

Deadline Tracker for February 2021

If you are part of a pharmacy group or multiple, please liaise with your company managers/head office.

Subject	Requirement	Deadline	Action and links	Tick when completed
Pharmacy Quality Scheme (PQS) 2020/21: Part 2	Pharmacy Income	Declaration window opens from 09:00 on 1 st February till 23:59 on 26 th February 2021	<p>Information for Part 2 of the 2020/21 Pharmacy Quality Scheme (PQS) and further information and guidance on all the five domains can be found here.</p> <p>We have made a document to help you, to complete the training requirement for PQS 2. Please find it attached here.</p> <p>Below is the some of the local information you will need to achieve the domains:</p> <p>Domain 1: Infection Prevention & Control and AMS Information on all local formularies can be found here.</p> <p>Domains 4&5: Local PCN work around prevention and business continuity All pharmacies who intend to participate in PQS part 2 should engage with their local community pharmacy PCN lead to help support them meet the requirements of collaborating at a local level.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> This short survey (MS Word) created by PSNC, and adapted by us for local use, is for every participating pharmacy to fill in and send back to their PCN lead, as soon as possible. <p>PSNC has released further set of FAQs to prepare contractors to make their declaration which can be found here.</p> <p>Please note: Contractors will have until 30th June 2021 to complete any elements for the scheme they have declared as having met during the declaration period.</p>	
PSNC Advice Auidt	Good Practice, affects Pharmacy income and critical tempreature check	By the 5 th february 2021	<p>Community pharmacy teams are encouraged to take part in an audit to capture information about the reasons why people choose to visit community pharmacies. Pharmacies are requested to carry out the audit on just a single day in the week and, once completed, pharmacy teams are asked to submit their data to PSNC via PharmOutcomes. More information can be found here.</p>	
Discharge Medicine Service (DMS)	Essential Service	From 15 th February 2021	<p>NHS Trusts will be able to refer patients who would benefit from extra guidance around new prescribed medicines for provision of the DMS at their community pharmacy. All useful information for pharmacies to get started for this service can be found below:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Read the section on DMS within the NHSE&I guidance on the regulations; and Read the DMS toolkit. CPPE Declaration of Competence for DMS Contractor checklist: implementing DMS Service Frequently asked questions for DMS 	

			<p>Please Note: TCAM is live in the following trust in Surrey and Sussex currently.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eastbourne District General Hospital and Conquest (live since 1st April 2019) • Ashford and St Peter's Hospital, Surrey (live since 14th October 2019) • Surrey and Borders Partnership (live since 1st November 2019) • Royal Surrey Hospital (live since 2nd December 2019) • Western Sussex Hospital sites of St Richard's and Worthing (live since 12th December 2020) 	
Summary of new payments including claiming deadlines	<p>Pharmacy Income</p> <p>Time Critical Action required</p>	At different dates please follow the summary to make claims	<p>Several new service payments for community pharmacy contractors have been announced in recent months which includes CPCS GP referral pathways, Discharge Medicine Service, Pandemic Delivery Service, Hepatitis C testing service and reimbursement for PPE purchased between 27th February 2020 and 31st December 2020.</p> <p>A Summary of it can be found here.</p>	
Medicine Use Reviews (MURs)	<p>Pharmacy Income</p>	By 31 st March 2021	<p>Are you on track to complete your 100 MURs by the end of March 2021 ?</p> <p>Find out more about the phasing out of MURs here.</p>	
<p>Below are all the deadlines waived or deferred due to COVID-19 Pandemic to allow pharmacy professionals to focus on front line clinical care</p>				
Data Security and Protection Toolkit Information Governance (IG) Submission 2020/21	<p>Contractual Requirement</p>	By 30 th June 2021	<p>It has been confirmed that no action will be taken against contractors who have not completed the Data Security and Protection toolkit for 2019/20, provided they are working to complete the toolkit for 2020/21.</p> <p>More information on how to complete can be found here.</p>	
CPPQ Questionnaire	<p>Contractual Requirement</p>	No action needed	Contractors are not required to undertake Community Pharmacy Patient Questionnaire for 2020/21	
Community Pharmacy Assurance Framework (CPAF)	<p>Contractual Requirement</p>	No action needed	<p>The Community Pharmacy Assurance Framework will not run in 2020/21, but this will run as normal in 2021/22.</p> <p>More information on CPAF can be found here.</p>	
Clinical Audit for 2020/21	<p>Contractual Requirement</p>	No action needed	Contractors are not required to complete NHSE&I determined national clinical audit and a contractor chosen clinical audit during 2020/21	

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