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Re: Freedom of Information Request - Rebate schemes and Quality, Innovation, Productivity and Prevention (QIPP)/ efficiency saving prescribing schemes

Thank you for your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, which was received into this office on 3rd August 2020.

You Asked for:

Could you please provide me with the details of any prescribing rebate schemes and QIPP/efficiency saving prescribing schemes active within your Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) for the current financial year 2020 – 2021:

1. Current Primary Care Prescribing Rebate Schemes (2019 / 2020). (Please distinguish which rebates are aligned to Prescqipp and which are independent)
2. Which current QIPP Prescribing Schemes 2020/2021.
3. What is the current years (2020 / 2021) CCG QIPP/efficiency savings plan target for your organisation?
4. What is the value of the prescribing element for the current year (2021 / 2022) CCG QIPP/efficiency savings plan target for your organisation?
5. Does your CCG (or any of its constituent members) use the GP prescribing decision support software known as "DXS"? (As can be found here: <http://www.dxs-systems.co.uk/>)

Our Response:

1. Please see the table below:

Name of Scheme	Drug(s) Covered	Companies Involved in the Scheme	Aligned to Prescqipp	Independent of Prescqipp
Primary Care Rebate	Seretide	GSK	Y	
Primary Care Rebate	Edoxaban	Daiichi Sankyo UK Ltd	Y	
Primary Care Rebate	Contour	Ascensia	Y	
Primary Care Rebate	Gluco Rx	Gluco RX Ltd	Y	
Primary Care	Spiolto	Boehringer	Y	

Rebate				
Primary Care Rebate	Airflusal - Fospiro	Sandoz Ltd	Y	
Primary Care Rebate	Airflusal MDI	Sandoz Ltd	Y	
Primary Care Rebate	Clexane	Sanofi Aventis	Y	
Primary Care Rebate	Glucophage SR	Merck Serono Ltd	Y	
Primary Care Rebate	Lantus	Sanofi Aventis	N	
Primary Care Rebate	Firmagon	Ferring	Y	
Primary Care Rebate	Reletrans	Sandoz Ltd	Y	
Primary Care Rebate	Sitagliptin	Merck Serono Ltd	Y	
Primary Care Rebate	Alzain	Dr Reddys Laboratories (UK) Ltd	Y	
Primary Care Rebate	Glucomen	Menarinidiag	N	
Primary Care Rebate	Apidra	Sanofi	Y	
Primary Care Rebate	Clenil	Chiesi Ltd	Y	
Primary Care Rebate	Zoladex	Astra zeneca	N	
Primary Care Rebate	Sereflo	Cipla (EU) Ltd	Y	
Primary Care Rebate	Long Tec Oxycodone	QDEM	Y	
Primary Care Rebate	Rivaroxaban	Bayer Plc	N	
Primary Care Rebate	Stexerol / Colecalciferol (Vit D3)	Kyowa Kirin	N	
Primary Care Rebate	Xaggitin	Ethypharm UK Ltd	Y	
Primary Care Rebate	Aymes	Aymes International Ltd	Y	
Primary Care Rebate	Dressings	ConvaTec Ltd	Y	
Primary Care Rebate	Biquelle	Aspire Pharma Ltd	Y	
Primary Care Rebate	Pramipexole	Ethypharm UK Ltd	Y	

2. Quality, Innovation, Productivity and Prevention (QIPP) has been suspended under the current financial regime for 2020 / 2021.
3. Please see the answer for question number 2.
4. Please see the answer for question number 2.

5. NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) does not use the GP prescribing decision support software known as “DXS”.

We hope this information is useful, however if you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact a member of the Corporate Affairs Team (contact details at the top of this letter)

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