



**Barnsley**  
Local Medical  
Committee

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# LMC Update

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# Tirzepatide

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Now included in QOF, LCS halted

Typical 10k practice OB005 = 13pt = £2900

Cohort 1+2 =15+25patients

Initiation £200-400 in first year

Minimum cost £8000



# Contract – Essential Services

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The Contractor must provide:

(a) services required for the management of the Contractor's *registered patients* and *temporary residents* who are, or believe themselves to be:

(i) ill with conditions from which recovery is generally expected;

(ii) terminally ill; or

(iii) suffering from chronic *disease*,

which are delivered in the manner determined by the Contractor's *practice* in discussion with the patient;

Apart from a few limited circumstances it does not require us to seek out patients not presenting there is nothing in the contract that requires us to take 'a referral' from secondary care. Whilst repeating a non urgent test for an episode of care is appropriate, long term proactive follow up of anything is not contractual

# PIFU- Patient Initiated follow-up

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Increasing problem with this

More patients will be on this

Raised with Hospital that it should be clearly stated length of PIFU and how to activate

Patient information about this is being reviewed by the Trust.

# PDA and MOS

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- Historically has ranged between £9-£12pp
- Medicines optimisation has been separated and the LMC is currently in dispute about this as the funding has been reduced by approximately £4.50 per patient
- Do not sign up to anything without further discussion
- Scheme similar to previous years but we have reduced Clinical Pharmacy capacity and funding only £1.56
- For an average practice this would fund about ½ a day of admin/reception time per week. Therefore as currently proposed we would suggest practices should strongly consider not signing up.

# Script switch

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Script switch will be changing to OptimiseRX in line with SY  
The LMC feels this is valuable for safety alerts - CA  
If signing up to the MOS there is a target for accepting  
recommendations  
Would like feedback about participating in drug switches  
otherwise  
All alerts for Barnsley can be lifted into the new system,  
There will be webinars or there are 4 minute YouTube videos  
about the new system

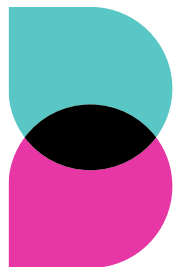
# List Cleansing

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- Regulations changed last year
- FP69s are received into clinical system after 3 months if not rejected or approved the pt is deregistered automatically
- List sizes fallen by 350,000 across the country
- Would be helpful to know the impact on list sizes locally as potentially around 3-5% loss of income

**Thank you for listening.**

**Questions?**



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