

**NHS DORSET CLINICAL COMMISSIONING GROUP  
PRIMARY CARE COMMISSIONING COMMITTEE  
SUMMARY OF 2017/18 GMS / PMS AND APMS CONTRACT CHANGES**

<b>Date of the meeting</b>	07/06/2017
<b>Author</b>	L Hill, Principal Primary Care Lead
<b>Purpose of Report</b>	For the Committee to note changes to the GMS contract.
<b>Recommendation</b>	The Committee is asked to <b>note</b> the report.
<b>Stakeholder Engagement</b>	Primary Care Operations Group
<b>Previous GB / Committee/s, Dates</b>	N/A

**Monitoring and Assurance Summary**

<b>This report links to the following Strategic Principles</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Services designed around people</li> <li>• Preventing ill health and reducing inequalities</li> <li>• Sustainable healthcare services</li> <li>• Care closer to home</li> </ul>		
	<b>Yes</b> [e.g. ✓]	<b>Any action required?</b>	
		<b>Yes</b> Detail in report	<b>No</b>
All three Domains of Quality (Safety, Quality, Patient Experience)	✓		✓
Board Assurance Framework Risk Register	✓		✓
Budgetary Impact	✓		✓
Legal/Regulatory	✓		✓
People/Staff	✓		✓
Financial/Value for Money/Sustainability	✓		✓
Information Management & Technology	✓		✓
Equality Impact Assessment	✓		✓
Freedom of Information	✓		✓
<b>I confirm that I have considered the implications of this report on each of the matters above, as indicated</b>	✓		

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## 1. Introduction

- 1.1 NHS England (NHSE) in February 2017 set out a summary of the key changes to the General Medical Services (GMS) contract in England for 2017/18. These changes have been agreed between NHS Employers, on behalf of NHSE and the General Practitioners Committees (GPC) of the British Medical Association.
- 1.2 Following the changes agreed to the GMS contract for 2017/18, NHSE set out the approach to the funding changes that will be applied to Personal Medical Services (PMS) and Alternative Provider Medical services (APMS) contracts.
- 1.3 Changes are effective from 1 April 2017.

## 2. Summary of the key changes

- 2.1 Appendix 1, 'Summary of 2017/18 GMS contract negotiations' provides a summary detailing GMS changes in the following areas;
  - Contract uplift and expenses;
  - Enhanced services;
  - Identification and management of patients with frailty;
  - Data collection;
  - Registration of prisoners;
  - Access to healthcare;
  - General Practitioner retention scheme;
  - Sickness leave reimbursement;
  - Parental leave reimbursement;
  - Vaccination and immunisations;
  - Business Improvement District (BID) levies;
  - GMS Digital.
- 2.2 Appendix 2, 'Implementing the 2017/18 GP Contract - Changes to PMS and APMS contracts', sets out the following funding changes:
  - Increases to GMS global sum;
  - Increase to PMS and APMS contracts;
  - Out of Hours (OOH) 'opt out' deduction;

- Other funding changes:
  - \* Quality and Outcomes Framework (QOF);
  - \* Care Quality Commission (CQC) and BID fees.
- The CCG is working closely with NHSE, LMC and relevant CCG colleagues from Quality and Finance to make sure that practices are aware of these changes and any impact resulting these are addressed.

### **3. Conclusion**

- 3.1 The Committee is asked to note the changes to the General Medical Services (GMS) contract in England for 2017/18.

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<b>APPENDICES</b>	
<b>Appendix 1</b>	Summary of 2017/18 GMS contract negotiations
<b>Appendix 2</b>	Implementing the 2017/18 GP contract- Changes to PMS and APMS contracts