



# Deadline Tracker

## July 2025




If you are part of a pharmacy group, or multiple, please liaise with your area managers/head office



### Contract & Funding

	Deadline	Action & Links	Tick
<b>Safeguarding Reminder</b>	<b>Ongoing</b>	<b>Time to Check:</b> All registered pharmacy professionals must complete Level 2 safeguarding every two years. It's also a good opportunity to upskill your pharmacy team via: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>e-Learning for Health Level 1 &amp; 2- <a href="#">webpage</a></li><li>VirtualOutcomes - <a href="#">Safeguarding Module</a></li><li>Contraception Service - Mandatory Safeguarding Level 3 training OR have direct access to professional advice from someone who can advise on Safeguarding at Level 3</li></ul>	
<b>Vaccine IT System Framework</b>	<b>Ongoing</b>	NHS England has announced the launch of a new Point of Care (PoC) IT Supplier Contractual Framework, allowing pharmacy owners to choose which system they use to make their clinical records for the Flu and COVID-19 vaccination services during the 2025/26 campaign Find out more <a href="#">here</a>	
<b>Amendments to Core Opening Hours Regulations</b>	<b>From 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2025 onwards</b>	<b>Key Change:</b> A new application route (Regulation 26(2ZB)) introduced, allowing pharmacy owners greater flexibility to apply to change core opening hours, provided the change better meets patient and user needs Find out more <a href="#">here</a>	
<b>Focus on Regulatory Changes Briefing</b>	<b>Ongoing</b>	Regulatory changes – CPE have produced a briefing click <a href="#">here</a> for more info	
<b>Contract Changes: Margin Explainer</b>	<b>Ongoing</b>	Further information and details about margin delivery have been released to help explain the arrangements in a clearer way Find out more <a href="#">here</a>	

## Operational



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NHS Mail	Ongoing	<p>Ensure you access your personal NHS.net email regularly (at least once every 30 days) to avoid your account being deleted</p> <p>Further information is available <a href="#">here</a></p> <p><b>Please also ensure you MONITOR your NHS Shared mailbox (pharmacy.fcode@nhs.net) on a daily basis as part of Terms of Service</b></p>	



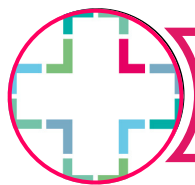
## Services

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DMS: Shortened Claim Journey on MYS	Starting 6th July 2025	<p>NHS England and NHSBSA have agreed to introduce a shortened process for making claims for DMS that will allow pharmacy owners to make and submit claims for the three stages of DMS</p> <p>Find out more <a href="#">here</a></p>	
NMS: Changes to Claiming	Ongoing	<p>A new claiming process has been confirmed for NMS</p> <p>Make yourself familiar with the new process and latest updates <a href="#">here</a></p>	
Post Payment Verification (PPV) Guide Ongoing	Ongoing	<p>Check out our new guide that provides an overview of the PPV process for national community pharmacy services &amp; PQS</p> <p>Find out more <a href="#">here</a></p>	
Pharmacy First	By the 5th	<p>§ Updated Pharmacy First caps came into force in June 2025. Check your monthly cap <a href="#">here</a></p> <p>Ask your patients to give feedback on Pharmacy First to help inform service improvements. Find out more <a href="#">here</a></p>	
Maximising Success	Ongoing	<p>Services ready and PQS ready – Every Thursday 12:30pm – CPLSC would like to remind contractors of the regular Thursday bulletins which vary between services ready and pqs ready to help support our contractors and there teams on keeping a breast of opportunities and training and including top tips and regulatory deadlines. To subscribe for the newsletter click <a href="#">here</a></p> <p>for the PQS ready page click <a href="#">here</a></p>	



## Training & Events

	Deadline	Action & Links	Tick
<b>CPE: Future of Pharmacy Workshop</b>	<b>Thurs 17<sup>th</sup> July 2025</b>	Join CPE at their face-to-face workshop to discuss the next steps for community pharmacy and feed directly into their priorities for the 2026/27 CPCF negotiations Location: Macdonald Kilhey Court, Chorley Rd, Standish, WN1 2XN Timings: 8pm – 9.30pm, with doors open from 7pm when a hot buffet and light refreshments will be available, with informal networking and Q&A with the Community Pharmacy England team) Book your place <a href="#">here</a>	
<b>VirtualOutcomes</b>	<b>Ongoing</b>	View the new 'Pharmacy Contract' module <a href="#">here</a> View the new PQS modules (Part 1 & 2) <a href="#">here</a>	



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