

Provision in the south west from 1 June 2018 by local area:

<b>Local authorities</b>	<b>CCGs</b>	<b>Provider</b>	<b>Programmes</b>	<b>Further information</b>
Cornwall	Kernow	Kernow Health CIC	Childhood seasonal influenza, HPV, MenACWY, Td/IPV	(no change)
Devon, Plymouth, Torbay	NEW Devon, South Devon & Torbay	Virgin Care	Childhood seasonal influenza, HPV, MenACWY, Td/IPV	
Somerset	Somerset	Somerset Partnership	Childhood seasonal influenza, HPV, MenACWY, Td/IPV	
Bristol, North Somerset, South Gloucestershire	BNSSG	North Somerset Community Partnership	Childhood seasonal influenza	Vaccinations will be offered on a subcontract basis in Bristol by Bristol Community Health and in South Gloucestershire by Sirona Care & Health
North Somerset	BNSSG	North Somerset Community Partnership	HPV, MenACWY, Td/IPV	(no change)
Bristol, South Gloucestershire	BNSSG	Children's Community Health Partnership (CCHP)	HPV, MenACWY, Td/IPV	(no change)

Torbay and South Devon Trust, Livewell, and Boots, are no longer providing vaccinations to children or young people in the south west.

### **Flu details**

- School aged immunisation providers are responsible for offering flu vaccinations to all children in reception class up to and including year 5 (year 5 is new from September 2018 as part of the phased roll-out), and to making

the service available to children in those age groups not regularly attending school.

- The school sessions will commence as soon as possible after the first date that Fluenz becomes available, and be completed by early December.
- School aged immunisation providers will offer mop up opportunities at locations / times / dates within their locality and up to the last expiry date of the Fluenz batches.
- GP practices are responsible for offering flu vaccinations to 2 and 3 year olds and to all children who have an at risk condition up to 16. (unchanged)
- GP practices should signpost families of children who are not in at 'at risk' category and are in the relevant school years to the school immunisation provider for their school locality.
- Children in reception class up to year 5 who have an at risk condition will receive up to 3 invitations, both via school and via the call/recall service from their GP. For children in this group it is a question of choice whether they have the spray at the GP or at the school. However for these children there is an imperative to vaccinate them early in the season as these are some of the most vulnerable to complications from flu. If your local school is not being visited until late November, you should not delay identifying and inviting children in these groups from the beginning of the season.
- To facilitate all of the above this the NHS England screening & immunisation team will share with GP practices:
  - Dates of visits to schools
  - Contact details for the school immunisation team, that you can both use to request further information, and share with the families
  - School immunisation pathways for 1819
- School immunisation providers will advise you of immunisations given. We anticipate this will be via the CHIS in most or all areas and you will receive further information on how this will work.
- Where electronic batch or automated transmission is in place practices should advise the CHIS of flu immunisations given at the GP practice.

### **Secondary school-aged programme details**

- School aged immunisation providers are responsible for inviting and recalling all girls in year 8 for their first dose and in year 9 for their second dose of HPV.
- School aged immunisation providers are responsible for inviting and recalling all young people in year 9 for MenACWY and Td/IPV.
- School aged immunisation providers will follow NICE guidance for improving uptake of vaccinations, making repeated efforts using appropriate communication methods to encourage young people to participate.
- School aged immunisation providers will target schools where uptake is low and take steps to improve participation in the programme.
- School aged immunisation providers will identify and invite young people who are educated at home or who are not regularly attending school.
- School aged immunisation providers will notify the CHIS of all immunisations given, and the CHIS is expected to notify practices promptly.

- CHIS will collect and pass on details of immunisations given to young people registered in our area and educated elsewhere e.g. Bath.
- GP practices are expected to update the medical record with details of immunisations given elsewhere and of any adverse incident they are made aware of.
- Under the Additional Service for HPV, practices are expected to offer completing doses and/or a full course of HPV vaccination to eligible patients who self-present and have missed the opportunity in school, up to the age of 18.
- Practices are existing to offer completing doses of MenACWY and Td/IPV given to those who self-present and have missed the opportunity in school.
- In general practices are not expected to administer these vaccinations (not including vaccines given for travel purposes) to patients before they have completed the relevant school year.
- Practices should advise the CHIS promptly of all routine and travel childhood immunisations given at the GP practice. CHIS will provide school immunisation providers with immunisation history for young people who consent to take part in the programme.
- There are national Additional Services whereby GP practices can claim £10.06 for completing doses of HPV and MenACWY. See <http://www.nhsemployers.org/your-workforce/primary-care-contacts/general-medical-services/vaccination-and-immunisation/2018-19-vaccination-and-immunisations> for details.
- There is no Additional Service for Td/IPV completing dose – this is included in practice baseline funding.
- To facilitate all of the above this the NHS England screening & immunisation team will share with GP practices:
  - Contact details for the relevant school immunisation team, that you can both use to request further information, and share with families
  - School immunisation pathways for 1819
- The CHIS will advise you regularly and promptly of imms given to your registered patients by other providers.

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