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Item Number	Date of Issue	Subject	Policy	Detail/Action
1	11 Jan 07	<p>Development of professional roles and accelerated career progression</p> <p>The purpose of this circular is to provide background information and explanation on the implementation of Annex T of the Agenda for Change Terms and Conditions Handbook across Scotland</p> <p><a href="#">click here to view</a></p>		<p><b>HDL/Other Code:</b> HDL(2007)2</p> <p><b>Category:</b> Action</p> <p><b>For Action:</b> Chairs NHS Boards and Special Health Boards, Chief Executives NHS Boards and Special Health Boards, Directors HR NHS Boards and Special Health Boards</p> <p><b>For Information:</b> Members STACC Members SPF Members SWAGG Members SPRIG</p> <p><b>Response Required:</b> No</p> <p><b>SEHD Contact:</b> Colin Cowie 0131-244 3778</p> <p><b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:Colin.cowie@scotland.gsi.gov.uk">Colin.cowie@scotland.gsi.gov.uk</a></p>

2	11 Jan 07	<p>Class 2 drug alert 1/2007 Predfoam aerosol</p> <p>Predfoam aerosol failure to deliver correct dose due to incorrect assembly.</p> <p><a href="#">click here to view</a></p>		<p><b>Category:</b> Action</p> <p><b>For Action:</b> Specialists in Pharmaceutical Public Health to forward to community pharmacists etc.</p> <p><b>For Information:</b> Chief Pharmacists</p> <p><b>Response Required:</b> No</p> <p><b>SEHD Contact:</b> Irene Foster 0131 244 2528</p> <p><b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:irene.foster@scotland.gsi.gov.uk">irene.foster@scotland.gsi.gov.uk</a></p>
3	21 Dec 06	<p>Transfer of healthcare chaplains to NHS employment</p> <p>To advise the Service that those healthcare Chaplains who minister exclusively in NHS establishments would be transferring from Church of Scotland employment to the NHS</p> <p><a href="#">click here to view</a></p>		<p><b>HDL/Other Code:</b> HDL(2006)67</p> <p><b>Category:</b> Action</p> <p><b>For Action:</b> Chief Executives, Chairs, Directors of Human Resources of NHS Health Boards and Special Health Boards</p> <p><b>For Information:</b> Partnership groups as follows: STAC; SPF; SWAG; SPRIG</p> <p><b>Response Required:</b> No</p> <p><b>SEHD Contact:</b> John Provan 0131-244-4192</p> <p><b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:john.provan@scotland.gsi.gov.uk">john.provan@scotland.gsi.gov.uk</a></p>

4	7 Dec 06	<p>General Dental Services: Amendment No.104 to the Statement of Dental Remuneration: reimbursement of practice expenses - reimbursement of rental costs: measuring NHS commitment - part-time dentists - specialist orthodontic practices</p> <p>This letter advises NHS Boards and Practitioner Services of an amendment, Amendment No.104, to the Statement of Dental Remuneration (SDR), which takes effect from 1 April 2006. It also provides an update on measuring NHS commitment for part-time dentists and specialist orthodontic practices.</p> <p><a href="#">click here to view</a></p>		<p><b>HDL/Other Code:</b> NHS: 2006 PCA(D)11</p> <p><b>Category:</b> Action: Information</p> <p><b>For Action:</b> Chief Executives, NHS Boards - Director, Practitioner Services</p> <p><b>Response Required:</b> No</p> <p><b>SEHD Contact:</b> Lynne Morrison 0131 244 2466</p> <p><b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:Lynne.A.Morrison@scotland.gsi.gov.uk">Lynne.A.Morrison@scotland.gsi.gov.uk</a></p>
5	4 Dec 06	<p>Delivering a Healthy Scotland - Meeting the Challenge</p> <p>Report outlines key achievements and progress in improving health in Scotland and tackling inequalities through a whole-Government approach taking collective responsibility for the health of the nation.</p> <p><a href="#">click here to view</a></p>		<p><b>Category:</b> For Information</p> <p><b>For Information:</b> NHS, voluntary sector, community sector, interest groups</p> <p><b>Response Required:</b> No5 Feb 07</p> <p><b>SEHD Contact:</b> Laura Ross 0131 244 5186</p> <p><b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:laura.ross@scotland.gsi.gov.uk">laura.ross@scotland.gsi.gov.uk</a></p>