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| If you'd like to have Practice News and other relevant CCG updates sent to you directly, please email [cwccg.communications@nhs.net](mailto:cwccg.communications@nhs.net?subject=cwccg.communications%40nhs.net). |

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Please note; authorising organisations must not alter, amend or add to the clinical content of this document, such action will invalidate the sign-off with which it is provided.  GP Practices are not required to provide NHS England/PHE with your signed copy of the PGD, however these should be kept within the Practice and be accessible for use by its staff.  This PGD will be submitted for publication on our website [page](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-ESX1-3W4C1S-ASJ0H-1/c.aspx) and will be available shortly.  National PGD legislation does not authorise the use of the PGD by healthcare assistants, student health professionals or registered health professionals that not listed in the [PGD legislation.](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-ESX1-3W4C1S-ASJ0I-1/c.aspx)  If you have any queries regarding this information please contact the team via [england.wmid-imms@nhs.net](mailto:england.wmid-imms@nhs.net)    **Support for GPs in Coventry and Warwickshire – what is available?**  Please see [attached](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-ESX1-3W4C1S-ASJAL-1/c.aspx) an update from the Local Medical Committee regarding available support for GPs in the area.    **NHS App - Covid Vaccination Certificate**  Anyone testing positive for Covid-19 following a PCR test will automatically have their vaccination certificate on the NHS App suspended for ten days. Please do not print off vaccination certificates if a patient informs you that their vaccination certificate is not showing on the App. The vaccination certificate will reinstate on the App automatically after ten days.    **NHS App**  As part of the continuing work on the NHSApp/COVID Pass, [BT have produced a guide](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-ESX1-3W4C1S-ASJ0J-1/c.aspx) for those with limited digital skills. The campaign is encouraging people to help others who might struggle with downloading and using the NHSApp. The guide gives details on how to show vaccine status, ordering repeat prescriptions and how to access health advice.  Please share the social media assets on your channels and with key stakeholders;  ·       [BT helping others Facebook graphic](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-ESX1-3W4C1S-ASJ0K-1/c.aspx)  ·       [BT helping others Twitter graphic](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-ESX1-3W4C1S-ASJ0L-1/c.aspx)  ·       [BT helping others Instagram graphic](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-ESX1-3W4C1S-ASJ0M-1/c.aspx)    **Becton Dickinson: supply disruption recommended actions**    Please see [attached](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-ESX1-3W4C1S-ASJAM-1/c.aspx) document around optimising use of testing products in relation to the Becton Dickinson (BD) supply disruption. We have been notified of a supply disruption in relation to Becton Dickinson (BD) on their Blood Specimen Collection Portfolio. NHS Supply Chain has issued an [Important Customer Notice](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-ESX1-3W4C1S-ASJ0N-1/c.aspx) which details the products impacted and the measures they have put in place.  The following link is [guidance on recommended actions](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-ESX1-3W4C1S-ASJ0O-1/c.aspx) for GP Practices to optimise resources for pathology laboratory work. Senior clinical oversight is needed around the ordering of tests with a view to reducing the use of the products impacted by the supply disruption.  NHS Supply Chain is managing the existing stock of impacted products, meaning organisations should order stock directly from NHS Supply Chain rather than seeking to purchase directly from BD.  General practices that secure these products from Primary Care Support England (PCSE) should continue to order in this way. GP practices that do not usually order from PCSE can also order via [its process](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-ESX1-3W4C1S-ASJ0P-1/c.aspx).    **Serious Shortage Protocol – Fluoxetine 10mg tablets**  Information for ongoing supply issues, the Serious Shortage Protocol currently in effect for fluoxetine 10mg tablets (SSP05) is being varied to extend the end date, which was previously Friday 13 August 2021.  The end date for SSP05 will now be **Friday 12 November 2021.**  If you have any questions regarding the SSPs please contact the NHS Prescription Service:  Email: [nhsbsa.prescriptionservices@nhsbsa.nhs.uk](mailto:nhsbsa.prescriptionservices@nhsbsa.nhs.uk)    **GP IT Newsletters and Shared Inboxes Message for GP Practices**  **Sent on behalf of the email migration team**  Following the email migration of individual CCG and primary care mailboxes, the next step is for the transition of shared mailboxes.    As of August, all mailboxes will have the existing CCG prefix changed to: [cwccg.mailboxname@nhs.net](mailto:cwccg.mailboxname@nhs.net)    For example if your mailbox is currently named [crccg.complaints@nhs.net](mailto:crccg.complaints@nhs.net) this will change to [cwccg.complaints@nhs.net](mailto:cwccg.complaints@nhs.net), another example is if your mailbox is currently [sowaccg.medicalcentre@nhs.net](mailto:sowaccg.medicalcentre@nhs.net) this will now be [cwccg.medicalcentre@nhs.net](mailto:cwccg.medicalcentre@nhs.net)    The change will be effective from 3rd August 2021 and the only action is for this change to be reflected in mailbox email signatures and within any other communications where your shared mailbox is communicated. An email divert is not required to be set up as emails from the previous email address will be automatically sent to the new email address.   Please note, there is no expected downtime of your shared mailbox.  For further information, please see attached IT Newsletters for [Coventry/Rugby](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-ESX1-3W4C1S-ASJPX-1/c.aspx) and [Warwickshire North.](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-ESX1-3W4C1S-ASJPY-1/c.aspx)    If you have any questions, please email: [email.migration@covwarkitc.nhs.uk](mailto:email.migration@covwarkitc.nhs.uk)  **Accessing Recordings via One Drive – 16th August 21**  **Sent on behalf of N365 Projects Team**  From the 16th August you will be able to access your video recording via One Drive through your MS Teams Chat. The new Stream will use OneDrive to store and manage all videos, which means it will inherent the Microsoft 365 compliance, governance, permissions, external sharing and endpoint integration. Please see [attached](https://cwccg.net/5ECH-ESX1-3W4C1S-ASJPZ-1/c.aspx) a quick reference guide on how to access your video’s via MS Teams Chat following the 16th August. | | |