This is a notification regarding the Public Health Section 7a services that NHS England-South West commission from you via Calculating Quality Reporting Service (CQRS).

Please share with all staff working on CQRS

2022/23 NHSE Section 7a Public Health Commissioned Services

Seasonal Influenza and Childhood Influenza

This is a notification regarding the Public Health Section 7a Services that NHS England would like to commission from you for 2022-23 via CQRS for the Enhanced Services listed below.

- Seasonal Influenza Service 2022/23
- Childhood Seasonal Influenza Vaccination Programme 2022/23.

****Important information****

Enhanced Service Specifications 2022/23

Following the publication of the Annual Flu Letter on 22nd April 2022, the Seasonal Flu Service Specification and collaboration agreement and Childhood influenza Service Specification have now been released.

This year’s General Practice Service Specification includes:

- Collaboration requirements for practices working in a PCN or a group of practices (Annex B)
- The removal of the complementary NHS influenza vaccination offer for primary care staff (except locum GPs)
- Details of the frontline health and social care staff without an occupational health offer who can be offered the NHS influenza vaccine
- Continued requirement to record patient’s ethnicity

Sign up to the Enhanced Services will be via CQRS as usual and you will receive a notification via CQRS that the services are available to accept on or shortly after 31st August.

The Enhanced Services state that practices need to sign up to these services by 23:59 on 31st August 2022, please note this is an error and we request that practices sign up to these Enhanced Service programmes by no later than COP 30th September 2022.

The first extraction will take place on 9th October 2022. Sign up in CQRS enables you to claim against these services for payment. If you miss the cut-off date for the sign up, your practice may not be included in the automated extraction. Accordingly, if you are planning on delivering these services to your patients, then you must login to CQRS and sign up.
As per the amendment to the flu letter dated 22\textsuperscript{nd} July 2022, the offer of seasonal influenza immunisation will now be extended to healthy 50 to 64-year olds (including those who turn 50 by 31 March 2023) later in the season. Providers are asked to start vaccinating this age group no earlier than 15 October 2022.

An updated Manual Amendment Request form, list of service descriptions, Indicator ID and descriptions and the Business rules will be shared shortly.

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

https://www.england.nhs.uk/gp/gpfv/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 us.

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Thank you

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