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| **This newsletter - sent on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays - contains important information and resources to support community pharmacies across England.** |

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| In this update: Round-up of Pharmacy First resources and updated FAQs; C-19 Spring vaccination campaign; Salbutamol Patient Safety Alert; NHS App survey closes soon. |

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| Pharmacy First round-up of recent resourcesCommunity Pharmacy England has developed a large range of support and guidance materials to help pharmacy owners and their teams in providing and promoting the Pharmacy First service. This library of materials has increased in recent weeks and we wanted to highlight some key additions.**Promotional resources**Our [shared folder](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=51fa1a4abd&e=d19e9fd41c) contains a variety of posters, social media content, videos and digital screen graphics, and small flyers for prescription bags. Meanwhile, following the launch of NHS England’s ‘Think Pharmacy first’ campaign,  their [campaign materials](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=bec3771aa0&e=d19e9fd41c) are also now available for pharmacy teams to use.**Patient information sources**We have also published a [resource](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=f74a6bc81a&e=d19e9fd41c) containing all the patient-facing leaflets/website links listed in the PGDs and treatment protocol.**New FAQs**Queries about Pharmacy First continue to come in, and we are working to update our FAQs for easy reference. A number have been added in just the last few days (see one such example below). |

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| [**Find these, plus much more, on our dedicated Pharmacy First webpage**](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=ab198e04df&e=d19e9fd41c)  |

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| Our website has many answers to queries posed by pharmacy owners, their teams, and LPCs; these are updated on a regular basis. One of the most recent additions to our Pharmacy First FAQ webpage is: |

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| **Q. Can patients see their Pharmacy First consultation records?**When GP Connect Update Record functionality is implemented, subject to the general practice making the record visible in online services, the Pharmacy First consultation record will be visible to the patient if they view their general practice record in online services such as the NHS app, NHS website account or GP patient apps. |

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| [**Further information can be found on our Pharmacy First FAQ page**](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=313faf9790&e=d19e9fd41c)  |

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| C-19 vacs: Spring 2024 vaccination campaignNHS England has written to pharmacy teams to provide further details on the Spring 2024 COVID-19 vaccination campaign, including timings.Patients in older adult care homes and eligible housebound patients should begin to be vaccinated from 15th April. Ahead of this, pharmacy owners providing the service should work on the basis that they will have access to the National Booking Service on Tuesday 9th April.[Find out more](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=7c09868436&e=d19e9fd41c) |

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| National Patient Safety Alert DHSC: Shortage of salbutamol 2.5mg/2.5ml and 5mg/2.5ml nebuliser liquid unit dose vialsA Medicines Supply Notification (MSN) issued on 14th February 2024, [reported a shortage of salbutamol nebuliser liquid in 2.5mg/2.5ml and 5mg/2.5ml strengths](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=c2eee302c9&e=d19e9fd41c). While alternative nebuliser liquids are available, they cannot meet the increased demand. Providers are advised to liaise with local pharmacy teams and urgently order unlicensed imports, transition patients off nebulisers, and consider alternative inhalation methods.[Learn more](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=b7130954fd&e=d19e9fd41c) |

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| Reminder: NHS App Feedback Survey closes soonWe would like to remind you about the ongoing NHS App Feedback Survey, which will close on **1st March 2024**. Your feedback is invaluable as it will guide the future development of the NHS App. The survey should take no longer than ten minutes to complete. A high level of response will indicate a strong demand for improvements, so we strongly encourage your participation to shape the future of the NHS App. [Complete the NHS App pharmacy survey](https://cpe.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=86d41ab7fa4c7c2c5d7210782&id=b9bb814b18&e=d19e9fd41c) |

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