## L&SC ICB Flu Outbreaks – Simplified Flowchart

Outbreak identified by GP/Care Home/Institution and notification to UKHSA. UKHSA confirm outbreak & provide advice and guidance on controlling outbreak in the institution. Assess need for assessment for antiviral treatment/prophylaxis.



Patients identified as needing antivirals
UKHSA contacts ICB On-Call to inform of outbreak & identify if In-season/Out of season/Avian Flu

(If further testing needed UKHSA will arrange swabbing/testing)





## **IN SEASON OUTBREAK**



## AVIAN FLU OUTBREAK OR OUT OF SEASON OUTBREAK



ICB On-call manager contacts relevant Place provider to activate patient assessment & prescribing (Refer to Main Document e.g., GP/FCMS/GTD)



Provider clinician will carry out a clinical assessment (liaise with UKHSA) & prescribe

antiviral medication if needed/appropriate, liaising with a nominated local pharmacy to dispense (see table or embedded excel attachment in main document)



Staff from Care Home/Closed setting pick up the supply of medication from

the agreed pharmacy.



ICB On-Call to advise IPC Team and MO Team of outbreak for information



Provider clinician will carry out a clinical assessment (liaise with UKHSA) & prescribe antivirals if needed/appropriate and arrange with the care home for someone to deliver the meds., or for Avian flu only to either their home or an agreed location



Provider to complete antiviral request form and email to RPH pharmacy.

Provider to arrange a driver to collect and deliver the antivirals to the patient/Care Home/Closed setting.



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