Pharmacies across Hampshire & Isle of Wight - important messages to share with your teams this week and any necessary actions.

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1. **INFORMATION: Pharmacy Quality Scheme (PQS)**
   The clinical audit and palliative care questionnaire have been published. The palliative care questionnaire is a gateway requirement for PQS. Community pharmacies must it to be able to claim a PQS payment. **https://www.cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/pharmacy-quality-scheme-2**

2. **INFORMATION: Children's Flu Vaccination Service**
   AstraZeneca have a range of Fluenz promotional material available to order or download and print. They are also hosting a webinar all about Fluenz on 7th or 14th September (two options for same webinar). **https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/childhood-flu-national-immunisation-programme**

3. **INFORMATION: Flu Vaccination Services**
   To support with communications for the 2026/27 national flu programme, NHS England has published the **seasonal vaccinations toolkit**.

4. **INFORMATION: Mandatory Workforce Survey**
   The Community Pharmacy Workforce Survey will open for all NHS community pharmacies on Monday 14th September 2026. The is a mandatory contractual requirement to complete. **https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/community-pharmacy-workforce-survey-launches-14-september-2026**

5. **INFORMATION: Independent Prescribing Support: Acne Webinar**
   Management of Acne in Primary Care Webinar on Wednesday 16th September 1-2pm. This will help anyone looking to expand their knowledge on Acne ahead of the introduction of the new Pharmacy First pathways. **https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/independent-prescribing-acne**

6. **INFORMATION: Vaccine Hesitancy and Fatigue Webinar**
   There are multiple webinars starting from 1st September running through till mid November. **https://www.cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/vaccination-services-3**

7. **INFORMATION: CPPE Pharmacist Enhanced Practice Pathway Pilot**
   A new education and training pathway for newly qualified, early career pharmacist prescribers, registering from summer 2026. Applications now open. **https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/cppe-pharmacist-enhanced-practice-pathway-pilot**

8. **INFORMATION: Medicines Supply Notification**
   Further supply notices have been issued this week, please make sure you are aware. **https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/medicines-supply-notifications-68**

9. **TRAINING: CPPE Contraception Initiation Workshop – Whiteley, Fareham**
   Sunday 8th November 10am – 12 noon, Fareham. If you've yet to do any initiation consultations or still feel hesitant in doing them, this workshop is for you. Book now. Suitable for Pharmacists, Trainee Pharmacists and Pharmacy Technicians. **https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/local-cppe-workshop-contraception-initiation**

10. **TRAINING: This month's Staff Training from Virtual Outcomes**
    To help pharmacies understand key changes to the hypertension Case Finding Service. **https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/new-virtual-outcomes-training-module-4**

11. **REMINDER: Stay up to date**
    Follow us on X (CPSC (@CPSouthCentral) / X (twitter.com)) and/ or sign up for text reminders from us here: **https://cpsc.org.uk/news/cpsc-text-reminder-service**

12. **REMINDER: Sign up CHIE, the Hampshire & IoW Shared Care Record**
    For access to the Hampshire Patient Shared Care Records (known as CHIE), please make sure you have signed up. Open to both employed pharmacists and locums. CHIE can be used instead of National Care Records to see patient records. **https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/access-chie-care-and-health-information-exchange-hampshire-and-isle-wight-shared-care-record-1**