



CPCF Checklist

Monday 30th September 2019

PSNC is working to provide as much information and as many resources as possible to help community pharmacy teams to understand the details of the new Community Pharmacy Contractual Framework (CPCF) agreement as they are finalised in the ongoing negotiations.

This email is one of a series of recommended actions for community pharmacy contractors to help you to get ready for the introduction of all elements of the five-year CPCF. There is a lot to do and details will be coming out in stages, so this email series will help guide you through the process and highlight all of the resources and support available to you.

16. Read the NHS England and NHS Improvement guidance for the Pharmacy Quality Scheme

NHS England and NHS Improvement (NHSE&I) has today published guidance on the 2019/20 Pharmacy Quality Scheme (PQS). The guidance document provides information on how community pharmacy contractors can meet the gateway and quality criteria requirements

Contractors are strongly encouraged to read the NHSE&I guidance in order to understand the PQS requirements.

[Read the NHSE&I PQS 2019/20 guidance](#)

PQS 2019/20 webinar

PSNC will be holding a webinar to support contractors to take part in this year's PQS.

Scheduled for **Wednesday 9th October at 7pm**, the PSNC Services Team will talk contractors through the new gateway and quality criteria for the 2019/20 PQS. As well as describing the differences from the previous Schemes, our presenters will also outline the guidance and resources developed by PSNC, plus where to find further information and support.

[Book your place now](#)

PSNC resources

PSNC has published various resources for contractors to assist them with meeting the gateway and quality criteria of PQS. Additional PSNC resources are currently being finalised and will be published soon; we will alert you when these are available through our normal communication channels.

[Visit the PQS page on the PSNC website to find out more about the resources currently available](#)

CPCF Roadshow events

PSNC has been running free roadshow events across England to explain the context of the new five-year CPCF agreement and what it means for pharmacies. We have now reached capacity, but we have now added a digital event to the schedule. Community pharmacists are invited to watch online and to ask questions of PSNC's Negotiating Team. Register for the digital roadshow now: psnc.org.uk/events

Previous editions of this email series can be found in our CPCF hub: psnc.org.uk/5yearCPCF