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To all community pharmacy colleagues
providing palliative care stock holding
service

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Dear Colleague

Palliative Care Stock Holding Service

Firstly I'd like to thank you all very much for being part of the scheme and for your hard work in supporting the delivery of end of life care in Trafford.

As part of the revised scheme we included specific medicines for COVID end of life care which was commissioned on a short term basis till 31st July 2020.

Following the recent spike in cases and subsequent local lockdown we feel that continuing this service would be beneficial and to that end the CCG would propose commissioning the COVID end of life care stock holding until the 31st January 2021 in line with the specification.

At this point we do not require weekly monitoring of stocks and propose to go back to monthly as per the specification.

If at any point this changes in line with the national ask we will communicate again.

Thank you for your continued support.

Best wishes.

Yours sincerely



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