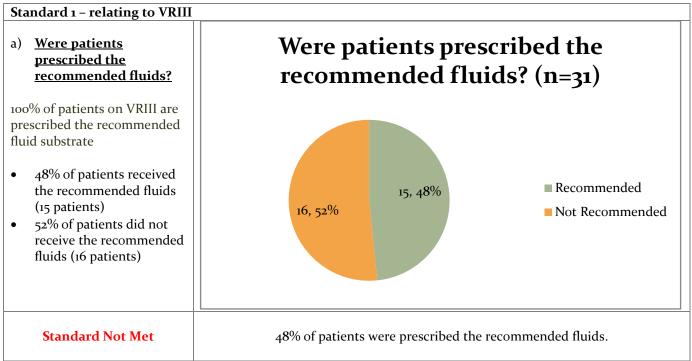
Audit Results and Findings



Of the 16 patients receiving fluids not recommended:

Breakdown of not recommended fluids in VRIII		
	Number of patients	% of patients
Sodium Chloride 0.9% 1 L	2	12.5
Glucose 5% 1 L	5	31.25
*Conditional fluids	4	25
No fluid prescribed	2	12.5
Other fluid	2	12.5
Potassium containing fluid in patient		
with hyperkalaemia (K ⁺ >5.0)	1	6.25
Total	16	100

- Conditional fluids is when a prescriber indicates a condition in the manner fluid should be administered (e.g. if BM>14, give sodium chloride 0.9% 1L over 10 hours, if BM<14, give glucose 5% 1L over 10 hours)
- Of the 16 patients, 3 patients received fluids in the category of *No Fluid* or *Potassium containing fluid in patient with hyperkalaemia* which could result in patient harm.