

## NHS NETWORKS weekly news stories:

10:06am, 11 June 2021

### [Employment law update, including Covid-19 considerations](#)

This workshop supports managers in understanding current employment law including considerations relevant to Covid-19.

10:04am, 11 June 2021

### [NHS Resolution's Primary Care Appeals service](#)

NHS Resolution is responsible for ensuring the prompt and fair resolution of appeals and disputes between primary care contractors and NHS England and NHS Improvement (NHSEI) or CCGs.

10:01am, 11 June 2021

### [NHS recovering from pandemic ahead of target](#)

Operations and other routine care are ahead of ambitions set out in April with mental health services back at pre-pandemic levels.

10:00am, 11 June 2021

### [Three in four people with a learning disability receive annual health check](#)

Three quarters of people with a learning disability aged 14 and over have received an annual health check two years ahead of an NHS Long Term Plan target.

09:59am, 11 June 2021

### [UK and US agree new partnership to fight future pandemics and tackle health inequalities](#)

The UK and the US governments have agreed a new landmark partnership between the UK Health Security Agency (UKHSA) and the US National Centre for Epidemic Forecasting and Outbreak Analysis, run by the US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

(CDC), to turbocharge efforts to combat global pandemics and emerging health threats.

09:56am, 11 June 2021

### [Delivering a Smokefree 2030](#)

This report calls for further regulations, increased funding levied from the tobacco industry on a polluter pays principle and investment in the communities where smoking has the biggest impact.

09:28am, 10 June 2021

### [HealthCoachPlus programme](#)

The HealthCoachPlus programme is a two day virtual training programme designed to provide healthcare professionals in primary care, secondary care and in the wider community and voluntary sectors with the knowledge, skills and confidence to incorporate health coaching techniques in their role.

09:27am, 10 June 2021

### [Annual health checks for people with a learning disability](#)

NHS England and NHS Improvement are calling for local community and specialist learning disability service providers and other teams across the country to develop pilots to showcase ways of working at a systemwide or CCG level to demonstrate the contribution that community or specialist providers make in supporting local annual health check arrangements leading to increased uptake and improved quality of annual health checks for people with a learning disability.

09:25am, 10 June 2021

### [Shape women's health strategy](#)

Women from Asian and minority ethnic backgrounds, those living in the midlands and east of England and women between 16 and 18 years

old and those over-50 are being urged to respond to the government's call for evidence.

09:24am, 10 June 2021

### [Seek eye care if concerns about vision or eye health](#)

New research from The College of Optometrists has shown that almost one third of adults in Britain (31%) have noticed their vision got worse since the COVID-19 pandemic induced lockdowns.

09:23am, 10 June 2021

### [Workforce burnout and resilience](#)

This report finds that workforce burnout across the NHS and social care has reached an emergency level and poses a risk to the future functioning of both services.

09:21am, 10 June 2021

### [Collaboration between extra care housing and a hospice](#)

This case study draws on the voices and experience of people living in extra care housing in west London provided by Octavia, in addition to the views and skills of staff working in Octavia and St Christopher's Hospice.

10:27am, 9 June 2021

### [Getting ahead for winter planning 2021/22](#)

PCC and the NHS Confederation PCN Network invite primary care network (PCN) leaders to join this free virtual event to help you to get ahead with winter planning.

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### [NHS community pharmacist consultation service - GP referrals](#)

A briefing note and case study has been produced which outlines how GP practices and PCNs can start referring into the NHS community

pharmacist consultation service as soon as the secure electronic referral process has been agreed with local community pharmacies.

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#### [Updated COVID-19 vaccination enhanced service specification](#)

NHS England has updated the enhanced service specification to include a 3 month maximum period within which payment claims must be made, require PCN groupings to use a single point of care system for entering new vaccination events in order to minimise the risk of duplicate payments and permit the administration and payment claim of a single dose vaccine once authorised.

10:22am, 9 June 2021

#### [GP access communications toolkit](#)

Following some changes to the GP SOP, NHS England has updated the general practice access toolkit.

10:20am, 9 June 2021

#### [Freedom to speak up](#)

A new report from National Guardian's Office illustrates the challenges and benefits of implementing freedom to speak up in different primary care and integrated care settings.

10:18am, 9 June 2021

#### [Chronic pain in adults 2017](#)

This report explores the responses to questions on chronic pain in the 2017 health survey for England.

10:16am, 9 June 2021

#### [London's detox unit for homeless people](#)

Service, led by Public Health England (London), was set up in partnership with the Greater London Authority, Guy's and St

Thomas' NHS Foundation Trust, borough councils and the City of London Corporation.

10:18am, 8 June 2021

### [The stress-resistant manager: building your resilience](#)

Most of us will suffer work-related stress at some point - and the problem is most acute for public sector staff, particularly those working in health and care services.

10:17am, 8 June 2021

### [COVID vaccine first dose drive enters the home straight](#)

The NHS COVID vaccination programme will start inviting remaining adults for their COVID-19 jabs, - just six months after administering the first jab.

10:16am, 8 June 2021

### [Vital lessons for public health campaigns](#)

Healthwatch England has joined forces with Traverse to explore vaccination confidence among people from African, Bangladeshi, Caribbean and Pakistani backgrounds living in the UK.

10:14am, 8 June 2021

### [Adult social care and Covid-19: the policy response](#)

This briefing analyses national government policy on adult social care in England after the first Covid-19 wave.

10:12am, 8 June 2021

### [Providers deliver: collaborating for better care](#)

This report sets out examples of a wide range of collaborations taking place across the country to show the complexity of arrangements.

10:11am, 8 June 2021

[NICE consultation: Looked-after children and young people](#)

Comment on NICE's draft guidance on looked-after children and young people before its consultation closes at 5pm on Tuesday 15 June.

10:08am, 7 June 2021

[June PCC Insight](#)

In our June edition of PCC Insight we are sharing tips on collaboration, with a case study, looking how to make decisions on the roles to recruit into PCNs using the additional role reimbursement scheme, consider how to develop estate strategies, update on procurement changes and consider how to look after the practice manager.

10:07am, 7 June 2021

[Community pharmacist consultation service - deadline to claim](#)

The NHS community pharmacist consultation service (CPCS) was extended across England in November 2020 to include minor illness referrals from general practices as well as from NHS 111.

10:05am, 7 June 2021

[Help us help you: Dental social media cards](#)

NHS England has produced a handy set of social media cards which practices are welcome to use to help explain to patients how to access NHS dentistry.

10:04am, 7 June 2021

[Community services data set: provider onboarding](#)

Providers of community health services must provide complete and accurate information to the community services data set (CSDS).

10:03am, 7 June 2021

[UK to be world leader in organ donation and transplantation](#)

Increasing organ donation consent rates and making the most of donated organs for transplant are the two key aims in a new 10-year organ donation strategy.

09:57am, 7 June 2021

[Film encourages Gypsy, Roma, Traveller and Showmen communities to 'Give COVID the Jab'](#)

Partners in Surrey Heartlands Integrated Care System have been tackling health inequalities by encouraging members of the Gypsy, Roma, Traveller (GRT) and Showmen communities to 'Give COVID the Jab'.

**NHS NETWORKS weekly editor's blog entries:**

16:17pm, 10 June 2021

[The potential for case finding patients with cardiovascular disease in a dental setting](#)

The blog this week is by Wendy Crew, PCC adviser, considering the opportunity to case find patients with cardiovascular disease in a dental setting.

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