About this bulletin
To minimise the number of emails sent to practices, NHS England and NHS Improvement – South West is using this weekly bulletin as its main method of communicating with practice managers covering the 350 practices in Bristol, Somerset, North Somerset, South Gloucestershire, Devon, Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly. The bulletins contain important information for practice managers, which might include requests for information and deadlines affecting payments, as well as updates on issues relating to GP contracts. We recognise that CCGs with delegated authority may also issue information to practices regarding their areas of specific responsibility, however, the bulletin remains relevant to the practices in those areas in terms of the public health areas for which NHS England and Improvement remain responsible.

Copies of the bulletins and attachments are available on our website:  
https://www.england.nhs.uk/south/info-professional/medical/dcis/gp-bulletin/

If you have any questions or wish to provide feedback, please contact the Primary Care Team: england.primarycaremedical@nhs.net

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• **Items for all Practices**

03.02.2020 Coronavirus COMMS1

Please see attached Word document that was sent out to Primary Care over the weekend.

**Mumps is circulating in your area – please help to stop the spread**

Please see the attached letter. When first sent out the letter included an incorrect weblink and therefore is being reissued with a correction.

• **Items for Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire Practices only**

Joint Introductory Letter to BNSSG GPs

Please see enclosed joint letter from InHealth Intelligence and Bristol Community Health updating GPs on the next steps for the Bristol, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire Diabetic Eye Screening Programme (DESP). For further information please refer to the contact details provided in the letter.

• **Items for Somerset Practices only**

None

• **Items for Devon Practices only**

None

• **Items for Cornwall and Isles of Scilly Practices only**

Action Required – CQRS Service Offer

The following contractual service has been offered to Practice on CQRS:

- **Indicators no Longer in QOF (INLIQ) 2019/20**

Please note that this service is a contractual requirement, information about the service can be found by following the link. Please log into CQRS and accept this service, under the Participation tab.