

# **Medicines management**

Prescribing, Patient Group Direction (PGD) and Vaccine Incident Resources

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### General

- British National Formulary
- <u>electronic medicines compendium</u>
- Medicines & Healthcare products Regulatory Agency (MHRA)

### **Nurse and Pharmacist Prescribers**

- Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC): Standards of proficiency for nurse and midwife prescribers
- General Pharmaceutical Council (GPhC): Pharmacist Independant Prescriber
- Royal Pharmaceutical Society: Competency framework for all prescribers

## **Patient Group Directions**

- Practice Nursing publication: Best practice for medicines management and vaccination
- British Medical Association (BMA): Advice on the use of PGD and PSD in general practice
- Care Quality Commission (CQC): Patient Group Directions (PGDs)/Patient Specific Directions (PSDs)
- MHRA: Patient Group Directions: who can use them?
- NHS England: Vaccine PGDs
- National Institute of Health and Care Excellence (NICE) guidance: Patient group directions
- NICE: Patient Group Directions -Tools and Resources
- Specialist Pharmacy Service: What is a Patient Group Direction?

# **Vaccine Incident Guidance**

• <u>UK Health Security Agency: Vaccine incident guidance: responding to vaccine errors</u>

#### REFERENCES

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