



CPCF Checklist

Friday 13th September 2019



PSNC is working to provide as much information and as many resources as possible to help community pharmacy teams to understand the details of the new Community Pharmacy Contractual Framework (CPCF) agreement as they are finalised in the ongoing negotiations.

This email is one of a series of recommended actions for community pharmacy contractors to help you to get ready for the introduction of all elements of the five-year CPCF. There is a lot to do and details will be coming out in stages, so this email series will help guide you through the process and highlight all of the resources and support available to you.

9. Update your MUR SOP by 1st October to reflect new targeting requirements

New targeting requirements apply to Medicines Use Reviews (MURs) conducted from 1st October 2019, so community pharmacy contractors will need to update their standard operating procedure for the service to reflect these changes.

Seventy percent of MURs conducted from 1st October 2019 to 31st March 2020 must be within the following two target groups:

- patients taking high-risk medicines; or
- patients recently discharged from hospital who had changes made to their medicines while they were in hospital.

From 1st October 2019, patients with respiratory disease and patients at risk of or diagnosed with cardiovascular disease and regularly being prescribed at least four medicines are no longer target groups for MURs.

Between 1st April 2019 and 31st March 2020, contractors can undertake up to 250 MURs per pharmacy, but no more than 200 may be undertaken between 1st April 2019 and 30th September 2019.

CPCF Roadshow events

PSNC is holding a series of free Sunday roadshow events across England to explain the context of the new five-year CPCF agreement and what it means for pharmacies. Community pharmacists are invited to attend to share their views and to ask questions of PSNC's Negotiating Team. Register for an event near you: psnc.org.uk/events

Previous editions of this email series can be found in our CPCF hub: psnc.org.uk/5yearCPCF

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