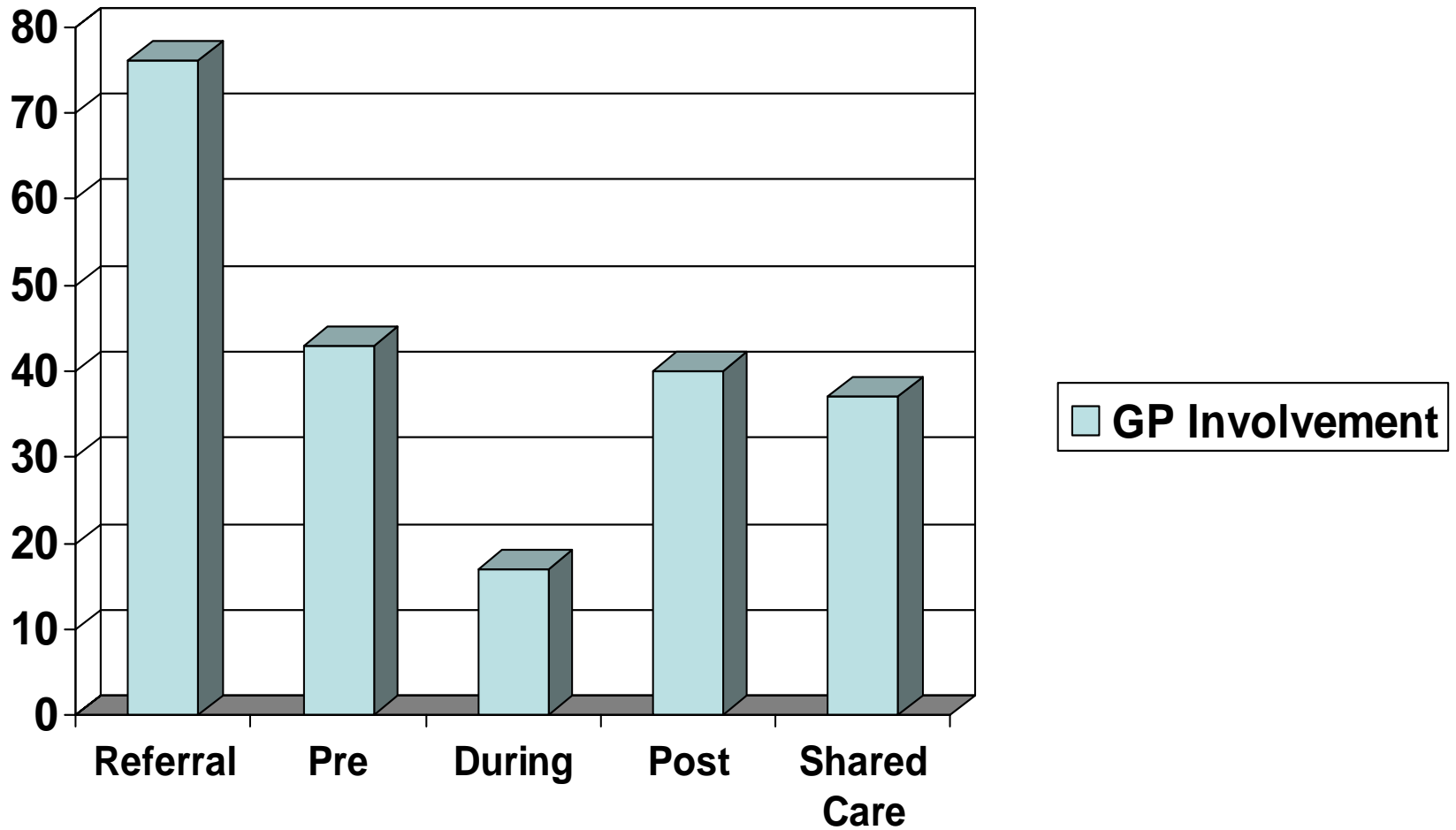
What is WANADA?

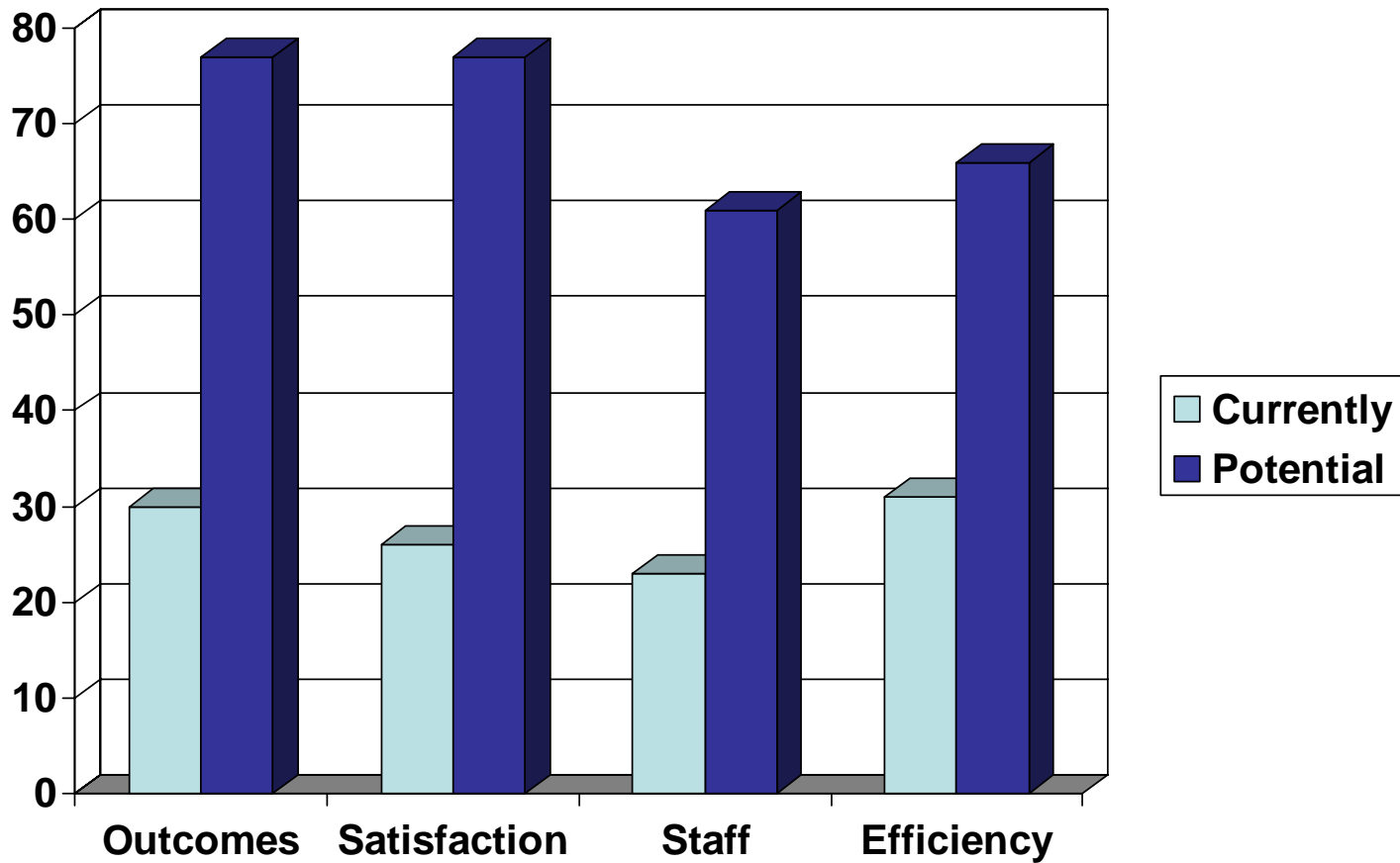
- Alcohol and other drug services peak body
- Non-government, not-for-profit, membership driven
- Objectives:
 - Advocacy and Representation
 - Capacity Building and Workforce Development
 - Public Profile and Communications

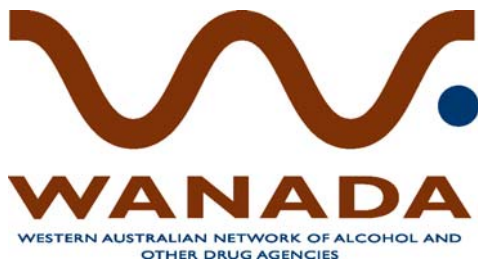


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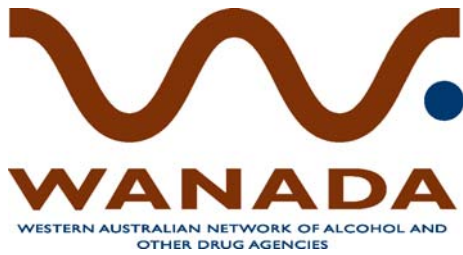




WANADA GP Liaison Working Party

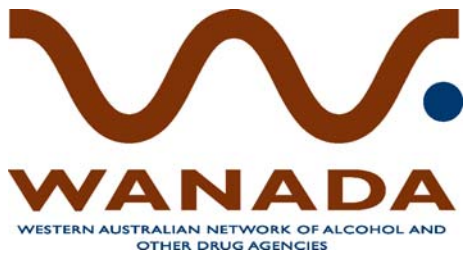
Aim: To improve working relationships between the alcohol and other drug sector and general practice, through

- Systems coordination
- Improved communication
- Education, training and professional development



WANADA GP Liaison Working Party - Systems Coordination activities

- Mapping Exercise
- Clearinghouse – information sharing
- Partnership agreement templates



WANADA GP Liaison Working Party - Improved Communication activities

- Distribution of material to AOD sector
- Sector updates to GP via Divisions
- AOD service resources to GPs



WANADA GP Liaison Working Party – Professional development activities

- Forums for AOD workers
- AOD involvement in GP training
- Medical student placements
- Support for GP attachments

– Sector Forum – working with GPs



Future Plans

- GP Access Project
- What is happening in other sectors?