

This is a notification regarding Public Health Section 7a services that NHS England and NHS Improvement (NHSEI) commission from you via Calculating Quality Reporting Service (CQRS).

Please share with all staff working on CQRS

*****Reminder*****

2022-2025 Essential Services now available for sign up on CQRS

The Essential Services (ES) listed below are **now available for sign up**.

Automated services

- Childhood Immunisations Hexavalent (6-in-1) Vaccination Programme 2022-25
- Hepatitis B at risk (newborn) babies Vaccination Programme 2022-25
- Meningococcal ACWY Vaccination 2022-25
- Meningococcal B vaccination programme 2022-25
- MMR Vaccination Programme 2022-25
- Pertussis in pregnant women 2022-25
- Pneumococcal Conjugate Vaccine (PCV) and Haemophilus influenzae type B, Meningitis C (HibMenC) Vaccination Programme 2022-25
- Pneumococcal Polysaccharide Vaccination (PPV) Programme 2022-25
- Rotavirus (Routine Childhood Vaccination) 2022-25
- Shingles Combined 2022-25

Manual services

- HPV completing dose (Booster) vaccination 2022-25

You will have until **COP Friday 6 May 2022 to sign up** to these ES programmes. Sign up on CQRS will enable you to claim against these services for payment.

If you miss the cut-off date for the sign up, you will be **unable to claim** for the April 2022 payments and for the rest of the year for the programmes listed. Therefore, if you are planning on delivering these services to your patients, then you must log in to CQRS and sign up as requested.

Further information can be found at the links below:

Information and guidance documents for each of the available services can be found on the NHS Digital website.

<https://digital.nhs.uk/services/general-practice-gp-collections/service-information>

Information about the 2022-23 contract changes can be found on the NHS England website.

<https://www.england.nhs.uk/gp/gpfpv/investment/gp-contract/>

Details of these services, including the live collections timetable can be found on the GP Collections website:

<https://digital.nhs.uk/GP-collections>

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact to us.

Reminder

Eligible Cohorts for the 2022/23 NHS Seasonal Influenza Vaccination Programme

Eligible cohorts for flu vaccination are based on the advice of the JCVI and Department of Health and Social Care.

Those eligible for NHS flu vaccine in 2022/23 are:

- those aged 65 years and over
- those aged six months to under 65 years in clinical risk groups (as defined by the influenza chapter in 'Immunisation against infectious disease' (the 'Green Book')

Please be aware that the following cohorts are not eligible for flu vaccinations in 2022/23 (unless at risk)

- those aged 50 to 64 years
- secondary school children in Years 7 to 11 (i.e. between 11 and 15 years of age)

Reminder

CQRS Public Health Claims - End of Financial Year 2021/22

As the Financial Year End is fast approaching please can we ask that you carry out the usual checks/reconciliations prior by **31st March 2022** to ensure that you have no outstanding claims for 2021-22.

Where differences are found between your clinical system and CQRS please submit the appropriate CQRS manual claim form with the supporting information, for those services that do not allow retrospective claims on CQRS (e.g. **Auto Extraction**).

Please use the appropriate CQRS manual claim form for your locality as detailed below:

- **BaNES, Gloucestershire, Swindon, Wiltshire and Dorset** - please use the attached *Manual Change sheet for CQRS (v8)* with the appropriate supporting information and return to the Integrated Public Health Commissioning Team phcontractssouthwest@nhs.net
- **BNSSG, Somerset, Devon and Kernow** – please use the attached *CQRS Data Amendment Request Form (v4)*, and return to South West Primary Care Team england.primarycaremedical@nhs.net

CQRS services

| Service Name | Frequency of Extract/Input | Extract or Input |
|---|----------------------------|------------------------|
| Seasonal Flu 2021/22 | Monthly | Auto Extraction |
| Childhood Seasonal Influenza Vaccination programme (two & Three-year old's 2021/22) | Monthly | Auto Extraction |
| Meningococcal ACWY vaccination 2021/22 | Monthly | Auto Extraction |
| MenB vaccination programme 2021/22 | Monthly | Auto Extraction |
| MMR vaccination programme 2021/22 | Monthly | Auto Extraction |
| Pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccination (PPV) programme 2021/22 | Monthly | Auto Extraction |
| Pertussis in pregnant women 2021/22 | Monthly | Auto Extraction |
| Rotavirus (Routine Childhood Vaccination) 2021/22 | Monthly | Auto Extraction |
| Shingles combined 2021/22 | Monthly | Auto Extraction |
| Hepatitis B at risk (newborn) babies vaccination programme 2021/22 | Monthly | Auto Extraction |
| 6 in 1 Vaccination Programme 2021/22 | Monthly | Auto Extraction |

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| Pneumococcal, Haemophilus influenzae type B and Meningitis C 2021/22 | Monthly | Auto Extraction |
| HPV completing dose (Booster) vaccination 2021/22 | Monthly | Manual Entry always required |

If you have any queries relating to any of the above, please do not hesitate to contact us using the contact details below.

BaNES, Gloucestershire, Swindon, Wiltshire and Dorset practices please contact the Integrated Public Health Commissioning Team phcontractssouthwest@nhs.net

BNSSG, Somerset, Devon and Kernow practices please contact the South West Primary Care Team england.primarycaremedical@nhs.net

*****Reminder*****

PPV23

Changes to the claiming process for Pneumococcal Vaccines from 1st April 2022

As previously communicated in our Public Health GP Bulletin edition 75 dated 4th February 2022, practices will no longer be able to submit claims to the NHS BSA for reimbursement of locally procured PPV23 vaccines administered from April 2022 onwards, and practice's should only be using centrally procured PPV23 vaccine for immunising their eligible population.

Arrangements are being put in place with the NHS BSA to manage any historic practice claims for locally procured PPV23 vaccine administered on or before 31 March 2022 and exceptional claims for locally procured childhood pneumococcal vaccine that is administered to an adult for clinical reasons.

As such, from the 1 April 2022:

- pneumococcal vaccines (both the PPV23 and Pneumococcal polysaccharide conjugated vaccine) will be removed from the bulk vaccine list for which claims are made via the FP34PD/D appendix form, and
- practices will be required to submit pneumococcal vaccine reimbursement claims via a prescription form (FP10) for each vaccine administered in respect of:
 - PPV23 administered prior to 1 April 2022, or
 - childhood pneumococcal vaccine administered to an adult for clinical reasons.