



Deadline Tracker

November 2025



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

Do Now



	Deadline	Action & Links	Tick
National Health Campaign - Pharmacy First	9th November 2025	The first national health campaign of 2025/26 has begun and runs until Sunday 9 th November. Pharmacies can meet the campaign requirements by using posters, leaflets, website updates, social media posts or patient communications View the resources here Find out more here	
CPE: Sector Poll for Pharmacy Owners	10th November 2025	This poll gauges pharmacy owners' concerns about winter pressures, COVID-19 vaccination changes, hub-and-spoke dispensing, and financial pressures Take part and find out more here	
Mandatory Workforce Survey	21st November 2025	NHS England's mandatory Workforce Survey is now open. Pharmacy owners have until 11.59pm on Friday 21 st November 2025 to complete it Learn more about the survey and how to complete it	

Contract & Funding



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PQS: The Antimicrobial Stewardship	1st Sept 2025 - 31st Mar 2025	Pharmacy First consultations clinical audit started from the 1 st September 2025 and should be completed no later than 31 st March 2026 View the CPLSC PQS Ready 25/26 Page via our website. Please click here to view.	
Regulatory Changes	1st Oct 2025	Several regulatory changes came into effect on the 1 st October 2025 Find out more here	
Pharmacy Contraception Service (PCS)	29th October 2025	Important information to note: Expansion of service to include oral emergency contraception with a fee of £20 per consultation, plus the cost of any EC provided to the patient Addition of Pharmacy Technicians allowed to provide the service Addition of Drospirenone to the progesterone PGD to enable the supply of this medicine Check your shared mailbox for any new local service information from local authorities Download the CPE briefing on what's changing here	

New Medicines Service (NMS)	29th October 2025	Expansion of service to include depression as an eligible therapeutic area The revised service specification and drug list can be viewed here	
Pharmacy First	1st November 2025	Updated Pharmacy First caps come into force for November 2025. Check the NHSBSA website to see what your Pharmacy First cap is for this month	



Operational

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CPE Funding & Reimbursements Shorts	Ongoing	A new 'Paper Prescription Sorting & Submission Process' short has been released View the video and important information here	



Services

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Updated Service Specifications Released	Available Now	A new version of the Pharmacy Contraception Service has been published View here	
Flu Vaccination Service	End of November	NHS England anticipate that most flu vaccinations should be completed by the end November 2025 to provide the best possible protection going into winter Find out more here	



Training & Events

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Emergency Contraception & PCS Webinar	Watch Now	The on-demand version of the webinar and materials from the webinar are now available Watch and find out more here	



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