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| **Welcome from CCG Chair** |

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| **Welcome to this week’s edition of Practice News**                  Some weekend reading for us all at the end of a busy week. Of note I hope there are some people interested in the GP Safeguarding role. I have been filling the role since James Burden left (and the post remained vacant after we last advertised). It has been a bolt on to my Chair role with no extra time or remuneration but lots of positive energy and a great team to work. Since CCG merger we would like a fresh, enthusiastic GP to input into this and work with the nurses - who are the fount of all knowledge and leaders among our system partners - so that we can robustly continue to maintain excellent standards in Safeguarding both adults and children in Primary Care. Please do not think we want a national guru like James (not that we would turn them away) we are looking for common sense, a passion for safeguarding and a real understanding of Primary Care and an ability to enthuse GPs and our NSPs. Have a lovely weekend.           If you have any COVID-19 related queries, please send them through to: warnoccg.covid19primarycarecommunications@nhs.net. |

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| If you'd like to have Practice News and other relevant CCG updates sent to you directly, please email communications@coventryrugbyccg.nhs.uk. |

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| Latest information for practices     **Important OxyShop update – system unavailable on Saturday, 3 July**NHS Midlands and Lancashire CSU are relocating the OxyShop server to a new site in Oldbury.  This move will unfortunately involve taking the OxyShop system off line for a number of hours.  The relocation is scheduled to take place on Saturday 3rd July 2021 between the hours of 8am and 5pm, to ensure the risk to patient care is kept to a minimum we are putting the following steps in place to ensure continuity of service:* The West Midlands Regional Supplier Baywater Healthcare will accept telephone and email orders over the period of server downtime
* An email will be sent to all users of Oxyshop advising of the system being unavailable and including Baywater Healthcare’s contact information
* A temporary divert to a website address will be setup with the contact details for Baywater Healthcare
* An email will be sent to all HOS AR services advising of the downtime

For all enquiries, please contact ravi.kalkat@nhs.net**Drop-in vaccination centres in Coventry and Warwickshire this week**Please see [attached](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-E2RO-3W4C1S-A7K1Y-1/c.aspx) a press release and an informational [leaflet](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-E2RO-3W4C1S-A7K1Z-1/c.aspx) with dates and addresses of drop in Covid vaccination clinics for anyone aged over 18 taking place in the area this week.**NHS asymptomatic staff testing: Lateral flow device distribution and assuring compliance to testing regimes**Please see [attached](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-E2RO-3W4C1S-A7K20-1/c.aspx) letter from NHS England and NHS Improvement, for important changes nationally on NHS staff asymptomatic COVID-19 testing programme.**New NHS Cervical Screening Management System - go live 30th October 2021**Please see [attached](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-E2RO-3W4C1S-A7K21-1/c.aspx) Stakeholder briefing for changes to the NHS Cervical Screening Management System due to take place on **30th October 2021.**NHS Digital has been commissioned by NHSX to develop and implement the new system, which will replace the current call/recall IT system for cervical screening, which sits on the National Health Application and Infrastructure Services (NHAIS) platform (sometimes called the Exeter system), and is also accessed by the Open Exeter system.IT support teams are aware of the changes and are working continuously to ensure the requirements are in place ahead of the operational changes. The CCG will keep you updated on further information as details emerge from NHS Digital.**Information Governance - Service Provider for all GP Practices**The GP Information Governance support for the GPs will now be provided by Arden and GEM CSU. The contact details are below which you will note differ from the Data Protection Officer service that Arden and Gem CSU currently provide.     You will be required to use an NHS.net account to send any concerns through to this service. This is to reduce the potential risk of a breech by using patient identifiable information      Email: agem.gpig@nhs.netTelephone: 0121 611 0730      When asking for advice:     * Email Pre-requisites required in ALL cases **NHS.net** email only
* Email Subject line must read for the GP Practices GP-IG-Query-name of practice
* All emails received must have an email signature with full name, work role, and work contact details of the sender.

   **Primary Care Data Gathering Programme (Coventry and Warwickshire)**Thank you to those practices who have already returned their Primary Care Data Gathering template. A reminder to any practices still to complete and return their template that these should be sent to pcdg@gbpconsult.co.uk as soon as possible. The information collated as part of this national programme will become the baseline of evidence required when practices submit any requests for capital or revenue funding. The data will be made available to practices and/or PCNs following programme completion via SHAPE, providing you with analysis tools to support estates planning and development.For more information on the Data Gathering Programme, or you require guidance on completing the template, please contact the CCG Primary Care Team at cwccg.primarycare@nhs.net**Removal of Home Oxygen Order Form (HOOF) Email Facility**Please see [attached](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-E2RO-3W4C1S-A7K22-1/c.aspx) a letter relating to the removal of Home Oxygen Order Form facility. **Healthwatch annual report**Please see [attached](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-E2RO-3W4C1S-A7K23-1/c.aspx) annual report for Healthwatch Coventry.**Important update to the Fitter Futures adult weight management criteria**Public Health England (PHE) has announced local authorities will be allocated a one-off grant to support people living with excess weight and obesity to lose weight and maintain healthier lifestyles through an enhanced Adult Weight Management (AWM) programme. Fitter Futures Warwickshire supports adults who meet certain criteria to achieve a healthier lifestyle and the enhanced AWM programme provided through Fitter Futures will provide an opportunity to deliver targeted support to Warwickshire residents.We know that living with obesity reduces life expectancy and increases the chance of serious diseases such as cardiovascular disease, type 2 diabetes and some cancers. COVID-19 has shone a light on health inequalities, and WCC are hoping this short-term funding will help support Warwickshire residents to lead a healthier lifestyle and contribute towards tackling health inequalities. Fitter Futures Warwickshire is still supporting residents registered with a Warwickshire GP with a body mass index (BMI) of 28+ with additional concerns or a BMI of 30+. The PHE grant will be used to enhance the current offer and support people with a raised BMI who also fall into the following groups:* Those diagnosed with post covid syndrome.
* Individuals seeking pre-conceptual or post-natal care.
* Individuals registered with a severe mental illness.
* Individuals registered with a learning disability.

As part of the AWM programme, users will receive 12-weeks free of tailored nutritional support from Weight Watchers, Everyone Health and Slimming World. Health professionals can refer patients who they feel would benefit from this support via the normal Fitter Futures Warwickshire online portal [here.](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-E2RO-3W4C1S-A7HB8-1/c.aspx)If you do not have a log in, or cannot remember your details, please contact fitterfutures@warwickshire.gov.uk For more information about PHE guidance on interventions with adults, view the [Let's Talk about Weight guidance from PHE here.](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-E2RO-3W4C1S-A7HB9-1/c.aspx)* Warwickshire County Council also offer a range of services to support physical and mental health and wellbeing, including areas focused on:
* Stop smoking and stop smoking in pregnancy
* Mental health and wellbeing
* Drugs and alcohol
* Dementia
* Sexual health and relationships

Find out more by visiting the [Staying Well page.](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-E2RO-3W4C1S-A7HBA-1/c.aspx)     Training, events & surveys**Microsoft Training**Please see [attached](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-E2RO-3W4C1S-A7K24-1/c.aspx) online Microsoft Training Session for July 2021.  If you are interested in attending and would like to book onto the session, please send your request via email to Hevlain.Nana2@covwarkpt.nhs.uk .**Safer Sleeping Training Session - 12th July 2021**    Please see attached [flyer](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-E2RO-3W4C1S-A7K25-1/c.aspx) for information and registration details regarding a training session available for 'Safer Sleeping' on 12th July 2021.Newsletters**Diabetes newsletter**Please [attached](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-E2RO-3W4C1S-A7N03-1/c.aspx) the latest issue of the Diabetes newsletter. |

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