



NEWSLETTER - SEPTEMBER 2011

NEW MEDICINES SERVICE and TARGETED MURs -

ARE YOU AND YOUR PHARMACY TEAMS READY TO DELIVER from 1st OCTOBER 2011?

Your LPC suggests you inform the GPs/Nurses in your local practices that you will be offering these services for the benefit of patient care.

Choose support from:

NPA

www.npa.co.uk/nms includes a template SOP. The NPA will be sending a NMS support pack to every pharmacy in mid September.

PSNC

www.psnc.org.uk The PSNC's changes to the Pharmacy Contract 2011/2012+is essential reading for all pharmacists.

CPPE

www.cppe.ac.uk The new NMS open learning programme will be sent to every pharmacist in September.

CPPE Workshop Getting More from MURs .
Route to Revalidation Workshop. 21 Sept 2011
Peterborough.

NHS Peterborough is offering a Community Pharmacy Education event on the new services. Speaker is Alistair Buxton, PSNC - 15 September 2011 (details LPC website calendar).

Pharmabase NMS module is on schedule to support the NMS service for mid-September. The use of this module will create a large dataset which can be used for the academic evaluation of the service.

ECH—Chlamydia Screening and Treatment Services

NHS Cambridgeshire would like to increase the



number of pharmacies offering EHC and Chlamydia screening and treatment services. Have you thought about offering these enhanced services?

Attached is information on how to become a Pharmacist delivering Chlamydia treatment.+

LPC Autumn Events

The LPC will be holding a series of events in early Autumn focusing on the New Medicines Service, Targeted MURs, communication with our contactors and an update on Insulins by Sanofi-Aventis.

These meetings will commence at 6.45 pm with a buffet and will finish at 9.30 am.

Wednesday 7 September - The Ramada Hotel, Thorpe Meadows, Longthorpe Parkway, Peterborough PE3 6GA.

Thursday 8 September - The Marriott Hotel, Kingfisher Way, Hinchingsbrooke Business Park, Huntingdon, PE29 6FL.

Thursday 22 September - The Menzies Hotel and Golf Club, Bar Hill, Cambridge CB23 8EU.

Wednesday 5 October - The White Lion Hotel, 5 South Brink, Wisbech PE13 1JD.

Please contact the secretary (contact details given at the bottom of the newsletter) to book a place for yourself and your pharmacy team.

Reminder The PCT needs to be notified 90 days in advance of any changes to your opening hours over Christmas/New Year .

COSI Report: Access it directly from the PSNC website.

How is the revised **Pharmacy First for Children** service progressing in NHS Peterborough? Please offer feedback to LPC secretary.