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10 years of SAAPM





- An external, peer-reviewed audit of the process of care associated with surgically related deaths
- Commenced in 2005
- Based on the Scottish Audit of Surgical Mortality*
- Funded by SA Health and operated by the Royal Australasian College of Surgeons (RACS)
- Since 2010, all states and territories participate (ANZASM)
- Qualified privilege

*www.sasm.org.uk



Almost 5000 surgical deaths audited



- Assessor's feedback provided to treating surgeon

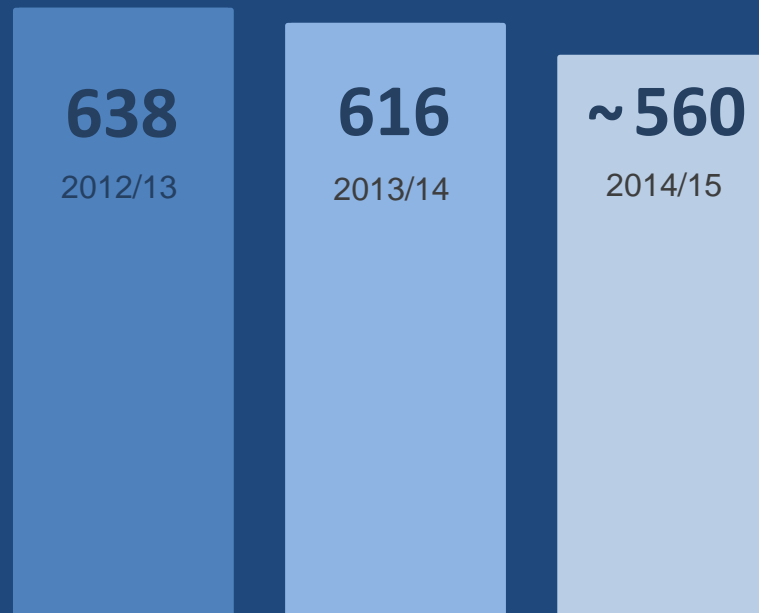
FIRST-LINE ASSESSMENT:
Deficiency of care
Assessor's comments



SECOND-LINE
ASSESSMENT:
Detailed report

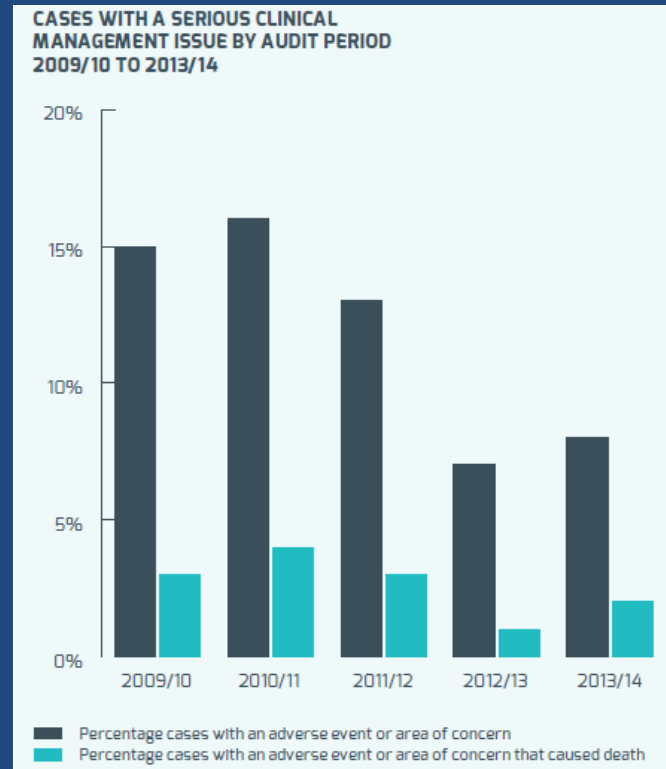


Reduction in surgical mortality





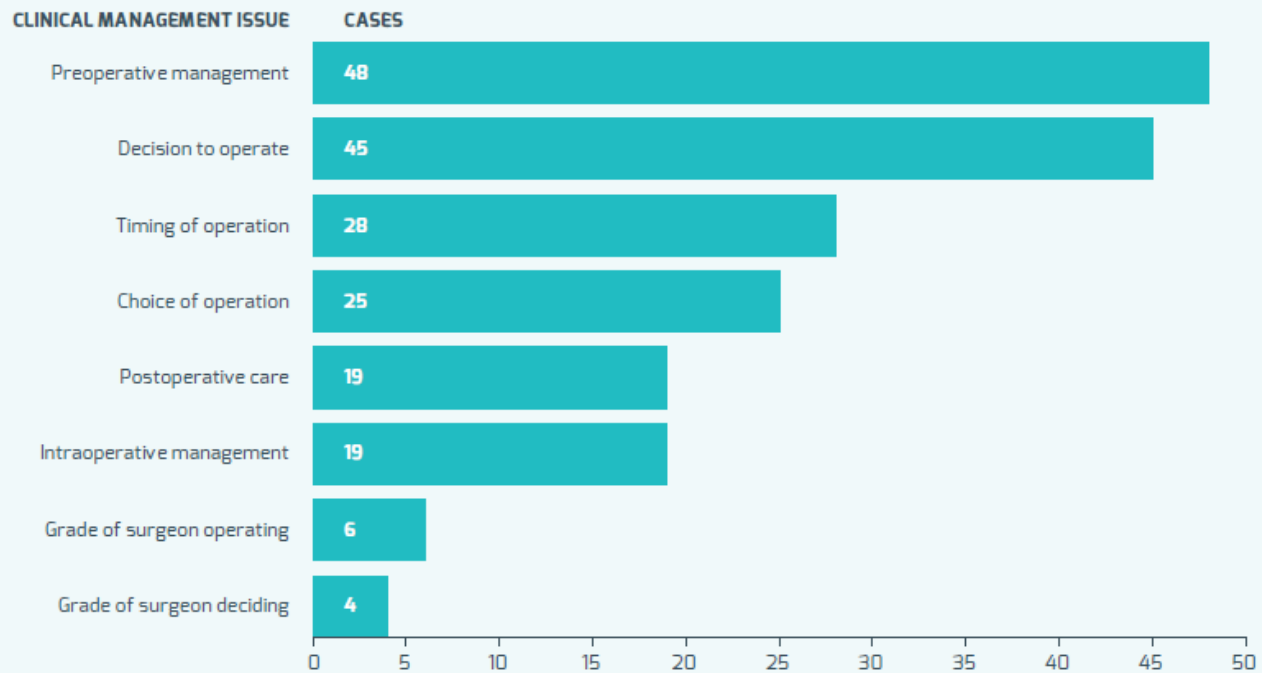
Reduction in cases with serious clinical management issues (= preventable deaths)



The decision to operate or not.

2013/14:

CLINICAL MANAGEMENT ISSUES IDENTIFIED BY ASSESSOR (OPERATIVE CASES)



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