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Indicators where improvements were required before accreditation was awarded

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The indicators are arranged in descending order based on the number of general practices that did not meet the indicator at the initial routine assessment.

Indicators		Not met
GP3.1A	Qualifications, education and training of healthcare practitioners	1,655
QI2.1B	Health summaries	1,220
C3.5B	Work health and safety	1,134
C8.1B	Education and training of non-clinical staff	1,031
GP3.1C	Qualifications, education and training of healthcare practitioners	941
QI1.2B	Patient feedback	863
QI1.2C	Patient feedback	788
C3.1C	Business operation systems	671
QI1.2A	Patient feedback	632
GP6.1C	Maintaining vaccine potency	616
C6.4D	Information security	604
GP5.3A	Doctor's bag	603
QI3.1A	Managing clinical risks	594
GP4.1F	Infection prevention and control, including sterilisation	592
QI2.2E	Safe and quality use of medicines	569
QI3.1B	Managing clinical risks	565
GP5.2B	Practice equipment	555
C7.1C	Content of patient health records	517
C1.1A	Information about your practice	483
C8.1A	Education and training of non-clinical staff	465
GP6.1B	Maintaining vaccine potency	458
GP5.2A	Practice equipment	451
C3.2B	Accountability and responsibility	441
GP4.1A	Infection prevention and control, including sterilisation	433
C7.1F	Content of patient health records	431
QI2.1C	Health summaries	405
C6.4E	Information security	375
C3.2D	Accountability and responsibility	373
C7.1G	Content of patient health records	362
GP1.3B	Care outside of normal opening hours	320
C7.1B	Content of patient health records	306
GP4.1D	Infection prevention and control, including sterilisation	296
C2.1E	Respectful and culturally appropriate care	293
GP2.2E	Follow-up systems	290
GP2.2B	Follow-up systems	289

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C6.3A	Confidentiality and privacy of health and other information	283
C3.1B	Business operation systems	279
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QI1.3B	Improving clinical care	263
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GP6.1D	Maintaining vaccine potency	247
GP5.2E	Practice equipment	245
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QI2.2A	Safe and quality use of medicines	99
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GP1.3A	Care outside of normal opening hours	91
C6.4B	Information security	90
C1.3B	Informed patient decisions	88
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GP2.1B	Continuous and comprehensive care	71
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C5.1A	Diagnosis and management of health issues	31
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