

Lincolnshire LMC Weekly Update - 18/06/2021

Lincolnshire LMC's weekly update is an overview of our published information relevant to practices.

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LMC Important Updates

New Infographics added: This week we have added three more infographics for practices to use, these can be found on our webpage: www.lincslmc.co.uk/generalpracticeinfographics

Infographics added: 'Be kind to our staff', 'Insect bites' & 'Hay fever'

Please be kind to our staff

We are extremely busy

We are trying our best to help you

Whether it's over the phone or face-to-face, please be kind and respectful to our staff.

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Hay fever

Hay fever occurs due to pollen allergy in summer months.

Symptoms include sneezing, coughing, runny nose and itchy eyes.

Symptoms can be unpleasant and may last weeks or months.

No investigations are usually necessary for hay fever.

Please try self-management techniques for hay fever symptoms which can be found here <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/hay-fever/>

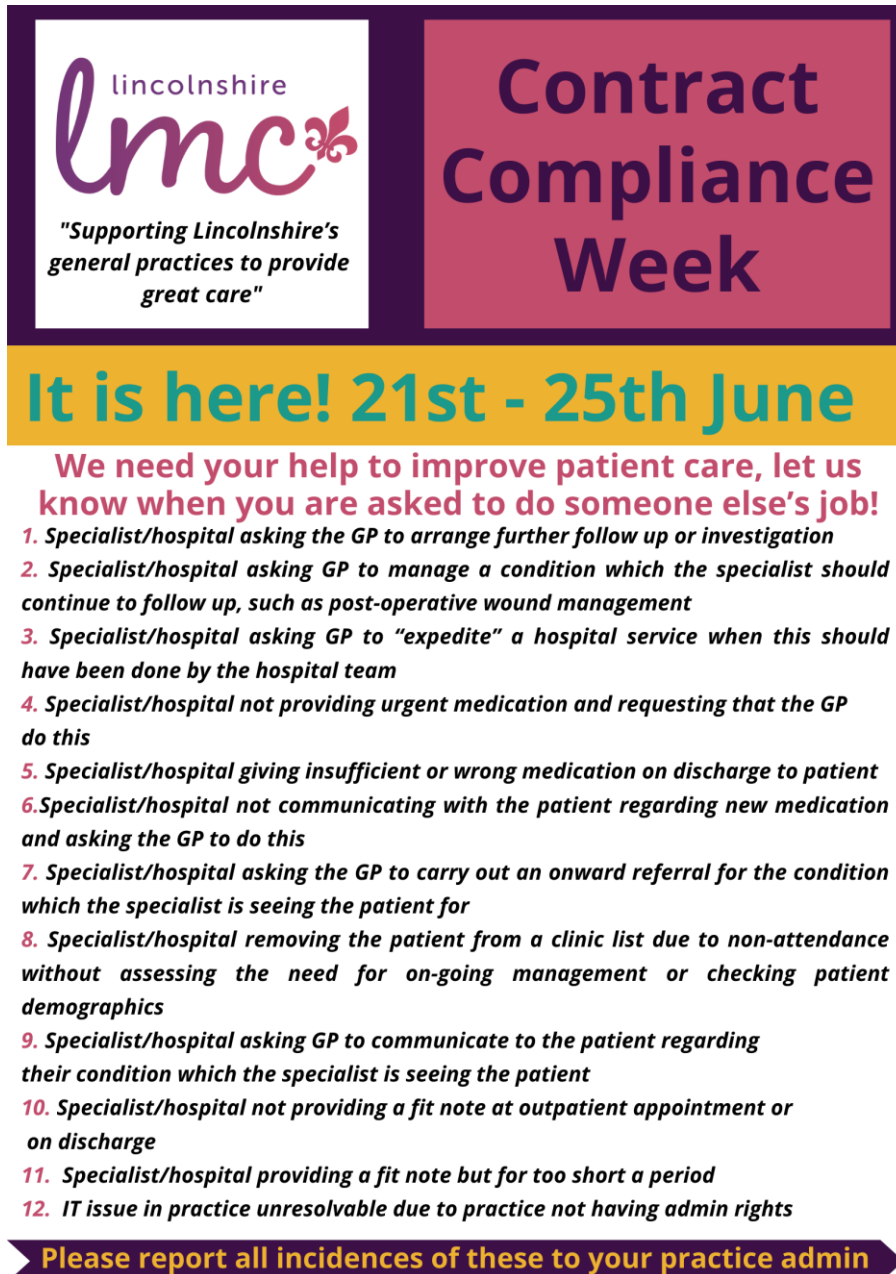
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If you have ideas for new infographics that other practices could use, please email us at: info@lincslmc.co.uk

Contract compliance week:

Contract compliance week is almost here and to help ensure you are fully prepared, we have created a poster which lists all the contract noncompliance that can be captured. Please feel free to share this poster with your colleagues and add it to your desktop for reference.

The graphic is a poster for Contract Compliance Week. It features a white box on the left with the Lincolnshire LMC logo and a quote. To the right is a purple box with the text 'Contract Compliance Week'. Below these is a yellow banner with the dates 'It is here! 21st - 25th June'. The main body of the poster is white with a list of 12 items. At the bottom is a purple arrow pointing right with the text 'Please report all incidences of these to your practice admin'.

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Contract Compliance Week

It is here! 21st - 25th June

We need your help to improve patient care, let us know when you are asked to do someone else's job!

- 1. Specialist/hospital asking the GP to arrange further follow up or investigation**
- 2. Specialist/hospital asking GP to manage a condition which the specialist should continue to follow up, such as post-operative wound management**
- 3. Specialist/hospital asking GP to "expedite" a hospital service when this should have been done by the hospital team**
- 4. Specialist/hospital not providing urgent medication and requesting that the GP do this**
- 5. Specialist/hospital giving insufficient or wrong medication on discharge to patient**
- 6. Specialist/hospital not communicating with the patient regarding new medication and asking the GP to do this**
- 7. Specialist/hospital asking the GP to carry out an onward referral for the condition which the specialist is seeing the patient for**
- 8. Specialist/hospital removing the patient from a clinic list due to non-attendance without assessing the need for on-going management or checking patient demographics**
- 9. Specialist/hospital asking GP to communicate to the patient regarding their condition which the specialist is seeing the patient**
- 10. Specialist/hospital not providing a fit note at outpatient appointment or on discharge**
- 11. Specialist/hospital providing a fit note but for too short a period**
- 12. IT issue in practice unresolvable due to practice not having admin rights**

Please report all incidences of these to your practice admin

If you have any questions about contract compliance week, please feel free to contact:

Email: rosa.wyldeman@nhs.net

New Guidance

Our Guidance section is updated weekly and can be found at: www.linclsmc.co.uk/guidance

This week's guidance articles are as follows, for the full guidance please click on the links below:

- **Booking 111 appointments** - www.linclsmc.co.uk/booking111appointments
- **New enhanced services** - www.linclsmc.co.uk/twonewenhancedservicesavailablefrom1july2021
- **CQC new monitoring approach for GP practices** - www.linclsmc.co.uk/cqcnewmonitoringapproachforgp practices

FAQ Updates

COVID-19 FAQs

We update our COVID-19 FAQ document weekly, with relevant and helpful information. To view our past and current COVID-19 FAQ documents please go to: www.linclsmc.co.uk/covid19

Most recent COVID-19 FAQ Document: [Lincolnshire LMC FAQs Updated 18.06.2021](#)

FAQs updated in this most recent document:

- Will there be further funding for PCN Clinical Director support for quarter 2?
- What is the maximum period for COVID vaccination claims?
- How many point of care systems can a PCN use?

Webinars & Podcasts

Lincolnshire LMC has produced a range of educational webinars and podcast directed at practice members. To find out more please go to: www.linclsmc.co.uk/educationalwebinars for webinars and www.linclsmc.co.uk/podcasts for our podcasts.

Our most recent webinars and podcasts:

- **Webinar - Dementia Pathway** - Supporting documents have been added - www.linclsmc.co.uk/dementiawebinars
- **Podcast - Episode 10: Performance Matters - Interruptions** - www.linclsmc.co.uk/lmcpodcastprevious episodes
- **Podcast - Episode 11: Performance Matters - Travelling abroad with medications** - www.linclsmc.co.uk/podcasts

Training and Upcoming Events

You can book onto any of our training or events through: www.linclmc.co.uk/events

Below are our upcoming events, to book onto these events please click the links below:

- **Thursday 1st July: An evening with: Consultant psychiatrists, Adaeze Bradshaw & Suneetha Siddabattuni: Managing Eating Disorders in Young People and Adults**
- **Thursday 6th July: CQC Event** - A virtual event with the Lincolnshire CQC team to update practices about future plans
- **Thursday 25th November: Lincolnshire LMC GP Conference**

LMC Monthly Newsletter

To view our **May 2021 newsletter** please go to: www.linclmc.co.uk/newsletters

Lincolnshire LMC Committee Meeting:

The next Lincolnshire LMC committee meeting is scheduled for: **Thursday 8th July 2021.**

Guests for the next LMC Committee Meeting are: The **We Are With You** organisation.

If you would like to attend the next committee meeting, please contact: info@linclmc.co.uk

There is a limited number of attendees for each committee meeting so please contact us as soon as possible.