For the attention of Community Pharmacies providing the Spring 2025 COVID-19 Community Pharmacy Vaccine Service (CPVS):

Update Three: 11th June 2025

1. **URGENT Reminder: Vaccine Stock is Available**

Community Pharmacies are contracted to deliver the Spring CPVS for the <u>duration of the campaign</u>, if you have demand for vaccination and need to increase your quota to order more stock please email <u>Grainne.McMahon4@hscni.net</u>

The CPVS should continue to be offered by contracted pharmacies until the **end date of 30**th **June 2025**.

As per the CPVS service specification: If the pharmacy temporarily or permanently ceases to provide the service, they must notify the SPPG immediately.

Where a community pharmacy is unable to vaccinate a patient, they should be signposted to an alternative provider, details are available at: https://vaccinations.covid-19.hscni.net/location-search

2. Spring 2025 COVID-19 Vaccination in Care Homes

We are now entering the last weeks of the Spring 2025 COVID-19 Community Pharmacy Vaccination Service. Please ensure all Care Homes have their vaccinations completed by the end of the programme.

- If there are any outstanding vaccination records, these should be added to VMS as a matter of urgency.
- Please see the recent <u>learning letter</u> published by SPPG which highlights the risk associated with delayed recording on VMS.

Important Action: If you are having any issues getting care home vaccination clinics arranged please email Grainne.McMahon4@hscni.net

If you have any queries about the Community Pharmacy Vaccination Service (CPVS) please contact Greg Miller (greg.miller@hscni.net) or Grainne McMahon (Grainne.McMahon4@hscni.net).

Regards,

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