

## KNILL JAMES GP FACTSHEET MAY 2016

### 2016/17 GP CONTRACT SUMMARY

There are few changes to the GP contract for 2016/17 with most Enhanced Services remaining as they were for the previous year.

There have been some minor changes to unplanned admissions and practices must sign up for this no later than 30 June 2016. The guidance for calculating the net GP earnings has also been updated to reflect changes in Enhanced Services.

There have been minor changes to Childhood Immunisations, Meningococcal and Pertussis requirements.

- The Global Sum per weighted patient increases from £76.51 to £80.59.
- The OOH deduction changes from 5.39% in 2015/16 to 5.15% in 2016/17.
- The item of service fee for vaccinations and immunisations increases to £9.80.
- The value of a QOF point increases to £165.18. There are no changes to indicators or thresholds.
- Payments for Unplanned Admissions will be based on a maximum of £2.87 per registered patients.
- Practices will receive £116 for each patient aged 14 or over on agreed learning disabilities register who receives a compliant health check under the Learning Disabilities ES.
- There is a transfer of £42m from the Dementia ES into core funding.
- The Extended Hours ES has not changed and practices will receive £1.90 per registered patient.

MPIG is continuing to be phased out until 2012/21 with annual reductions to the correction factor of 1/7.

Seniority is also continuing to be phased out until March 2020. There should be an annual adjustment to the global sum and the seniority scale at the beginning of the financial year. The transfer of funds will be made using estimated spend.

### How we can help

Here at Knill James we help our clients look ahead at their finances and not just at historical performance. We highlight to our GP clients changes in the NHS contract, enhanced services and rising costs that will affect them. We help them implement these changes into their budgets and cash flows so that this information can be used to help make decisions for the surgery.

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