

To: GPs in England

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Dear colleagues

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Update on Quality Outcomes Framework changes for 2022/23

To provide practice stability and support recovery, QOF for 2022/23 will be based on the indicator set already agreed for 2021/22, with the only changes being the introduction of two new Quality Improvement modules. Full reinstatement of QOF from 1 April is central to plans for recovery in long-term condition management within and beyond primary care.

The size of QOF has stayed the same at 635 points. The value of a QOF point in 2022/23 will be £207.56 and the national average practice population figure will be 9,374. There are no changes to QOF indicators or payment thresholds for 2022/23.

The Quality Improvement modules for 2022/23 are:

- Prescription Drug Dependency
- Optimising Access to General Practice

Further detailed information on the data recording requirements and payment is included in the QOF Guidance for 2022/23. Any changes relative to the 2021/22 QOF Guidance are highlighted in yellow (with the exception of Section 5 describing the Quality Improvement modules, all of which is new).

Thank you for your continued dedication and hard work.

Yours sincerely,

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