

on behalf of East Sussex, West Sussex and Surrey
Local Pharmaceutical Committees

Sharing news (and other things) from partners

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We work with a diverse range of organisations across Surrey and Sussex and the wider South East, from STPs and ICSs, county councils to parish councils, other professions contracted to the NHS to pharmaceutical companies who supply the NHS and many, many more.

One thing they all have in common is that they want us to share their news with you, which makes our regular newsletters very long and sometimes unwieldy. So, in response to your feedback, I have created this new regular round-up to share links to partners regular newsletters, press releases and assets.

Do please let me know if this makes it easier for you.

Warmest wishes

Sandra Lamont

Communications and engagement lead @CPSS_LPCs

Across Surrey and Sussex

- GSK are stopping their scheme called Complete the Cycle. The company will be writing to all affected pharmacies.
- Here is an invitation to a virtual meeting called <u>COPD Update for</u>
 <u>Healthcare Professionals</u> arranged by GSK for Tuesday 7 July 2020 at
 1pm. You must register in advance by emailing kevin.v.williams@gsk.com

Surrey

- Here is the 2nd edition of Medicines Safety Matters Covid Newsletter from NHS Surrey Heartlands Clinical Commissioning Group (link to hidden page on website)
- June's Intelligence Bulletin from Healthwatch Surrey, highlights some of the
 themes people have talked to Healthwatch about over the past few weeks,
 and gives a brief overview of the results of their survey into people's
 experiences of health and social care during the pandemic. See also May's
 survey and intelligence reports
- Active Surrey has created some social media posts and assets for summer sun messaging. We're arranging for our logo to appear on the images too.
 Contact Sandra Lamont if you want to use them through the summer to promote sun safety as part of your summer health promotion activities (T&Cs may apply). The images are sized for Twitter <LINK TO HIDDEN PAGE>
- Medicines managers at Surrey Heartlands want to understand staff views on medicines safety; in particular the culture within partner organisations and would be grateful if you could complete a survey on this topic for them before Wednesday 22 July. Read letter from Nicky Smith Lead Primary

Care Pharmacist and Patient Safety Lead for Medicines, which also has a link to the survey.

• Surrey Heartlands Health and Care Partnership newsletter 17 June 2020

East Sussex

East Sussex CCGs are asking residents and patients to answer a few
questions about their healthcare experiences during the Covid pandemic –
they want to make sure services respond to the on-going needs and
preferences of local people, and also that everyone is able to access care
in a way that works for them. Open the survey here

West Sussex

 Your Health and Care Insight into Action Report #5, is the name of the fifth recent report from Healthwatch West Sussex, covering insight they've heard from 23 May to 12 June 2020. Read the report

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