



**To date:**

> 93,700 PCI Cases entered  
> 2,400 CIED Cases entered

**IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER:**

**VCOR office closure: Dec 21st 2021 – Jan 4th 2022**  
*any email queries will be answered in the New Year*

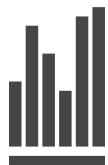
Last year's newsletter began describing the 2020 year as a year like no other and yet here we are at the end of 2021 in similar circumstances! Again we welcome the end of another challenging year with hope of a better New Year in 2022. During these difficult times all sites were again able to continue with VCOR data collection, some at a reduced capacity. Many of us had to adapt and change some of our practices to accommodate for the ever changing COVID conditions.

VCOR will continue to use the data collected during this pandemic period to provide important information that will help to define the effects and assess the impact that COVID-19 has had on the Victorian health care system.

VCOR were able to publish the 2020 Annual report with 100% data completion. This is a great result to have achieved during another arduous year.

VCOR have commenced contributing data to the National Cardiac Registry who are finalising their 2020 report which includes data from six states/territories.

### VCOR PCI Audit program



VCOR were unable to visit sites to undertake the annual audit's during the 2021 year. All sites were asked to complete a self audit of their case numbers and majority of sites were able to do this.

Undertaking regular self audit of case numbers throughout the year can reduce the need to enter missed case at the end of the year.

We will attempt to visit sites in the New year (dependant on the COVID-9 situation.)

VCOR gratefully thank the many important stakeholders: VCOR Clinicians, Principal Investigators, Hospital Executives, Quality Managers, Cath Lab, CCU, Ward and ED staff who have supported VCOR directly and indirectly.

As always, VCOR are thankful for the hard work and tirelessly efforts that all the Data Managers and Data Collectors undertake to ensure the data is submitted, accurate and on time.

Thank you to Safer Care Victoria and the Victorian Agency for Health Information for their continued support.



The VCOR team send a fond farewell to Philippa Scanlon who has been an integral part of the VCOR team. Pip is moving to another state and will be missed by all. We wish Philippa all the best in her new endeavours.

### Events and Meetings:

**Steering Committee (SC):** 1st Feb 2022

**Data Access, Research & Publications Committee (DRP):** 15th Feb 2022

**Clinical Quality Committee (CQC):** 29th March 2022

**PCI Data Submission Deadline:** 25th Feb 2022 (Q4 2021 data)

**CIED Data Submission deadline:** 25th Feb 2022 (2021 data)

**Annual Report Data Submission Deadline:** 1st May 2022 (2021 data)

**All 2022 meetings will be held via zoom**



**As we welcome the end of 2021 VCOR wish you all the warmest wishes for the festive season and a safe and happy New year.**