





# Deadline Tracker - July 2025

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


## Do Now

		Deadline	Action and links	Tick
DSP Toolkit		30 <sup>th</sup> June 2025	The deadline for community pharmacy contractors to complete the Data Security and Protection Toolkit 2025 is <b>30th June 2025</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Watch the on-demand webinar <a href="#">here</a></li> <li>See other resources <a href="#">here</a></li> </ul>	
Pharmacy Profile Update		1st April – 30th June 2025	Ensure your Directory of Services and NHS website profiles are up to date by updating your <a href="#">NHS Profile Manager</a> . This quarter started on 1st April 2025 and ends on 30th June 2025. <b>We encourage you to do this as soon as possible</b>	

## Contract & Funding


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Safeguarding Reminder		Ongoing	<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>	
Vaccine IT System Framework		Ongoing	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 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Find out more <a href="#">here</a></li> </ul>	
Amendments to Core Opening Hours Regulations		From 23 <sup>rd</sup> June 2025 onwards	<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 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Find out more <a href="#">here</a></li> </ul>	
Focus on Regulatory Changes Briefing		Ongoing	We've produced a 2-page briefing summarising the key regulatory changes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>View and download <a href="#">here</a></li> </ul>	
Contract Changes: Margin Explainer		Ongoing	Further information and details about margin delivery have been released to help explain the arrangements in a clearer way <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Find out more <a href="#">here</a></li> </ul>	
Maximising Success: CPCF & PQS		Ongoing	CPGM have created a breakdown of the new CPCF and PQS requirements into bite-sized chunks that you can work through each month to keep you on track with important dates and deadlines <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Find out more <a href="#">here</a></li> </ul>	

## Operational

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Patient-Led Ordering Feedback		Ongoing	We're requesting your feedback on the rollout of Patient-Led Ordering. Your comments will help us resolve issues and inform future support <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">Click to complete the short form</a></li> </ul>	

NHS Mail	Ongoing	Ensure you access your personal NHS.net email regularly (at least once every 30 days) to avoid your account being deleted <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Further information is available <a href="#">here</a></li> <li>Read our new briefing <a href="#">here</a></li> </ul>	
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## Services

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DMS: Shortened Claim Journey on MYS	Starting 6th July 2025	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 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Find out more <a href="#">here</a></li></ul>		
NMS: Changes to Claiming	Ongoing	A new claiming process has been confirmed for NMS <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Make yourself familiar with the new process and latest updates <a href="#">here</a></li></ul>		
Post Payment Verification (PPV) Guide	Ongoing	Check out our new guide that provides an overview of the PPV process for national community pharmacy services & PQS <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Find out more <a href="#">here</a></li></ul>		
Pharmacy First	Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Updated Pharmacy First caps came into force in June 2025. Check your monthly cap <a href="#">here</a></li><li>Ask your patients to give feedback on Pharmacy First to help inform service improvements. Find out more <a href="#">here</a></li></ul>		

## Training & Events

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CPE: Future of Pharmacy Workshop	Thurs 17 <sup>th</sup> July 2025	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 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ <u>Location</u>: Macdonald Kilhey Court, Chorley Rd, Standish, WN1 2XN</li><li>▪ <u>Timings</u>: 8pm – 9.30pm, with doors open from 7pm when a hot buffet and light refreshments will be available, with informal networking and Q&amp;A with the Community Pharmacy England team)</li><li>▪ Book your place <a href="#">here</a></li></ul>		
VirtualOutcomes	Ongoing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▪ View the new 'Pharmacy Contract' module <a href="#">here</a></li><li>▪ View the new PQS modules (Part 1 &amp; 2) <a href="#">here</a></li></ul>		

## Need Help and Support

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Ask the CPGM Team	Various dates/ times in June	Something on your mind? Join our lunchtime and evening drop-in sessions with one of our experienced team members. We are here to support you <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Find out more <a href="#">here</a></li></ul>		
Pharmacy Handbook	Ongoing	An updated version of the <a href="#">Greater Manchester Pharmacy Handbook</a> is available		

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