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A further change to prevent DSP pharmacies from delivering Directed services face-to-face with patients onsite will also come into effect later this year.  To help pharmacy owners prepare for these changes, we’ve issued new guidance detailing what’s changing and other considerations. | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [**What you need to know**](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=1179ff449d&e=d19e9fd41c) | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [A white background with colorful squares and text  AI-generated content may be incorrect.](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=d0f7d868e8&e=d19e9fd41c) | |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | Community Pharmacy England’s ‘Future of Pharmacy’ workshops begin this July, and pharmacy owners are encouraged to register now to take part.   These in-person events are another key opportunity to discuss the impact of the 2025/26 CPCF settlement, share views on current challenges, and help shape our priorities for the 2026/27 negotiations and beyond.  📅 Events run from 8–9:30pm, with refreshments available from 7pm. 📍 Open to all pharmacy owners and their representatives – free to attend but registration is required | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [**Secure your place**](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=3b28fa2d58&e=d19e9fd41c) | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [A green background with text and images  AI-generated content may be incorrect.](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=89e046113d&e=d19e9fd41c) | |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | Several updates to the Pharmacy First service have taken effect from this month, following the [2025/26 contractual settlement](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=7b5541e176&e=d19e9fd41c). Here’s a quick reminder of the key changes:   * ‘Bundling’ requirements for the monthly payment * Variable monthly payment * Adjusted claim period * New caps introduced for June 2025   [**Tell me more**](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=e5aa673d30&e=d19e9fd41c) | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **Prescription Switching: What you need to know**  We’ve refreshed our resources to help pharmacy teams stay on top of prescription switching – what it is, why it happens, and how it can affect your payments.  🎥 Start with our short explainer video: [Funding & Reimbursement Shorts: Prescription switching](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=820d96a94c&e=d19e9fd41c)  📘Need more detail? Check out the updated [Prescription Switching webpage](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=575bf536ee&e=d19e9fd41c) and our newly updated [Dispensing Factsheet: Prescription Switching](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=14da7789bd&e=d19e9fd41c).  These updates are designed to make it easier to understand the switching process and avoid missed payments. A useful refresher for your team’s day-to-day work. | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [Community Pharmacy England banner](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=55ea0a591a&e=d19e9fd41c) | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | | | | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [Twitter](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=8c1f53e4fa&e=d19e9fd41c) | | | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [Facebook](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=326bd42221&e=d19e9fd41c) | | | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [LinkedIn](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=6011ccbea2&e=d19e9fd41c) | | | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [Website](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=5577bc64c6&e=d19e9fd41c) | | | | | | | |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **Community Pharmacy England** Address: 14 Hosier Lane, London EC1A 9LQ Tel: 0203 1220 810 | Email: [comms.team@cpe.org.uk](mailto:comms.team@cpe.org.uk)  *Copyright © 2025 Community Pharmacy England, All rights reserved.*  You are receiving this email because you are subscribed to our newsletters. 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