Public Health Special GP Bulletin

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Section 7a: Screening & Immunisations

About this bulletin:

This weekly bulletin is the NHSE/I South West Integrated Public Health Team's main method of communicating with Practice Managers in BNSSG, BSW, Cornwall & IOS, Devon, Dorset, Gloucestershire and Somerset.

The bulletin contains important Public Health information relating to Section 7a Screening and Immunisation programmes commissioned by NHSE/I. Content may include requests for information and deadlines affecting payments, as well as updates on issues relating to GP contracts.

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CQRS NOTIFICATION: 2021/22 NHSEI Public Health Commissioned Services

EMIS Seasonal Flu Data Issues:

Further to our last communication shared on 2nd December 2021 regarding an issue impacting the October seasonal flu payment extract for EMIS practices, we can confirm that EMIS has now completed the process to re-extract the correct data.

Action required

- Declarations may proceed for the Seasonal Flu Service.

Next Steps

- Declarations in CQRS that were approved and submitted to PCSE before the updated data was received will have been processed for payment. The reconciliation process and any associated actions will then be communicated when received from the CQRS team.

EMIS Data Issue - Childhood 6 in 1 & PCV Hib MenC Services:
As previously communicated, EMIS have notified NHS Digital of an issue with their extracts for the Childhood 6 in 1 and PCV Hib MenC services. This issue resulted in an incorrect submission of data between April and September 2021.

Extracts for July, September and October 2021 have been completed as planned. The process to re-extract the correct data for August has been delayed and will complete later this week. Once August data is resubmitted to CQRS, unapproved claims for these months will be updated with the correct values.

Next Update

A further update is expected from the CQRS team on or before Friday 10th December.

If you have any queries relating to this issue, please do not hesitate to contact us at the contact details below.

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