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| PSNC Newsletter |
| Wednesday 1st June 2022 |

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|  | 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: Pharmacies deliver 2m more flu jabs in 2021/22; updates to live SSPs list; vote now on RSG proposals; extended FP34C submission deadline.Over 2 million more flu vaccinations administered by community pharmacists in 2021/22Community pharmacy teams have administered 4.85 million flu vaccinations under the national Flu Vaccination Service in 2021/22. This is over 2 million more flu vaccinations than last year. Despite the growing pressures on community pharmacy teams, the Flu Vaccination Service has continued to go from strength to strength since its launch in 2015, seeing year-on-year growth in the number of vaccinations administered.[**Find out more**](https://psnc.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=63973a2775&e=d19e9fd41c) New SSPs issued and update to SSPs for OestrogelThe Department of Health and Social Care (DHSC) has issued two new Serious Shortage Protocols (SSPs) for Lipitor 10mg chewable tablets (SSP032) and Paracetamol 120mg suppositories (SSP033). Pharmacists are required to read and comply with the requirements outlined within these SSPs.[**Learn more about SSP032 and SSP033**](https://psnc.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=8410bea08c&e=d19e9fd41c)DHSC has also updated Annex A of SSP022 and SSP023 for Oestrogel Pump-Pack 0.06% gel to include a dose conversion to a specific alternative Estradiol patch for patients who use 1 pump of Oestrogel daily. [**Read more**](https://psnc.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=a27b1ee1db&e=d19e9fd41c)Vote now on the proposals for the future of PSNC and the LPCsCommunity pharmacy contractors are reminded that they have until **23.59 on** **Friday 17th June 2022** to vote on the Pharmacy Review Steering Group proposals for the future of PSNC and the LPCs.To help contractors to make an informed decision when voting, the RSG has produced several resources including a two-page summary, explanatory animations, and answering contractors' questions in various formats.[**View all the information and resources on the RSG's website**](https://psnc.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=7dc97ae3ff&e=d19e9fd41c) Reminder: FP34C submission deadline extendedContractors are reminded that, due to the bank holidays, they have until Tuesday 7th June 2022 to submit May's FP34C declaration through the Manage Your Service (MYS) portal.[**Find out more**](https://psnc.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=b34b42930c&e=d19e9fd41c) Newsletter schedule over the bank holidaysDue to the upcoming Jubilee bank holiday weekend, the next PSNC newsletter will be sent on **Monday 6th June**, following which the regular PSNC newsletter schedule will resume. |  |
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