

# Health Department Weekly Bulletin



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The Health Department Weekly Bulletin is a digest of publications issued by the Department during the previous week. It is sent to Chief Executives of NHS Boards and NHS Trusts, and their public relations/corporate communications staff. It is copied to the Scottish Partnership Forum and Directors of Social Work for information.

The Bulletin will be E-Mailed weekly from the SEHD Corporate Communications Unit on a Monday morning and placed on the NHSNet (staff only) within SHOW at <http://www.show.scot.nhs.uk>

This is part of a planned programme of improvements in the way SEHD communicates with NHSScotland and its partner organisations. It means some changes to the official communications SEHD sends out and also to the way in which they are sent.

The number of circulars (HDL's, PCA's and other letters) will over time be greatly reduced and used mainly for urgent and high priority messages. These will be published on the SEHD site in SHOW and the NHS executive director responsible for acting on these will be sent a hard copy on the day of publication.

Each bulletin will carry its own reference number for ease of reference to back copies. HDLs and other coded documents will continue to have this numbering, but it is hoped in time to transfer all official communications to one new unique numbering system.

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26/9/2001	CMO Annual Report	Health in Scotland 2000 <a href="#">click here</a> to view	<b>Contact:</b> Room 1E05 SAH Ex. 42836
26/9/2001	SEHD/CMO(2001) 14	Influenza Immunisation Update <a href="#">click here</a> to view	<p><b>For action:</b> All doctors: Community Pharmacists: Trust Chief Pharmacists: Health Visitors: CPHMs/Immunisation Co-ordinators: Chief Executives of Health Boards: Chief Executives of Trusts: Chief Executives of Local Authorities.</p> <p><b>For information:</b> DsPH/CAMOs: Directors of Nursing, Health Boards: Medical Directors of NHS Trusts: Directors of Nursing Services, NHS Trusts: Directors of Occupational Health: Directors of Human Resources: Specialists in Pharmaceutical Public Health: Directors of Social Work: Scottish General Practitioners Committee: Scottish Pharmaceutical General Council: General Manager, Practitioner Services Division: Director, SCIEH.</p> <p><b>SEHD/Contact:</b> Dr E Stewart  <b>Email:</b>  <a href="mailto:dr.elizabeth.stewart@scotland.gsi.gov.uk">dr.elizabeth.stewart@scotland.gsi.gov.uk</a></p>

27/9/2001	NHS Circular PCA(P)(2001)5	Reimbursement of Scottish Drug Tariff Part 7 Items to Chemist Contractors  <a href="#">click here</a> to view	<p><b>For action:</b> Chief Executives of PCTs and IHBs: General Manager CSA: Chief Executive West Lothian Trust</p> <p><b>For Information:</b> Chief Executives of Mainland Health Boards SEHD/Contact: Mr B White</p> <p><b>SEHD/Contact:</b> Mr B White <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:blair.white@scotland.gov.uk">blair.white@scotland.gov.uk</a></p>
27/9/2001	NHS Circular PCA(P)(2001)6	Phase 2 of Scheme to Support the Creation of Areas in Community Pharmacies for the Provision of Personal Advice – 2001 – 2  <a href="#">click here</a> to view	<p><b>For action:</b> Chief Executives of PCTs and Integrated NHS Trusts: Island Health Boards: General Manager CSA</p> <p><b>For information:</b> Chief Executives of Mainland Health Boards</p> <p><b>SEHD/Contact:</b> Mr B White <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:blair.white@scotland.gov.uk">blair.white@scotland.gov.uk</a></p>

28/9/2001		<p>Investment in Primary Care: Financial Allocation</p> <p><a href="#">click here</a> to view</p>	<p><b>For information:</b> Chief Executives, PCTs: Directors of Finance, HBs: Director of Finance, PCTs: LHCC General Managers</p> <p><b>SEHD/ Contact:</b> Mr H Wilson  <a href="mailto:Hamish.wilson@scotland.gsi.gov.uk">Hamish.wilson@scotland.gsi.gov.uk</a></p>
28/9/2001		<p>National Integrated Human Resource Working Group</p> <p><a href="#">click here</a> to view</p>	<p><b>For action:</b> Chief Executives: Local Authorities: Chief Executives: NHS Boards</p> <p><b>For information:</b> Chief Executives all NHS Trusts: Council Leaders: HR Directors: Directors of Social Work</p> <p><b>SEHD/Contact:</b> Lynn Anderson  <b>Email:</b>  <a href="mailto:Lynn.Anderson@scotland.gsi.gov.uk">Lynn.Anderson@scotland.gsi.gov.uk</a></p>

5/10/2001	NHS HDL(2001)72	<p>Scottish Parliamentary and Health Service Ombudsman Annual Report 2000 – 2001</p> <p><a href="#">click here</a> to view</p>	<p><b>For action:</b> Chief Executives NHS Trusts: Chief Executives NHS Boards: General Manager State Hospitals Board for Scotland: Chief Executive SAS: General Manager CSA: Complaints Officers Health Boards and Trusts</p> <p><b>For information:</b> Chief Executive HEBS: Chief Executive Clinical Standards Board for Scotland: Executive Director SCPMDE: Director Health Technology Board for Scotland: Director SAHC: Chief Officers, Local Health Councils Members of the Scottish Partnership Forum</p> <p><b>SEHD/Contact:</b> S Fenocchi <b>Email:</b> S.Fenocchi@scotland.gsi.gov.uk</p>
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