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|  | This newsletter from PSNC is sent on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. It contains important information for those that work in the community pharmacy sector.In this update: 2022 Pharmacy Advice Audit; new PQS FAQs published; securing earlier advance payment.Have you completed the 2022 Pharmacy Advice Audit?Community pharmacy teams are reminded that PSNC’s 2022 Pharmacy Advice Audit is taking place this week, and we would be hugely grateful to anyone who is able to take part.The audit will help demonstrate how pharmacies support their communities every day and assist PSNC in gathering critical evidence for use in our funding discussions with HM Government and the NHS. Pharmacy teams are requested to carry out the audit on **just a single day this week (w/c 31st January)** and, once completed, submit their data to PSNC via PharmOutcomes.[**Learn more about the audit**](https://psnc.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=fc5eb18e50&e=d19e9fd41c)PSNC's Director of Pharmacy Funding, Mike Dent, recently described the importance of the audit in gathering data for negotiations and campaigning work in a recent video update.[**Watch the video**](https://psnc.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=dfb1859873&e=d19e9fd41c) New PQS FAQs publishedFollowing the announcement of the extension of the 2021/22 Pharmacy Quality Scheme (PQS) and the publication of the declaration questions**,**PSNC, working with NHS England and NHS Improvement (NHSE&I), has today published some additional questions and answers to help contractors make their PQS declaration.The 2021/22 PQS declaration window opens on the Manage Your Service (MYS) portal tomorrow at 3pm (3rd February 2022), and community pharmacy contractors have until **11.59pm on Wednesday 2nd March 2022** to make their declaration.[**Read the new PQS FAQs**](https://psnc.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=2c1e320363&e=d19e9fd41c) Submit FP34C by February 5th for earlier advance paymentTo secure access to earlier advance payments on February 10th 2022, contractors must submit their claims for NHS pharmaceutical services delivered in January 2022 through the MYS portal by no later than **February 5th 2022**.Contractors who submit their January FP34C figuresafter February 5th or continue to declare figures using the paper FP34C submission document, will not receive any earlier advance payments. They should also note that from April 2022 (i.e. for prescriptions dispensed in March 2022), MYS will be the **only**route for monthly FP34C submissions.[**Find out more**](https://psnc.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=5a8eb55225&e=d19e9fd41c) |  |
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