Dentist bulletin – July 2019

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Contract Amend Functionality

In order to process the Annual Superannuation Reconciliation, the 'Contract Amend' function will not be available in Compass between 18:00 on Thursday 18 July 2019 and approximately 10:00 on Thursday 25 July 2019. This is necessary to ensure the accuracy of the reconciliation process. All other Compass functionality is available.

Any contracts in the state of 'Amended and awaiting authorisation' that have not been authorised prior to 18:00 on Wednesday 18 July 2019 will be rejected by an automated system process. When the 'Contract Amend' function becomes reavailable on 25 July 2019 the contracts will need to be re-entered.

Please accept our apologies for any inconvenience caused.

Video Tutorials

We are pleased to advise that a suite of video tutorials for the most common tasks in CoMPASS on our <u>website</u>. These videos include:

- How to find your SD86C pension contribution certificate
- How to view up to date UDA / UOA delivery as a performer
- How to complete the Annual Reconciliation Report as a provider and performer

Please take a look and if you feel there are other areas where help and guidance is required, please let us know by contacting us on 0300 330 1348 or at nhsbsa.dentalservices@nhsbsa.nhs.uk



Mid-year/Year-end contract reconciliation

As mentioned last month, NHS England's National Dental Contract Management Service has now been rolled out to around half of all NHS Dental contract Providers. From the mid-year point of 2019/20, the service will be rolled out to all remaining NHS dental contract providers in England, including prototypes.

We have updated the contract reconciliation area of our <u>website</u> to provide you with all the information you need to know.

Dental Contract Reform

The year-end process for those involved in the reconciliation of prototype contracts has been updated on our website. To find more information on the Dental Contract Reform Programme, please read the DCR News Issue 10 on our <u>website</u>

In the Spotlight – Inlays and Onlays guidance

Last month we published a spotlight article written by our clinicians about <u>courses of treatment and examination</u>. This month we've put together some good practice guidelines about Inlays and Onlays. Like all our articles, these have been developed from feedback and questions that have been raised when our clinicians have been talking to dentists and reviewing their clinical records.

Read the full article about Inlays and Onlays here.

If there are any topics you'd like to see covered in future bulletins please get us know via nhsbsa.dentalservices@nhsbsa.nhs.uk