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Item Number	Date of Issue	Subject	Policy	Detail/Action
1	6 Aug 02	<p data-bbox="501 304 1077 373">Adapting to Deliver - a Guide to the Scottish Executive Health Department</p> <p data-bbox="501 416 1180 523">A new publication which provides detail down to branch level about the current structure of the Health Department.</p> <p data-bbox="501 566 732 596">click here to view</p>		<p data-bbox="1525 304 1823 335">Category: Information</p> <p data-bbox="1525 378 2056 485">For Action: Copies of the booklet have been distributed to NHS organisations via communications managers.</p> <p data-bbox="1525 528 1989 558">For Information: For all recipients.</p> <p data-bbox="1525 601 1861 632">Responses Required? No</p> <p data-bbox="1525 675 1944 743">SEHD Contact: Lynda Sawers 0131 244 5211</p> <p data-bbox="1525 786 1966 855">Email: lynda.sawers@scotland.gsi.gov.uk</p>

2	8 Aug 02	<p>Dispensing Doctors - Dispensing Fees 2000/2001</p> <p>This letter notifies the new dispensing fee scale applicable for 2000/2001.</p> <p>click here to view</p>		<p>HDL/Other Code: PCA(M)(2002)13</p> <p>Category: Action</p> <p>For Action: Director of Practitioner Services, Common Services Agency: Chief Executives, NHS Boards, NHS Primary Care Trusts: Pharmacy Practice Division: Practitioner Services Division, Edinburgh, Glasgow & Aberdeen</p> <p>For Information: Director of Practitioner Services, Common Services Agency: Chief Executives, NHS Boards, NHS Primary Care Trusts: Pharmacy Practice Division: Practitioner Services Division, Edinburgh, Glasgow & Aberdeen</p> <p>Responses Required? No</p> <p>SEHD Contact: Kay Robinson 0131 244 2350</p> <p>Email: Kay.Robinson@scotland.gsi.gov.uk</p>
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3	12 Aug 02	<p>Access to Primary Care Services</p> <p>Primary Care Services</p> <p>Definition and arrangements for producing action plans in relation to the policy commitment given in 'Our National Health' regarding access to Primary Care Services in Scotland.</p> <p>click here to view</p>	'Our National Health'	<p>Category: Action</p> <p>For Action: Chief Executives NHS Boards</p> <p>For Information: Chief Executives Primary Care NHS Trusts: Professional Bodies: Directors/Heads within HD</p> <p>Responses Required? Yes</p> <p>Response Deadline: 20/09/2002</p> <p>SEHD Contact: Colin Brown 0131 244 2462</p> <p>Email: colin.l.brown@scotland.gsi.gov.uk</p>
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4	12 Aug 02	<p>Evans Vaccines Ltd: BCG Vaccine Intradermal, PL 18532/0009: BCG Vaccine Percutaneous, PL 18532/0010: BCG Vaccine Intradermal Isoniazid Resistant, 18532/0011</p> <p>Public Health</p> <p>Drug Alert issued from the Medicines Control Agency.</p> <p>click here to view</p>		<p>Category: Action/Information</p> <p>For Action: Medical Directors of NHS Trusts: Directors of Public Health, NHS Boards: Specialists in Pharmaceutical Public Health</p> <p>For Information: Consultants in Public Health Medicine (CD&EH): Directors of Nursing: Trust Chief Pharmacists: Infection Control Teams: Respiratory Physicians: Occupation Health Departments: Maternity Units: Chief Executives, NHS Boards: Community Pharmacists</p> <p>Responses Required? No</p> <p>SEHD Contact: Dr Elizabeth Stewart 0131 244 2158</p> <p>Email: Elizabeth.Stewart@scotland.gsi.gov.uk</p>
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