
ADVANCED SERVICES (PHARMACY AND APPLIANCE CONTRACTORS)(ENGLAND)

NEW MEDICINE SERVICE, STOMA CUSTOMISATION, APPLIANCE USE REVIEW, COMMUNITY PHARMACY SEASONAL INFLUENZA VACCINATION SERVICE, COMMUNITY PHARMACY ADULT SEASONAL INFLUENZA AND COVID-19 VACCINATION SERVICE, COMMUNITY PHARMACY CHILDHOOD SEASONAL INFLUENZA VACCINATION SERVICE, NHS PHARMACY FIRST SERVICE, NHS COMMUNITY PHARMACY HYPERTENSION CASE-FINDING SERVICE, COMMUNITY PHARMACY SMOKING CESSATION SERVICE, NHS PHARMACY CONTRACEPTION SERVICE AND LATERAL FLOW DEVICE (LFD) TESTS SUPPLY SERVICE, COMMUNITY PHARMACY MENINGOCOCCAL B VACCINATION SERVICE

Community Pharmacy Meningococcal B Vaccination Service

90. From 20 July 2026 a fee of £10.06 will be paid for each 4CMenB vaccination administered to eligible patients as listed in the NHS service specification. Additional eligible patient cohorts may be included in this service in the future if announced and authorised by NHS England.
 91. From 20 July 2026 a payment of £300 will be paid to pharmacy contractors who have registered for the service and administered at least one 4CMenB vaccination to an eligible patient. A further payment of £400 will be paid to pharmacy contractors who administer at least 100 4CMenB vaccines to eligible patients during the vaccination period. This payment will be paid to pharmacy contractors at the end of the vaccination period. These additional payments will be processed and administered by NHSBSA, contractors do not need to claim for these payments separately.
 92. The 4CMenB vaccine administered as part of this service is Bexsero. 2 doses of the Bexsero vaccine are required for protection with first doses offered until 31 December 2026 and second doses offered until 31 March 2027. This vaccine is centrally supplied, therefore no claim for reimbursement of vaccine costs apply to those Bexsero vaccines administered to patients.
 93. The fees will be payable only to contractors meeting the requirements of the service. The complete service requirements are set out in directions 7BQ and 7BR of the principal Directions and the NHS service specification.
 94. Claims for payments of the £10.06 item of service fee for this AS must be made via the NHSBSA's MYS platform. Claims for payment should be submitted by the 5th of the month following the month the activity was provided, and no later than 3 months from the claim period for the chargeable activity provided (the usual grace period). Claims which relate to work completed more than 3 months after the claim period in question, will not be paid and the pharmacy contractor will not receive any payment for the administration of those vaccines. Later claims will not be paid, unless the submission of a claim was delayed by IT issues outside the contractor's control. Such claims will be accepted outside the usual grace period within 12 months of the date by which the claim should have been submitted. This is subject to the NHSBSA receiving evidence of the IT issue, and only if investigation finds that the evidence demonstrates that the IT issue was outside the control of the contractor, and it delayed the claim submission.
 95. Payments to contractors will be made monthly as part of their normal payment schedule. When submitting a monthly claim via MYS, contractors can only make a single claim for each calendar month.
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