



## Community Pharmacy Deadline Tracker

### January 2026

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

DO NOW	Deadline	Action and links	Tick
Directory of Services (DoS) Update	31 December 2025	<p>The deadline for meeting the requirement is the 31 December 2025</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This is a <b>mandatory requirement for all pharmacy owners</b></li> <li>• Update your NHS website profile and your DoS profile using <a href="#">NHS Profile Manager</a></li> </ul>	
Christmas and New Year Rota		<p>Christmas and New Year opening hours have now been published.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• View <a href="#">here</a></li> </ul>	

CONTRACT & FUNDING	Deadline	Action and links	Tick
PQS: The Antimicrobial Stewardship	1 September 2025 – 31 March 2026	<p>Pharmacy First Consultations Clinical Audit can be started from 1 September 2025</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The 2025/26 clinical audit should be conducted from 1 September 2025 and completed no later than 31 March 2026</li> </ul>	
Pharmacy First	1 January 2026	<p>Updated Pharmacy First caps come into force for January 2026</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Check the <a href="#">NHSBSA website</a> to see what your Pharmacy First cap is for this month</li> </ul>	

OPERATIONAL	Deadline	Action and links	Tick
CPE Funding & Reimbursements Shorts	Ongoing	<p>A new 'referred back items' short has been released.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• View the video and important information <a href="#">here</a></li> </ul>	
NHS Mail	Ongoing	<p>Ensure you access your personal NHS.net email regularly (at least once every 30 days) to avoid your account being deleted</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Further information is available <a href="#">here</a></li> </ul>	

SERVICES	Deadline	Action and links	Tick
Lateral Flow Device (LFD) Myth busting Series	Available Now	<p>The second article in its series is now available, which tackles some the misconceptions around the LFD service</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• View <a href="#">here</a></li> </ul>	
COVID-19	31 January 2026	<p>Autumn/winter 2025/26 COVID-19 Vaccination Service ends</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Action:</b> At the end of the day remove any promotional materials for the autumn/winter 2025/26 COVID-19 Vaccination Service (including any on your website) and ensure all staff are aware that the service has now finished for 2025/26</li> <li>• Last day for <a href="#">national booking service (NBS) booked appointments for COVID-19 vaccinations</a></li> </ul>	

TRAINING & EVENTS	Deadline	Action and links	Tick
VirtualOutcomes	Ongoing	<p>All pharmacies in Cheshire and Wirral have FREE access to online training.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explore the comprehensive library of courses available <a href="#">here</a></li> </ul>	

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