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To: All Community Pharmacists

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Dear colleague

Change to the Cannon Hygiene Waste Disposal Contract

HSCB wish to advise contractors about a change in relation to contract with Cannon Hygiene for pharmaceutical waste collection and disposal.

Prior to March 2019, the HSCB contract with Cannon Hygiene was for the collection and disposal of two sizes of bins (1.0 Litre and 22 Litre Pharma bins) only. Whilst Cannon Hygiene did collect other size bins, this was outside their contract scope and HSCB was being charged additional fees above the original agreed contract prices. This issue was highlighted to Cannon Hygiene during routine contract management review with HSCB.

Following this review meeting, HSCB were made aware by a number of contractors that Cannon Hygiene would not collect any size bins other than those on the contract.

In response to the contractor feedback, HSCB reviewed the contract scope and the following bins have now been added to the contract:-

0.6l orange sharps	5l orange sharps
0.6l purple sharps	5l purple sharps
1.8l orange sharps	7l orange sharps
1.8l purple sharps	7l purple sharps
2.4l orange sharps	8l orange sharps
2.4l purple sharps	8l purple sharps
2.5l orange sharps	9l orange sharps
2.5l purple sharps	9l purple sharps
4l orange sharps	11.5l orange sharps
4l purple sharps	11.5l purple sharps



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Any queries in relation to waste collection via Cannon Hygiene should be directed to Tracy McAlorum at Tracy.McAlorum@hscni.net