

Community Pharmacy Deadline Tracker – August 2025

If you are part of a pharmacy group or multiple, please liaise with your company managers/head office.

Subject	Actions and links	Tick when done
Resilience in Action Community Pharmacy Conference 14th September 2025	<p>Community Pharmacy Devon's Resilience in Action supporting Devon Pharmacists, Pharmacy Technicians and other members of the pharmacy teams. There is an excellent line up of both national and local speakers. We will be covering the NHS 10-year plan; Integrated Neighbourhood Teams and future clinical services; Managing Clinical Uncertainty; Hypertension clinical update and practical top tips; the NPA Maximising National Pharmacy Services Masterclass and more. The Venue is the Exeter Racecourse; there will also be goody bags and a free lunch! More information here:</p> <p>Book your place now to be sure of getting in: https://www.rb.gy/asjykh</p>	
Devon Pharmacy Awards Closing date 16th August 2025	<p>Get your nominations in for the Community Pharmacy Devon local awards recognising and celebrating our amazing pharmacy teams in Devon. Presentations will be made at the Conference. Five categories are available: Find out more here.</p>	
Pharmacy First – Consultation Claims	<p>The claim period for Pharmacy First has been reduced to one month and therefore claims for Pharmacy First consultations carried out in June 2025 must be claimed on the MYS portal by 11.59pm on 31st July 2025 • Find out more here</p>	
Draft Service Specifications Released	<p>New draft versions of the Pharmacy First and Pharmacy Contraception Service have been published • Pharmacy First Clinical Pathways and PGDs – More info here • Pharmacy Contraception Service – View here</p>	
Flu & COVID-19 Vaccination Programme	<p>NHS England has outlined key details for this year's autumn/winter flu and COVID-19 vaccination campaigns, confirming eligible patient groups, timings, and booking arrangements.</p> <p>Key dates in important info to note:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NEW: introduction of a one-season trial of a new flu vaccination service for children aged 2-3 years – Find out more here • 18 August: The National Booking Service (NBS) opens for participating sites to post appointments • 1 September: NBS open for booking from the public and flu vaccinations begin for pregnant women • 1 October: Flu vaccination starts for all other eligible adults and COVID-19 vaccinations begin • Find out more here • View the service specification and updates here • For IT platform information see here 	
Amendments to core opening hours regulations. In place from 23rd June 2025	<p>Key Change: A new application route (Regulation 26(2ZB)) introduced, allowing pharmacy owners greater flexibility to apply to change core opening hours, provided the change better meets patient and user needs • Find out more here.</p> <p>This change offers pharmacy owners more control over operational hours, aligning services more closely with community requirements.</p>	

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NHS Mail	Ensure you access your personal NHS.net email regularly (at least once every 30 days) to avoid your account being deleted. Further information is available here .	
Pharmacy Profile Update	Ensure your Directory of Services and NHS website profiles are up to date by updating your NHS Profile Manager . This quarter starts on 1st July 2025 and ends on 30th Sept 2025. We encourage you to do this ahead of the August Bank Holiday	
PharmOutcomes Access	Check that pharmacy staff have access to PharmOutcomes during all opening times, especially when locums are on duty ; set-up additional accounts if needed. PharmOutcomes must be checked regularly throughout the day and referrals and messages received actioned.	
Community Pharmacy Devon Mailing List	Encourage locums and the rest of your pharmacy team to join our mailing list to ensure they are up to date with changes. Visit our website or see below for sign up.	
VirtualOutcomes	Community Pharmacy Devon funds this online training platform to support our pharmacy teams in Devon. Therefore, it is free for all pharmacy teams in Devon. A new module is released every month. The latest module has just been released to support engagement with the ABPM part of the Hypertension Case Finding Service and maximising the service. Find it here .	
Social media	Follow us on: Facebook: Community Pharmacy Devon X formerly Twitter @ CommunityPharmacyDevon Linkedin: Community Pharmacy Devon Important updates will be shared here for speed and wider awareness; all interested parties are invited to join.	

[Link to CPE contractual payment tracker updated 19th May 2025](#)

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