

Special Bulletin

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- **Item for Cornwall Practices only**

Changes to the delivery of clinical supplies

Following national changes to delivery of supplies to GP practices following a move to a national Primary Care Support contract on 31st March 2016, there are now some items used locally that do not appear in the national catalogue.

With apologies for the short notice, can I confirm we have put in place a replacement system covering those items, which are indicated on the attached pro-forma, with delivery via the CHES Courier service, with immediate effect.

Can you please ensure you fully complete the pro-forma and email it as indicated. It would be appreciated if the number of orders could be reduced to a minimum, of around 1 per month, but noting this will depend on your usage of these products.

For those items not on the new Capita catalogue or on this pro-forma, we are unable to offer to supply these. However we can offer any advice/guidance on substitute products or alternative suppliers.

In the first instance, please let me know soonest any concerns or problems, otherwise please start using the pro-forma at your earliest convenience.

If you have any pathology related queries please contact Bruce Daniel, Pathology Service Manager, RCHT - brucedaniel@nhs.net