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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: SSP claim top tips; CPCF dates and checklist; accessing referred back paper prescriptions via MYS; January Drug Tariff Watch.Top tips to claim for and reconcile SSP paymentsPSNC has been working with the NHS Business Services Authority (NHSBSA) to understand if claims for Serious Shortage Protocols (SSPs) are being submitted correctly. PSNC understands that a **large number SSP claims continue to be deemed invalid by the NHSBSA due to incorrect endorsements applied by PMR systems and/or pharmacy staff**. We have therefore created a guidance article to explain the common reasons for these incorrect/invalid SSP claims and provide top tips on how to endorse and declare SSP claims correctly.[**View our SSP claim top tips**](https://psnc.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=2641507c3e&e=d19e9fd41c)PSNC briefing on important CPCF datesPSNC's Services Team has updated its checklist of important dates relating to services for the Community Pharmacy Contractual Framework (CPCF). This briefing also highlights important dates for the 2022/23 Pharmacy Quality Scheme (PQS) and Terms of Service requirements, as well as dates when relevant news stories have been published which highlight resources for these services/requirements.[**Read the briefing**](https://psnc.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=0dcd02c674&e=d19e9fd41c) Problems accessing October 2022 referred back paper prescriptions via MYSThe NHSBSA has informed PSNC that the issue preventing images for referred back paper prescriptions relating to the October prescription month being visible on Manage Your Service (MYS) has now been resolved for the majority of images. Contractors are advised to contact the MYS Admin Team with any queries at **nhsbsa.mys@nhs.net**. Drug Tariff Watch - January 2023PSNC's Dispensing and Supply Team has created a summary of the changes to the Drug Tariff during January 2023. This includes details of additions and deletions, as well as category and price changes.[**Read January's Drug Tariff Watch**](https://psnc.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=58201153e8&e=d19e9fd41c) |  |
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