



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

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- 1. ACTION: Workforce Survey – TWO WEEKS LEFT TO COMPLETE**
MANDATORY for all Community Pharmacies to complete and will close on Friday 21st November 2025. <https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/community-pharmacy-workforce-survey-2025>
- 2. INFORMATION: CPE Contractor Polling**
Winter Pressures and C-19 Vaccination Issues. Community Pharmacy England wants to hear pharmacy owners' views and concerns for the coming winter season. <https://www.cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/winter-pressure-and-c-19-vaccination-issues>
- 3. INFORMATION: Flu Vaccination Service – Ordering Nasal Sprays**
Stock is not auto replenished and must be ordered. Community pharmacies must order additional stock by raising an order on the Federated Data Platform (FDP). <https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/flu-vaccination-service-5>
- 4. INFORMATION: Pharmacy Contraception Service – Emergency Contraception**
Posters and other resources have been shared by Community Pharmacy England for Pharmacies to use to raise awareness of the service. <https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/promoting-availability-emergency-contraception>
- 5. INFORMATION: Reporting Stolen Controlled Drugs**
A reminder to all Pharmacies to inform the Controlled Drug Accountable Officer about ALL missing or stolen controlled drugs, not just those kept within safe storage. (e.g. Pregabalin, Gabapentin). <https://www.cdreporting.co.uk/nhs/account/signin>
- 6. INFORMATION: Additional Winter Funding Hampshire & Isle of Wight ICB**
Apply before Sunday 30th November. <https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/additional-winter-funding-hampshire-isle-wight-icb>
- 7. INFORMATION: Additional Winter Funding Frimley ICB**
Apply before Friday 21st November. <https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/additional-winter-funding-frimley-icb>
- 8. INFORMATION: Why Choose Pharmacy? Online Careers Event**
Thursday 4th December 6pm –7pm. Who should attend: Students (Years 9–13), college learners, parents, carers, teachers, and career advisors. <https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/nhs-england-south-east-why-choose-pharmacy-career-makes-difference>

- 9. INFORMATION: HIOW ICB Medicines Optimisation Bulletin Meds Safety Week Special**
The latest bulletin from Hampshire and Isle of Wight NHS. <https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/latest-issue-hampshire-iow-medicines-optimisation-bulletin-47>
- 10. INFORMATION: HIOW ICB Medicines Optimisation Bulletin**
The latest bulletin from Hampshire and Isle of Wight NHS with recent local and NICE guidance and including a new **Over the Counter Position Statement and Patient Information Leaflet**.
<https://cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/latest-issue-hampshire-iow-medicines-optimisation-bulletin-48>
- 11. 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-13>
- 12. TRAINING: CPPE Depression Face to Face Workshop**
Sunday 23rd November at Solent Hotel Whiteley. Now available to book.
<https://www.cpsc.org.uk/news/latest-cpsc-news/cppe-depression-workshop>
- 13. REMINDER: Stay up to date**
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- 14. 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>
- 15. ROUND UP: Quickly scan the most recent pharmacy news summaries each week from GPhC & CPE**
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: <https://www.cpsc.org.uk/news>