

To: Community Pharmacies

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Dear Colleague

COMPLIANCE SUPPORT/ MEDICINES ADHERENCE PAYMENTS

For a number of years, HSCB has been recognising the provision of medicines adherence support by pharmacies through two tranches of funding:

- Compliance Support: £2m per year
- Medicines Adherence: £2m per year

This funding is allocated on a monthly basis using a mixture of prescription volume and demographic information. At the beginning of each financial year, HSCB updates the funding formula and the purpose of this letter is to notify you that for 2019/20 these changes have been taken forward. Contractors may note a small change to either the Compliance Support or Medicines Adherence payments in the monthly schedule they receive from BSO.

Yours sincerely,



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