

Forward Work Programme & Progress Report for Notts APC

If you would like to be part of the consultation, would like to comment on the prioritisation or think there is something missing – please contact us at nnicb-nn.nottsapc@nhs.net

Medicine or guideline	Indication	Review / Update / Submission	Status
July Guidelines meeting			
Aminosaliclates in IBD in Adults - Information Sheet (July 25)	Gastro	Update	In progress
Cluster Headaches - Home Oxygen Pathway (July 25)	Neurology	Update	In progress
Midodrine Monitoring guidance (May 25)	Cardiology	Update	
Diagnosis of UTI - Quick Reference Guide	Antimicrobial	Proposal to retire	May 25
Scabies	Antimicrobial	NICE update	In progress
C diff	Antimicrobial	Minor change re Vanc liquid	In progress
Acute sinusitis	Antimicrobial	Update	May 2025
Chronic bacterial sinusitis	Antimicrobial	Update	May 2025
Tuberculosis	Antimicrobial	Update	Jul 2025
Currently in development			
Vitamin B12	Haem	Update	Out for final e mail ratification
Palforzia	Nut allergy	NICE TA	Update on service provision awaited
Asthma in children and young people (March 25)			
Growth Hormone SCP (July 25)	Paediatrics	Update	Discussions around service delivery ongoing.
Acute cough/bronchitis (May 25)	Antimicrobial	Update	
Acute sinusitis (May 25)	Antimicrobial	Update	
Chronic bacterial sinusitis (May 25)	Antimicrobial	Update	
Aspirin for lynch syndrome	Cancer prevention		Patient information and standard comms being developed
Acute Pyelonephritis in Adults	Antimicrobial	Update	May 25
Complicated UTI	Antimicrobial	Update	May 25
Hidradenitis suppurativa	Antimicrobial	Spirolactone and Metformin awaiting submission Proposal for A3 on rifampicin with clindamycin	
Headache pathway	neurology	Update	Update to reflect updated NICE guidance
Sativex	MS	Formulary submission	Financial sign off being requested
Linzagolix and Ryeqo	Endometriosis and Uterine fibroids	Formulary submission/ traffic light reclassification	Pathway redesign required

This document is updated monthly and may become out of date quite quickly.

Last updated 01/07/25

APC Guidelines due to expire (next 6 months)			
High-Cost Medicines Algorithms (April 24)	Prescribing	Update	Extended to Sept 25
Statin Intolerance Pathway (Jan 24)	CV	Update	Awaiting national update
Omeprazole liquid algorithm (Dec 24)	Paeds	Update/extend review date if not significant changes?	Working with paed specialists
Allergic Rhinoconjunctivitis Primary Care Pathway		Update	March 25
End of Life Guidance (extended to December 25)	Prescribing	Update	Awaiting outcome from children's review
HRT formulary choices summary (June 25)	Gynaecology	Update	More comprehensive HRT guidance in development
Bronchiectasis Self management plan (June 25)	Respiratory		
COPD self management plan (June 25)	Respiratory		
Transgender collaborative care protocol and prescribing information (July 25)	Endocrine	Update	To delay to the end of the year in line with national
Valproate SCP (July 25)	MSO	Update	System-wide working gp
Bariatric Surgery - Monitoring and Medication Post Surgery (Sept 25)			
Antidepressants in Primary Care - Prescribing, Stopping & Swapping (Sept 25)			
Overarching Pain Guidelines - Management of Chronic Pain in Adults (Sept 25)			
Desmopressin (Noqdirna) Prescribing Information Sheet (Sept 25)			
Eye Lubricant formulary and prescribing advice (Oct 25)			Escalated as a system wide efficiencies project
Alcohol Dependence Guideline (oct 25)	Dependence	Update	awaiting national update
Type 2 diabetes guideline (Nov 25)	Diabetes	Update	NICE updating-date TBC
Inappropriate request template letter (Nov 25)			
Sick day rules and patient leaflet (Nov 25)			
HRT guidelines	Menopause	NEW	