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**Holding Statement: NICE NG28 (Type 2 Diabetes)**

**Subject:** *NICE Type 2 Diabetes Guideline (NG28) – Temporary Pause on Local Implementation*

NHS Derbyshire, Lincolnshire and Nottinghamshire ICBs welcome the publication of the updated **NICE Type 2 Diabetes Guideline (NG28)**, which represents an important and positive development in the management of Type 2 diabetes and improving outcomes for our population. The recommendations available at: <https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng28> underscore the ongoing national commitment to strengthening evidence based personalised diabetes care.

At this stage, we ask **all practices and clinicians to pause local implementation of the updated NG28 recommendations**. The three ICB cluster is currently working jointly to:

- review the guideline in full,
- assess the implications for our pathways and workforce, and
- ensure that adoption is feasible **within the available financial envelope** across Derbyshire, Lincolnshire and Nottinghamshire.

This coordinated approach is essential to support equity, sustainability, and consistency across the system.

We anticipate issuing a further update and an agreed implementation plan once this system level work has concluded.

Thank you for your patience and continued commitment to high quality diabetes care. If you have urgent queries or want to be part of the working group, please contact your local ICB diabetes or medicines optimisation lead.