

## Deadline Tracker for March 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 closes Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> March 2021 at 23:59.	<p><b>The PQS -2 declaration deadline is fast approaching. Currently we have around high number of contractors that have not claimed for PQS-2 who had claimed for the Aspiration Payment.</b></p> <p><b>The risk of not claiming by the deadline is loss of income and if you had claimed the Aspiration payment then will be clawed back by NHS BSA.</b></p> <p><b>We urge everyone to investigate this as a matter of urgency and action before the deadline. Our strong recommendation is not to leave it for the last day to action.</b></p> <p>PSNC has released further set of FAQs to prepare contractors to make their declaration which can be found <a href="#">here</a>.</p> <p><b>Please note: Contractors will have until 30<sup>th</sup> June 2021 (except Domain 4: PCN Prevention) to complete any elements for the scheme they have declared as having met during the declaration period.</b></p>	
Additional COVID vaccination Pharmacy Sites  *New postcodes added with gaps	Pharmacy Income	By 28 <sup>th</sup> Feb 2021	<p>Community pharmacies are playing an important role in the COVID vaccination effort, and NHS England are keen to support more to be involved.</p> <p>If you wish to apply to provide the COVID-19 vaccination local enhanced service (LES) then you should complete the <a href="#">designation form</a> .</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>List of areas with gaps can be found <a href="#">here</a> .</li> <li>More information can be found <a href="#">here</a>.</li> </ul>	
Call for Expression of Interest : Lateral Flow Test Service  Sussex Pharmacies only	Pharmacy Income	Please express your interest by 11.59pm on Sunday 7 March 2021	<p>Community Pharmacies in East Sussex, West Sussex and Brighton &amp; Hove, who already are providing Public Health Services are able to come forward and Express you interest for the Lateral Flow test Service.</p> <p><b>All information has been sent to the pharmacy inbox from your LPC on 24<sup>th</sup> February 2021 at 17:16.</b></p> <p><b>We recommend, if you wish to provide this service to come forward and express your interest sooner than later.</b></p> <p><b>To express your interest please email:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>For East Sussex Pharmacies: <a href="mailto:Stewart.Marquis@eastsussex.gov.uk">Stewart.Marquis@eastsussex.gov.uk</a></li> <li>For Brighton and Hove Pharmacies: <a href="mailto:publichealth@brighton-hove.gov.uk">publichealth@brighton-hove.gov.uk</a></li> <li>For West Sussex Pharmacies: <a href="mailto:Christine.bremner@westsussex.gov.uk">Christine.bremner@westsussex.gov.uk</a></li> </ul>	

Pandemic Delivery Service	Pharmacy Income	Ends by 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2021 ( inclusive)	In <a href="#">a letter published by NHS England and NHS Improvement</a> (NHSE&I) on 19th February 2021, it was confirmed that the Pandemic Delivery Service would be commissioned <b>from 19th February 2021 to 31st March 2021 (inclusive)</b> for all <a href="#">clinically extremely vulnerable (CEV)</a> patients living in England. More info can be found <a href="#">here</a> .
Review Steering Group (RSG) Engagement Session	Pharmacy Input essential	Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> March at 7:30 pm	As you are all aware there has been a review of PSNC/LPC. The review has been completed with recommendations. A RSG has been put together on how these recommendations may/may not be taken forward. Community pharmacy contractors are invited to an online 'Your Representation, Your Say' engagement on 9 <sup>th</sup> March at 7:30pm. Please book via link <a href="#">here</a> .
Summary of new payments including claiming deadlines	Pharmacy Income <b>Time Critical Action required</b>	At different dates please follow the summary to make claims	Several new service payments for community pharmacy contractors have been announced in recent months which includes <b>CPCS GP referral pathways, Discharge Medicine Service, Pandemic Delivery Service, Covid 19 Vaccinations and Hepatitis C testing service.</b>  A Summary of it can be found <a href="#">here</a> .
Medicine Use Reviews (MURs)	Pharmacy Income	By 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2021	Are you on track to complete your <b>100 MURs</b> by the end of March 2021 ? Find out more about the phasing out of MURs <a href="#">here</a> .
NHS Flu Vaccination Advanced service	Pharmacy Service Income	Ends on 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2021	Community pharmacy contractors can claim payment monthly for NHS Flu Vaccination on <a href="#">Manage Your Service (MYS)</a> . Please ensure at the end of the day (on 31 <sup>st</sup> March 2021) to remove any promotional materials for the Flu Vaccination Service and ensure all staff are aware that the service has now finished for 2020/21.  <b>Flu vaccine ordering for 2021/22:</b> NHS England and NHS Improvement (NHSE&I) have issued a <b>letter</b> to provide advice on ordering appropriate flu vaccines for the 2021/22 season. More information can be found <a href="#">here</a> .
<b>Below are all the deadlines waived or deferred due to COVID-19 Pandemic to allow pharmacy professionals to focus on front line clinical care</b>			
Data Security and Protection Toolkit Information Governance (IG) Submission 2020/21	<b>Contractual Requirement</b>	By 30 <sup>th</sup> June 2021	It has been confirmed that <b>no action</b> 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.  More information on how to complete can be found <a href="#">here</a> .

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