

# Public Health GP Bulletin

Section 7a: Screening & Immunisations



NHS England and NHS Improvement - South West

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## About this bulletin

The NHS England and NHS Improvement (NHSE/I) South West Integrated Public Health Team has taken over responsibility from the NHSE/I South West Primary Care Team for collating and issuing a rebranded, weekly Public Health GP Bulletin. This weekly bulletin is the main method of communicating with practice managers covering the 579 practices in Bristol, North Somerset, South Gloucestershire, Bath & North East Somerset, Swindon, Wiltshire, Gloucestershire, Somerset, Devon, Dorset, Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly.

The bulletins contain important public health information for practice managers on Section 7a screening and immunisation programmes, which are commissioned by NHSE/I. Content may include requests for information and deadlines affecting payments, as well as updates on issues relating to GP contracts.

Current issues and back copies of the bulletins and attachments are available on the NHSE/I website [here](#).

If you have any questions or wish to provide feedback, please contact the Integrated Public Health Team on [england.swscreeningandimms@nhs.net](mailto:england.swscreeningandimms@nhs.net)

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- Items for Cornwall and Isles of Scilly Practices only
  - None

## Key Deadlines

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- **Items for all Practices**

### RCARS COVID-19 Newsletter 14.05.21

We are pleased to share up to date COVID-19 vaccination advice. Please see attached document.

Also attached: **Update on National incident in response to reports of thrombosis with thrombocytopenia following vaccination with the COVID-19 AstraZeneca vaccine**

### CQRS NOTIFICATION-INFORMATION FOR TPP PRACTICES DATA EXTRACTION ISSUE MMR NOW RESOLVED

TPP have notified NHS Digital that there was an issue with the recent extracts for the MMR service, which resulted in an incorrect submission of data. In response, NHS Digital team and TPP have been working to re-extract the correct data and re-submit to CQRS. The CQRS team have now confirmed that CQRS has received the amended data on Thursday 13th May.

#### Impact:

As payment requests are currently on hold whilst QOF calculations are being re-run, the CQRS team was able to remove all queued payment requests being sent to NHAIS for organisations impacted by this issue. Now that the correct data has been received, calculations will be completed within CQRS for these practices. As a result of the mitigation actions mentioned above, no off system payment reconciliations will be required.

There is no impact to EMIS practices. Declarations and approvals for EMIS practices may continue as per the usual process.

#### Action required for TPP practices

The following actions are required by practices:

- Declarations and approvals with respect to the MMR service for TPP practices can resume

- Declarations and approvals with respect to the MMR service for EMIS and Cegedim (previously known as Vision) practices were not impacted by this issue. Please continue to declare and approve.

If you have any general queries in relation to this, please contact:

- For **BaNES, Gloucestershire, Swindon, Wiltshire and Dorset Practices** please contact the Public Health Commissioning team - [phcontractssouthwest@nhs.net](mailto:phcontractssouthwest@nhs.net)
- For **BNSSG, Somerset, Devon and Kernow** practices please contact the Primary Care team – [england.primarycaremedical@nhs.net](mailto:england.primarycaremedical@nhs.net)

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