

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

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#### 1. WEBINAR: LPC Monthly Webinar

Register now for the live event. Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2023 at 8pm Including a presentation on the emerging importance and use of Genomics and the usual roundup of news updates. Register here: <u>https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/cphiow-</u> webinar-tuesday-9th-july-2024-8pm

#### 2. ACTION: CPAF Screening Questionnaire

It is mandatory for ALL pharmacies to complete between 1st July 2024 and **31st July 2024**. <u>https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/community-pharmacy-assurance-framework-cpaf-screening-questionnaire</u>

#### 3. INFORMATION: Ordering Covid Antivirals from Alliance Healthcare

With cases on the rise, pharmacies may see prescriptions for the oral antivirals that are available to order from Alliance healthcare. <u>https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/ordering-covid-antivirals-alliance-healthcare</u>

#### 4. INFORMATION: Pharmacy First Referrals from University Hospital Southampton

If pharmacies need to contact UHS about a referral received from them, the phone number to use for the Emergency Department is 023 81 203 129. This number is NOT to be shared with the public.

#### 5. INFORMATION: NHS Flu Vaccination Service

The PGD and national protocol for this year's NHS flu vaccination service which officially starts on 3<sup>rd</sup> October have been published. Pregnant women can be vaccinated from start of September. <u>https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/autumn-2024-flu-vaccination-service</u>

### 6. INFORMATION: Medicines Supply Notices

Further supply notices have been issued this week, please make sure you are aware. <u>https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/medicines-supply-notifications-9</u>

#### 7. INFORMATION: Frimley ICB Prescribing Newsletter

For Pharmacies in North East Hampshire, includes updates from NICE and MHRA. https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/latest-prescribing-newsletter-frimley-icb-1

#### 8. INFORMATION: CPE Contractors event in South East Region

An opportunity to share views and ask questions of the Community Pharmacy England team, 24<sup>th</sup> July at Gatwick from 7.30pm. An online event will be held later in the year. https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/cpe-pharmacy-owner-event-south-east-region

#### 9. INFORMATION: Incident Reporting Changes

New Incident Reporting requirements will be published to the NHS England website from 8th July 2024. Know what to report and how. <u>https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/updated-incident-reporting-requirements</u>

#### 10. TRAINING: Pharmacy Support Staff Training Opportunity

Chichester College is offering a fully funded personal development programme which enables clinical and non-clinical support workers to build knowledge and skills. https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/fully-funded-higher-development-award-chichester-college

#### 11. TRAINING: CPPE Community pharmacy technician: advancing your role programme

CPPE are running a fully funded programme specifically for community based pharmacy technicians around advancing their roles. <u>https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/cppe-community-pharmacy-technicians-advancing-your-role-programme</u>

#### 12. <u>REMINDER: Stay up to date</u>

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#### 13. 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. <u>https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/access-chie-care-and-health-information-exchange-hampshire-and-isle-wight-shared-care-record-1</u>

## 14. <u>ROUND UP: Quickly scan the most recent pharmacy news summaries each week from GPhC & CPE</u>

The CPSC home news page on our website has links to each of the newsfeeds from these organisations, meaning it's the most convenient place to quickly look-up and update yourself in a matter of minutes: <u>https://www.cpsc.org.uk/news</u>