

Pharmacy Services Release 5.3

Summary of Changes

Pharmacy Services release 5.3 contains the following new features and improvements:

Hypertension Case-Finding Service

- **MYS Portal** - We have undertaken background development to ensure **Hypertension Case-Finding Service** claims can be automatically submitted to the Manage Your Service (MYS) Portal from 1st September 2023.
- **Method of Entry** - You can now select from the following extra method of entry options:
 - Patient self referral
 - Referred by COVID vaccination centre
 - Referred by optician
 - Referred by dentist
- **Clinician Details** - The **Pharmacist Details** section is now named **Clinician Details** and has been moved to the bottom of the **Hypertension Case-Finding Service** screens. You can now also select the clinician role as either a **Pharmacist** or a **Pharmacy Technician**:

Clinician Details

Role

Pharmacist Pharmacy Technician

First Name Surname

GPHC Number

- **Healthy Living Advice** - The **Healthy Living Advice** section is now mandatory when recording a Normal Blood Pressure rating in either the initial **Consultation** session, or the **ABPM Follow Up** session:

Clinic Blood Pressure Check

91/61mmHg
NORMAL BLOOD PRESSURE

A blood pressure between 90/60mmHg and 139/89mmHg is considered normal.

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Healthy Living Advice

Please select at least one piece of advice

- Diet & nutrition
- Sodium/salt
- Caffeine
- Alcohol
- Smoking
- Physical activity
- Referral to a local Healthy Living service

Additional Comments (Optional)

Weight management has been removed from the **Healthy Living Advice** section.

- **Pulse Reading** - You must now enter a pulse reading on the **Add Blood Pressure Readings** screen:

Add Blood Pressure Readings ✕

i Please take at least one reading from each of the patient's arms, in line with NICE GUIDELINES

Reading 1

Arm ▼

Systolic Reading

Diastolic Reading

Reading 2

Arm ▼

Systolic Reading

Diastolic Reading

ADD ADDITIONAL READING

Pulse Reading

Irregular Pulse Detected

CANCEL

CONTINUE

- **ABPM Pulse Reading** - You must now enter an average pulse reading on the **Add ABPM Readings** screen when completing an **ABPM Follow Up** session:

Add ABPM Readings ✕

Average Daytime ABPM Reading

Systolic Reading

Diastolic Reading

Average Night-time ABPM Reading

Systolic Reading

Diastolic Reading

Average 24-Hour ABPM Reading

Systolic Reading

Diastolic Reading

Average Pulse Reading

CANCEL

SUBMIT READING

- **Irregular Pulse Detected** - The pulse reading value now displays on the tile when detecting an irregular pulse in the initial **Consultation** session:

Clinic Blood Pressure Check

111 BPM

IRREGULAR PULSE

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⚠ Irregular pulse has been identified
Refer patient to their registered GP or another healthcare provider for a same day appointment

This release also includes some background fixes and improvements to **Pharmacy Services**.

See [Hypertension Case-Finding Service](#) on the **Pharmacy Services Help Centre** for more details.