

## Community Pharmacy Deadline Tracker – February 2026

*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
<b>PQS: The antimicrobial Stewardship</b> <b>1<sup>st</sup> Sept 2025 – 31<sup>st</sup> Mar 2026</b>	<p>The Pharmacy First consultations clinical audit started from the 1<sup>st</sup> September 2025.</p> <p>The 2025-26 clinical audit should be conducted from 1<sup>st</sup> September 2025 and completed no later than 31<sup>st</sup> March 2026. Guidance <a href="#">here</a>.</p> <p><b>You have until the 3<sup>rd</sup> February to start this work.</b></p>	
<b>Pharmacy First</b> <b>1<sup>st</sup> February 2026</b>	<p>Updated Pharmacy First caps come into force for February 2026. Check the <a href="#">NHSBSA website</a> to see what your Pharmacy First cap is for this month.</p>	
<b>Mandatory Pharmacy First Health Campaign</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2026</b>	<p>Start date for the second national health campaign on Pharmacy First</p> <p>This is a mandatory requirement for all pharmacy owners</p> <p><b>Action:</b> Read about what <a href="#">you need to do</a> to meet the requirements</p> <p>Resources available on the CPE website or <a href="#">here</a>.</p>	
<b>PQS: Declaration window opens</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> February – 27<sup>th</sup> February 2026</b>	<p>Declaration window opens at 9 am.</p> <p><b>Action:</b></p> <p>If you wish to make a PQS declaration ensure you claim for this on the MYS portal between 9 am on 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2026 and 11.59 pm on 27<sup>th</sup> February 2026</p> <p>View the declaration questions <a href="#">here</a>.</p>	
<b>Pharmacy First Myth Busting</b>	<p><b>To reject or not to reject?</b></p> <p>An article has been published to tackle some of the misconceptions around rejecting Pharmacy First referrals and aims to increase understanding of the service. <a href="#">Read here</a>.</p>	
<b>Pharmacy Profile Update</b> <b>31<sup>st</sup> March 2026</b>	<p>This is a mandatory requirement for all pharmacy owners. Ensure your Directory of Services and NHS website profiles are up to date by updating your <a href="#">NHS Profile Manager</a>. The deadline for this quarter is the 31<sup>st</sup> March 2026.</p>	
<b>EPS Nomination Principles</b>	<p>We have been receiving increasing numbers of complaints regarding nominations being changed without patient consent. Community pharmacy teams are reminded of the importance of always aligning with the EPS nomination principles and upholding patient choice.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Find out more <a href="#">here</a></li> <li>• Read the one-page fact sheet of the four guiding principles of patient nomination <a href="#">here</a></li> </ul>	
<b>CPE Funding &amp; Reimbursements Shorts</b>	<p>A new 'Disallowed items' short has been released.</p> <p>View the video and important information <a href="#">here</a>.</p>	
<b>Pharmacist Support Workshop</b> <b>26<sup>th</sup> February 2026</b>	<p>Community Pharmacy England and Pharmacy Support are running a Stress Management and Building Resilience workshop (online) open to you and the wider pharmacy team</p> <p>Find out more <a href="#">here</a></p> <p>Book your place <a href="#">here</a>.</p>	

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<b>NHS Mail</b>	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 <a href="#">here</a> .	
<b>PharmOutcomes Access</b>	Check that pharmacy staff have access to PharmOutcomes during all opening times, <b>especially when locums are on duty</b> ; set-up additional accounts if needed. PharmOutcomes <b>must</b> be checked regularly throughout the day and referrals and messages received actioned.	
<b>Community Pharmacy Devon Mailing List</b>	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 <a href="#">website</a> or see below for sign up. Sometimes (why?) emails from CP Dvon go into the NHS Spam Files. Please check for this otherwise you might miss out on important information!	
<b>VirtualOutcomes</b>	<b>Community Pharmacy Devon funds the access to VirtualOutcomes for pharmacies in Devon, therefore it is FREE. A new module is released every month. The latest module is on the Pharmacy Contraception Service including the Oral Emergency Contraception.</b> • Explore the comprehensive library of courses available <a href="#">here</a>	
<b>Social media</b>	Follow us on: Facebook: <a href="#">Community Pharmacy Devon</a> X formerly Twitter @ <a href="#">CommunityPharmacyDevon</a> Linkedin: <a href="#">Community Pharmacy Devon</a>	

[Link to CPE contractual payment tracker updated 29<sup>th</sup> October 2025](#)

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