

GP contract Timelines

Date	Contract Area	Description
Feb-19	2) Solving indemnity	Further steps published in next steps for practices and professionals
Mar-19	1) Addressing Workload	Model role specifications for pharmacists, social prescribers, 1st contact physio Pas and 1ST contact paramedics
Mar-19	1) Addressing Workload	baseline numbers will be collated for additional roles
Mar-19	1) Addressing Workload	Fuller guidance on introductory scheme developed and issued
Mar-19	3) Improving QoF	QoF implementation guidance release
Mar-19	4) Network Contract DES	Network agreement available
Mar-19	5) Going Digital	Next version of GP IT operating module available
Mar-19	7) Guaranteeing Investment	Premises review published
Apr-19	2) Solving indemnity	Clinical Negligence Scheme for GPs starts
Apr-19	3) Improving QoF	New QoF areas start and 2 new Quality Improvement modules introduced
Apr-19	5) Going Digital	New registrants will have access to prospective data
Apr-19	5) Going Digital	all practices to offer and promote electronic ordering of prescriptions and electronic repeat dispensing
15th May 2019	4) Network Contract DES	Practices fill in Network Contract Registration form
31st May 2019	4) Network Contract DES	CCGs confirm registration requirements have been met
Early June 2019	4) Network Contract DES	NHSE & GPC jointly work with CCGs and LMCs to resolve any issues
1st July 2019	1) Addressing Workload	Additional Role Reimbursement scheme starts
1st July 2019	1) Addressing Workload	funding released for additional roles - pharmacists and social prescribers
1st July 2019	4) Network Contract DES	"Go live" date with 100% geographical coverage
1st July 2019	5) Going Digital	Extended hours DES funding transferred to Network Contract DES
Jul-19	5) Going Digital	25% of appointments available for online booking
Oct-19	5) Going Digital	Practices to register practice email address and mobile phone number for MHRA CAS alerts
Dec-19	5) Going Digital	GP IT Futures replaces GPSoC
From 2019	5) Going Digital	No longer legal for any NHS provider to advertise or host private paid for GP services
2019	1) Addressing Workload	Designing of voluntary 2 year primary care fellowship for nursing and doctors
2019	1) Addressing Workload	Employ Clinical Pharmacists and Social prescribers
2019	5) Going Digital	Development of programme details for digitising primary care
2019	5) Going Digital	NHSE wider review of out of area registration arrangements
2019	5) Going Digital	Review of better integration of 111, urgent treatment centres and GP services
2019	6) Delivering New Network Services	review of vaccinations and immunisation review implemented
2019	7) Guaranteeing Investment	design of balancing mechanism to adjust practice level global sum and network level additional role reimbursement
2019	8) Research and testing future contract changes	develop ways of helping networks with research participation
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2019/20	1) Addressing Workload	Will be an introductory year for clinical pharmacists and social prescribers running 1st July 19 to 31st March 2020
2019/20	5) Going Digital	rurality and index payments amended and London adjustment amended
2019/20	5) Going Digital	1 practice appointment per day per 3000 patients available for 111 direct booking
2019/20	6) Delivering New Network Services	NHSE developing 7 specifications and agree with GPC in national contract negotiations ***
2019/20	7) Guaranteeing Investment	Practice staff 2% uplift
2019/20	7) Guaranteeing Investment	GPs with total NHS income >£150K will be published
2019/20	4) Network Contract DES	July to march - Year 1 of Network Contract involving 2 x additional roles, funding for clinical director ongoing £1.50 per head
Apr-20	4) Network Contract DES	Start 2020/21 Network Contract DES

Apr-20	5) Going Digital	all patients will have online access to their full medical records as a default position
Apr-20	5) Going Digital	All practices to have an up to date and informative online presence
Apr-20	5) Going Digital	No more Fax machines for sending patient data
Apr-20	6) Delivering New Network Services	every network will have data on new national network dashboard
2020	1) Addressing Workload	Employ PAs and 1st Contact Physiotherapists
2020	6) Delivering New Network Services	Investment and impact fund starts (supports ICS in delivering long term plan)
2020/21	1) Addressing Workload	Primary Care training hubs formed
2020/21	1) Addressing Workload	Each PCN will be allotted a single combined maximum sum covering all 5 additional roles
2020/21	6) Delivering New Network Services	Specifications for Structured medication reviews and enhanced health in care homes applies in full
2020/21	6) Delivering New Network Services	Development and start of personalised care and anticipatory care and supporting early cancer diagnosis
2020/21	6) Delivering New Network Services	QoF quality improvement modules developed for data on cancer diagnosis
2020/21	6) Delivering New Network Services	Envisage the access to Investment and impact fund will be an entitlement for networks
2020/21	7) Guaranteeing Investment	commencement of balancing mechanism
Apr-21	5) Going Digital	All patients will have the right to online and video consultations
Apr-21	5) Going Digital	funding for extended hours DES and extended access service will fund a single combined access offer across Network DES
Apr-21	5) Going Digital	Extended hours DES funding becomes part of combined access offer
2021	5) Going Digital	Framework available for digital suppliers to offer their platforms
2021	5) Going Digital	Development of a comprehensive and structural dataset describing access to GP services
2021	6) Delivering New Network Services	Integrated Care Systems will cover whole country
2021	1) Addressing Workload	Employ 1st Contact Paramedics
2021/22	5) Going Digital	Implementation of a single coherent access offer for physical and digital services
2021/22	6) Delivering New Network Services	start of CVD and inequalities specification
End of 2022	5) Going Digital	end of additional funding for SARs
2023	1) Addressing Workload	Full review of additional roles published
2024	1) Addressing Workload	20 000 Additional staff in primary care

*** 7 specifications are

- structured medication reviews*
- enhanced health in care homes*
- anticipatory care requirements*
- personalised care*
- supporting early cancer diagnosis*
- CVD prevention and diagnosis*
- Tackling neighbourhood inequalities*