

Pharmacy & Medicines Directorate Monthly Round-Up

Issue 6, February 2026.

Find the below important communications shared over the last month. Please be reminded that all weekly updates are uploaded to the Community Pharmacy website alongside all supporting documentation: [PCS Weekly Updates – NHS Grampian](#)

- **CO-CODAMOL SHORTAGE**
Shared on 3rd February 2026.
- **RYBELSUS® (SEMAGLUTIDE TABLETS): TRANSITION TO NEW FORMULATION AND RISK OF MEDICATION ERROR**
Shared on 3rd February 2026.
- **REMINDER: PRESCRIPTION STATIONERY – CP4/3 PAPER TYPE CHANGE**
Shared on 3rd February 2026.
- **PUBLIC HEALTH PUBLIC HEALTH CAMPAIGN CALENDAR FOR 2026**
Shared on 3rd February 2026.
- **SMOKING CESSATION: DATA SUCCESSES, LOCUM RESPONSIBILITY TO COMPLETE PCR ENTRIES**
Shared on 3rd February 2026.
- **NES PHARMACY UPDATE: FEBRUARY 2026**
Shared on 3rd February 2026.
- **NHS GRAMPIAN NEW PUBLIC HEALTH SCOTLAND DRUG ALERTS**
Shared on 10th February 2026.
- **GPHC IMPORTANT GUIDANCE ON PHARMACY CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP REQUIREMENTS**
Shared on 17th February 2026.
- **ITEMS OF LOW AND LIMITED CLINICAL VALUE – FAO PHARMACIST INDEPENDENT PRESCRIBERS (PIPS) OFFERING NHS SCOTLAND PHARMACY FIRST PLUS SERVICE**
Shared on 17th February 2026
- **ASH SCOTLAND NEW YOUTH SMOKING AND VAPING RESOURCES**
Shared on 17th February 2026.
- **PUBLIC HEALTH GOVERNMENT INITIATED POSTER CAMPAIGN UPDATE**
Shared on 17th February 2026.
- **STEROID SICK DAY RULES**
Shared on 24th February 2026.
- **HIV PRE EXPOSURE PROHYLAXIS**
Shared on 24th February 2026.