Deadline for submission of local variations

Under the 2019/20 national tariff, commissioners have a duty to submit details of agreed national tariff variations to NHS Improvement. This includes variations away from the blended payment for emergency care. The deadline for submissions is 30 June 2019, any variations agreed after this date should be submitted within 30 days of the agreement. The local variations template has been simplified for this year and is available on the NHS Improvement website. Submitted variations will be made available for all stakeholders to review and learn from. Any queries should be directed to pricing@improvement.nhs.uk.

Announcements

Monthly bulletin from Public Health England’s National Mental Health Dementia and Neurology Intelligence Network (NMHDNIN)

The monthly bulletin from Public Health England’s National Mental Health Dementia and Neurology Intelligence Network (NMHDNIN) provides the latest news on their data tools and resources. These have been designed to support commissioners, policy makers and health professionals to improve services and outcomes, and reduce the negative impact of mental health, dementia and neurological problems. Information available from the network includes: Fingertips data profiles (a range of local data) and analysis of key issues (including mental health inequalities). Subscribe to the monthly e-bulletin by selecting ‘National Mental Health Dementia and Neurology Intelligence Network’.

Events

Health and Care Innovation Expo 2019

Registration is now open for this year’s Health and Care Innovation Expo, the biggest NHS led event of the year. This year’s Expo will focus on bringing the NHS Long Term Plan to life and give an insight into the latest NHS and social care plans, as well as a chance to meet the people leading transformation. Expo inspires leaders and clinicians to make improvements for patients and service users – almost three-quarters pledge to start new projects or initiatives after visiting. It unites people from right across the health and social care sector to share perspectives, learn from one another, and find solutions. Don’t forget to tweet us @ExpoNHS when you register and tell us why you’re attending Expo 2019. Please use the hashtag #ExpoUnites.

CCG 360° stakeholder survey 2018/19 – Webinars

The national report of the CCG 360° stakeholder survey 2018/19 will be published on the NHS England website soon. Alongside this report, there will be an annex of case studies from CCGs which have performed well in the survey. This is designed to share good practice in engaging stakeholders for adoption by others. The survey findings and learning from the case studies will be presented in two webinars for CCGs and NHS England staff. Please join us either on 4 July (15:00 – 16:00) or 9 July (10:00 – 11:00).

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