

## Community Pharmacy Tracker – March 2022

If you are part of a pharmacy group or multiple, please liaise with your company managers and/or head office.

Subject	Requirement	Deadline	Action and links	Tick when completed
<b>Pandemic Delivery Service</b>	Advanced Service	<b>Ended</b>	The Pandemic Delivery Service has now ended for any new patients. Anyone diagnosed before the 23 <sup>rd</sup> Feb can still access the service until 5 <sup>th</sup> March. <a href="#">Info</a>	
<b>IPC Guidance</b>	COVID Safety	<b>Ongoing</b>	The wearing of face masks continues to apply to patients and staff in community pharmacy to ensure that everyone is protected.  Resources including posters are available for <a href="#">download</a> .	
<b>CPCS IT</b>	Advanced Service	<b>Now</b>	From the 1 <sup>st</sup> April the pharmacy needs to have organised it's IT for the delivery of the CPCS Service. The national procurement will cease at the end of March 2022. <a href="#">Information</a>	
<b>Mandatory Health Campaign</b>	Contractual	<b>28<sup>th</sup> February – 31<sup>st</sup> March</b>	<b>Better Health Stop Smoking Campaign:</b> You must participate from 28 February (or as soon as you receive the materials if they arrive after this date), and the campaign runs until 31 March.	
<b>PQS Declaration Closes</b>	Pharmacy Income	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> March</b>	The PQS declaration window will close at 11.59pm on 2 <sup>nd</sup> March.	
<b>PQS – Anticoag Audit</b>	Pharmacy Income	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> March</b>	Deadline to start the anticoagulant audit (four weeks till 31st March 2022).	
<b>CPSC Webinar</b>	Information & Support	<b>7<sup>th</sup> March</b>	At 8pm. The webinar aims to provide you with support and advice to help understand requirements. There will be a focus on having conversations about weight. <a href="#">Sign up here</a>	
<b>Smoking Cessation Service (SCS)</b>	Advanced Service	<b>10<sup>th</sup> March</b>	The Smoking Cessation Service for patients referred from hospital on discharge will be launched on the 10 <sup>th</sup> March. <a href="#">Smoking cessation Service</a>	
<b>Pharmacy Advice Audit</b>	PSNC Support	<b>11<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Record the healthcare advice that is given to patients during a single day (or until the minimum number of interactions/ consultations is reached). The results provide critical insight on how patients are relying on community pharmacy. <a href="#">Information here</a>	
<b>PQS</b>	Pharmacy Income	<b>31<sup>st</sup> March</b>	Deadline to complete the remaining PQS work (although you have until 30 <sup>th</sup> June to gather the evidence). The MYS online portal to record anticoagulant audit data closes. The PHE portal to record antibiotic review data closes.	
<b>Pharmacy Collect</b>	Advanced Service	<b>31<sup>st</sup> March</b>	The pharmacy Collect Service will end on the 31 <sup>st</sup> March. <a href="#">More information here</a>	
<b>PQS Gateway - NMS</b>	Pharmacy Income	<b>4<sup>th</sup> April</b>	Make sure you have completed and claimed for a minimum 20 NMS by 5 <sup>th</sup> April (March end of month submission)	
<b>New Medicine Service</b>	Contractual	<b>April 2022</b>	Requirement to submit quarterly NMS data currently paused. Pharmacies will need to submit data for April – June in early July 2022. More information <a href="#">here</a> .	
<b>Healthy Living Pharmacy</b>	Contractual	<b>Ongoing</b>	<b>Places available</b> - You can train up to 3 health champions per pharmacy free of charge (HEE funded). More information <a href="#">here</a>	

## Regular Tasks

The following tasks need to be completed on a daily / monthly basis:

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<b>Check NHS Shared Mailbox</b>	Pharmacy Business	Daily (minimum)	NHSE&I and CPSC regularly send important communications to your NHS Shared Mailbox.  Please ensure sufficient staff have access your Mailbox and that it is checked at least once daily.	
<b>Pharmacy Profile Update / NHS Profiler</b>	Contractual	Quarterly	Ensure your Directory of Services (DoS) and NHS website pharmacy* profiles are up to date and verify each quarter. <b>Remember to update your DoS profile if you have to temporarily close during normal hours.</b> <b>*to be replaced by NHS Profiler during March</b>	
<b>Local Services</b>	Pharmacy income	By the 5 <sup>th</sup> of each month	Please claim all your locally commissioned services.	
<b>PPE</b>	Staff Safety	Ongoing	A new PPE Portal will be launched during March. <a href="#">Information here</a>  This portal is available to obtain <b>all</b> personal protective equipment required for service delivery; supplies are provided free of charge.  See current PHE guidance on the use of PPE by pharmacy staff <a href="#">here</a>	
<b>COVID 19</b>	Contractor Support	Ongoing	Ensure you keep up to date with the national & local guidance: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">PSNC</a> – for the latest news round-up</li> <li>• <a href="#">GOV.UK</a> – for advice for healthcare professionals</li> <li>• <a href="#">PHE</a> – for posters and resources</li> <li>• <a href="#">LPC</a> – for next steps, links to national information and links to local information (including testing and vaccination)</li> </ul>	
<b>Virtual Outcomes</b>	Workforce training	Ongoing	Available free of charge to all community pharmacy staff.  A new module will be released every month. Access <a href="#">here</a> .  Latest modules: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Better Health Quit Smoking</li> <li>• IBD</li> <li>• Weight Management</li> </ul>	
<b>LPC Mailing List</b>	Pharmacy Mailing List	Ongoing	Encourage locums to join the LPC mailing list to ensure they are up to date with changes. Visit <a href="#">LPC website</a> for sign up.	

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