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| |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | | | |  | | --- | |  | | PSNC Newsletter | | Friday 18th February 2022 | | |  | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  |  |  | |  | This newsletter from PSNC is sent on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. It contains important information for those that work in the community pharmacy sector. In this update: End of paper FP34C; quit smoking campaign materials; new Drug Tariff guidance; SSP015 extended; C-19 treatments study.End of paper FP34C submission document The last paper FP34C submission document will be posted out to community pharmacy contractors this month (February 2022). After this, contractors will no longer receive paper FP34C submission documents in the post and from April 2022 (i.e. for prescriptions dispensed from March 2022), the Manage Your Service (MYS) portal will be the **only**route available to contractors for submitting monthly FP34C submissions.  Contractors who have not already registered for MYS are strongly encouraged to do so as soon as possible by completing the form on the NHS Business Services Authority’s (NHSBSA's) website and sending it to [**nhsbsa.mys@nhs.net**](mailto:nhsbsa.mys@nhs.net).  [**Learn more about the end of paper FP34C submissions**](https://psnc.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=1e8a355613&e=d19e9fd41c) Delivery of quit smoking campaign materials The Better Health quit smoking campaign is the last mandated campaign agreed for 2021/2022 by NHS England and NHS Improvement (NHSE&I) and PSNC.  Resources for the campaign will be delivered to community pharmacies via Yodel between 24th February and 28th February 2022. Contractors must participate in the campaign from 28th February until 31st March 2022.  [**Find out more about this health campaign**](https://psnc.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=c873de6d3a&e=d19e9fd41c) Guidance on the new Part VIIID DT arrangements From March 2022, the Drug Tariff will include a new section, Part VIIID, which sets out payment arrangements for specials and imported unlicensed medicines (mainly tablets and capsules) to be paid relative to commonly identified pack sizes.  PSNC’s Dispensing and Supply team has developed a briefing and factsheet to help pharmacy teams understand these changes.   [**Download the Part VIIID guidance**](https://psnc.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=35908a62e4&e=d19e9fd41c) SSP015 extended The Department of Health and Social Care (DHSC) has today announced that the Serious Shortage Protocol~~s~~ (SSP~~s~~) for Paracetamol 120mg and 240mg suppositories (SSP015) which have been further extended to 25th February 2022.  [**Read more about SSP015**](https://psnc.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=d88ddd8253&e=d19e9fd41c) Encouraging patients to support the PANORAMIC study Community pharmacy teams are encouraged to help raise awareness about the PANORAMIC UK-wide clinical study. The study aims to find out if new antiviral treatments prevent those with COVID-19 from needing hospitalisation and help them recover from the virus quicker.  Pharmacy teams can promote the study by displaying the promotional poster in their pharmacy and highlighting it to patients who they speak to on the phone that have tested positive for COVID-19.  [**Download the promotional poster and other resources**](https://psnc.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=9973a94dc3&e=d19e9fd41c) |  | |  |  |  | | |
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