

SECTION D Commissioning Landscape Local Authorities – Public Health Commissioning.

Introduction

The Local Authorities (LAs) in England took on responsibility for commissioning the majority of public health services from 1st April 2013. Each LA has a **Health and Wellbeing Board (HWB) which provides strategic oversight and bringing together all the local commissioners.**

- HWBs have a responsibility for producing the **Pharmaceutical Needs Assessment (PNA)**, this is used by NHS England improvement to **determine access to pharmaceutical services through Market entry.**
- The LAs with CCGs have **joint responsibility for producing the Joint Strategic Needs Assessment (JSNA)**, through the HWB; the JSNA helps to determine the PNA.

In SW London there are 6 LAs, who commission public health services such as sexual health, drug misuse and stop smoking. Community Pharmacy has a major role to play in Public Health due to the access that is provided.

You should note the following

- Community Pharmacy has Public health built into the CPCF such as health promotion campaigns, sign posting and self-care.
- Community pharmacy offers the best public access to patients which offer potential for public health interventions.
- It is important you understand the role of Community Pharmacy and Public health and the local health needs of your area i.e. non-English speakers, long term conditions and patient access to health services.
- **The PNAs will determine the need for Community Pharmacy services- make sure to get involved in the consultation and read the PNA to understand what the local needs where your pharmacy is located.**
- **Some of the new services in the CPCF have a public health prevention role i.e. stop smoking, needle exchange.**

This guide is split into each LA borough, showing what services are commissioned, the commissioner contact and how you get accredited.


For further Reference guide to Local authorities

<https://psnc.org.uk/the-healthcare-landscape/healthcare-whos-who/local-authorities-local-government/>

<https://psnc.org.uk/psncs-work/communications-and-lobbying/working-with-local-authorities/>




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Service (embed SLA)	Description	Fee	Accreditation
<p>Sexual Health</p>  <p>Enhanced Pharmacy - Service Specification \</p> <p>Carol Foley Commissioning Manager (Health, Prevention and Wellbeing) carol.foley@sutton.gov.uk</p>	<p>1st October 2017– 1st October 2019. Integrated sexual Health service</p> <p>Stage 1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Increase access to Chlamydia screening for sexually active men and women, between the ages of 15-24 ● To offer all patients including those under the age of 15 years, who are requesting EHC. ● To treat patients with confirmed uncomplicated Chlamydia aged between 15-24 years old who have a confirmed or suspected Chlamydia infection in line with the PGD. ● To increase access to the Sutton Condom Distribution (C Card) Scheme for those aged 13 – 24 years. ● To provide free EHC to all young women between the ages of 13 and up to and including to 24 years and Sutton residents over 25 UPSI or failed contraceptive method. <p>Stage 2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● To increase access to HIV testing and/ or Screening with appropriate onward referral. 	<p>Stage 1 Levonorgestrel £14.50 per consultation- Paid (regardless of whether EHC is supplied or not). £20.00- per Consultation-</p> <p>Chlamydia- test £10 per test will be given for each confirmed sample and process by the laboratory. Chlamydia treatment (15-25) £15</p> <p>Condom distribution (13-25) No fee- Condoms and supporting materials will be provided.</p> <p>Ulipristal 25+ Sutton residents £25.00- Total fee paid for consultation and provision of Ulipristal.</p> <p>Stage 2 HIV testing (18 Plus) £15</p>	<p>Pharmacists providing the service are sufficiently trained to safely deliver all aspects of the service in accordance to the service outline and training requirements outlined in Appendix . This includes the following but is not limited to:</p> <p>Counter Staff Training It is the responsibility of the pharmacy contractor to ensure that all pharmacy staff that may potentially have contact with patients are trained accordingly. This will include areas such as supplying chlamydia screening kits, provision of the Sutton Condom Distribution (C-Card) Scheme, confidentiality, alternative services in the area, how to seek urgent advice and communicating appropriately with patients looking to access the service (in accordance with the “You’re Welcome Quality Criteria – making health services young people friendly”).</p>





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<p>Stop Smoking</p>  <p>Service Spec - Sutton FINAL .docx.pdf</p> <p>Donna Wiggins Commissioning Manager (Health, Prevention and Wellbeing) Donna Wiggins donna.wiggins@sutton.gov.uk</p>	<p>The Service is fully available to residents of Sutton aged 16 and over.</p> <p>The service covers counselling in stages and supply of NRT.</p> <p>IT platform pharmoutcomes.</p>	<p>A payment of £15.00 will be made for each new client accessing the Service who receives an Initial Assessment, (20 mins)</p> <p>Following the Initial Assessment, further weekly one to one sessions (10 – 15 mins long) should be organised post quit date to support the individual’s attempts to remain abstinent</p> <p>A payment of £40.00 will be made for every patient who has successfully quit at 4 weeks post quit date.</p> <p>A payment of £5 will be made for every patient who self-reports having quit at 4 weeks but without CO validation</p> <p>NRT- A payment of £1.00 will be made where one or more NRT products were dispensed during a face to face session</p>	<p>All Pharmacy staff (including locums) delivering the Service shall successfully complete an approved or accredited training programme and should be able to demonstrate their competency in providing smoking cessation interventions.</p> <p>Pharmacists shall be responsible for identifying their own learning needs and recording their CPD.</p> <p>Pharmacists must undertake the interventions directly and not involve any unauthorized third parties.</p> <p>Free e learning for smoking cessation available at: elearning.ncsct.co.uk</p>



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<p>Drug misuse- Needle exchange.</p>  <p>Service specification - needle syringe progra</p> <p>Lindi Smith-Cox Borough Manager Cranstoun Group lsmith-cox@cranstoun.org.uk</p>	<p>1st April 2022 – 31st March 2026</p> <p>The Service will be open to anyone aged 18 or over, who is a London Borough of Sutton resident and who is an injecting user of illicit drugs.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Reduce the rate of sharing and other high-risk injecting behaviours amongst service users ● Promote safe injecting practices and overdose prevention and reduce the BBBV risk. ● Ensure the safe disposal of used injecting equipment. ● Provide a point of referral into the specialist drug and alcohol services. 	<p>There will be a payment of £2.45 per transaction (one transaction is classified as the dispensing of any number of packs and advice to one service user at one time, as well as receiving returned used equipment for clinical waste disposal).</p>	<p>The Service Provider shall ensure that all pharmacists and staff involved relevant knowledge and have completed the suitable training. Orion Medical Supplies Ltd offer free e-learning training via the following link: https://www.orionmedical.co.uk/NSP-booklet/</p> <p>The Service Provider will ensure that all members of staff involved in the delivery of the Service are able to demonstrate their participation in training, and that the education and training needs of staff providing the Service are supported. Completion the most recent version of the Substance Use and Misuse open learning programme delivered by the CPPE.</p>
<p>Drug Misuse – Supervised administration</p>  <p>Service specification - supervised consumpti</p> <p>Lindi Smith-Cox Borough Manager Cranstoun Group lsmith-cox@cranstoun.org.uk</p>	<p>1st April 2022 – 31st March 2026</p> <p>The Service will be open to anyone aged 18 or over, who is a London Borough of Sutton resident and who is an injecting user of illicit drugs.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Increase service user compliance with the prescribing regime that they are on as part of an agreed treatment plan, and to increase retention in structured drug treatment. ● Reduce the overuse or underuse of prescribed substitute opiate medications ● Reduce the diversion of prescribed medications on to the illicit drugs market, through consumption. 	<p>Payment per supervision of methadone/Espranor (buprenorphine oral lyophilisate)/buprenorphine sublingual tablets £2</p>	<p>As above.</p>

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[Adult safeguarding policies and guidance](#)

[Sutton Safeguarding adult board](#)

[How we deal with safeguarding concerns](#)- Adults

If you need more information or don't understand something, you can contact the adult social care team.

- **Phone** 020 8770 5000
- **Write to us**- Sutton Council , Civic Offices, St Nicholas Way , Sutton SM1 1EA
- **Email** referralpoint@sutton.gov.uk

[Sutton Child Safeguarding](#)

- If you are worried that a child or young person is in immediate danger, call 999
- If you are worried that a child is being abused or neglected, call us on 020 8770 6001 between 9am and 5pm, Monday to Friday
- You can contact us out of hours or at the weekend on 020 8770 5000

For professionals

The Children's First Contact Service (CFCS) has been put in place to give professionals a single, quick and easy referral and assessment pathway to access Children's Social Care in the London borough of Sutton.

[Download the bite-size briefing to read about CFCS.](#)

Completing a referral form

Completing the [CFCS referral form](#) is now the quickest and easiest way to access support from Children's Services. This single referral form will be the new format for the following:

- Multi-agency Safeguarding Hub (MASH) - Referral Form
- Early Help Request
- Parenting Plus Referral
- Children with Disabilities - Access point referral

You can access a range of other information, advice and support on Sutton's Local Offer.

[Sutton Local Children Safeguarding Partnership](#)

[Find a sexual Health Service](#)

[Sutton Health & Care Sexual Health Services](#)

Public Health Publications	Resources	Training
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Sutton Pharmaceutical Needs assessment ● Sutton Joint Service Needs Assessment ● Sutton Health & Wellbeing strategy ● Sutton Health & care plan 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Sutton Information hub – connecting local residents to local services ● Love Clean Air South London Air Quality ● Young Persons Health ● Sutton Local authority information for families ● Sutton Mental Health & Well being services 	

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