# NHS Rotherham Clinical Commissioning Group

Primary Care Sub Group – 29 January 2020 Primary Care Committee – 12 February 2020

# Local Enhanced Services (LES) and Local Incentive Scheme (LIS) – 2020/21

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### Purpose:

Approval of existing Local Enhanced Services for 2020/21 for primary care (including pharmacists and optometrists) and the Local Incentive Scheme.

## Background:

Existing local enhanced services and incentive schemes are reviewed each year to ensure the intended benefits of the scheme are being achieved, the service is still required, any amendments to clinical practice have been incorporated and its cost effectiveness.

## Analysis of key issues and of risks GP Local Enhanced Services (LES)

Rotherham CCG has a set of local enhanced services which it has reviewed. Rotherham CCG has agreed with LMC colleagues that for any future LES, participation is required by 75% of practices for the LES to be included as a mandated LES.

The local enhanced schemes for GPs have all been received by LMC on the 9 December 2019 with feedback provided via LMC Officers on the 23 December 2019. All GP LES Specifications were approved at Primary Care Committee in January 2020.

 PSA - Benign Prostatic Hyperplasia (BPH) element of the PSA Specification required a further clinical conversation between LMC and CCG Officers. After discussions with the LMC, the CCG is proposing continuation with this service as currently specified. There would be an ongoing clinical review of the cohort of patients falling under the BPH element, to determine whether the scheme continues to be appropriate for the management of these patients.

## **Pharmacy Local Enhanced Schemes**

The following local enhanced scheme for pharmacies have not been changed and are attached under Appendices A and B:

- Provision of Palliative Care Drugs
- Labelling Over the Counter (OTC) medication scheme



Due to lack of activity, and in consultation and agreement with the Local Pharmaceutical Committee (LPC) and approval at Medicines Management Committee in January 2020, the following service will not be re-contracted for 2020/21:

## • Blood Glucose Meter Review

## Local Incentive Scheme (LIS)

Rotherham CCG has a local incentive scheme for GP practices in place which has been reviewed for 2020/21. Under NHS England and NHS Improvement's 'Investment and Evolution: A five-year framework for GP contract reform to implement The NHS Long Term Plan' programme the introduction of Primary Care Networks and associated funding has meant the requirement to attend a monthly locality meeting is no longer applicable. Therefore this element of the LIS has been removed.

The proposed revisions are attached in Appendix C.

### Patient, Public and Stakeholder Involvement:

Pharmacy LES specifications have been developed in conjunction with the Local Pharmacy Committee.

### Equality Impact:

N/A

**Financial Implications:** 

Within the funding arrangements for primary care.

Human Resource Implications:

N/A

**Procurement Advice:** 

N/A

**Data Protection Impact Assessment** 

N/A

#### Approval history:

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**Recommendations:** 

That the committee approve the content of the paper.

Paper is for Approval

