#### Chief Medical Officer Directorate

Pharmacy and Medicines Division



Dear Colleague

# COMMUNITY PHARMACY PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE POSTER CAMPAIGNS 2017-18

## **Summary**

- 1. This Circular advises NHS Boards and community pharmacy contractors of Public Health Service (PHS) poster campaign topics for the remainder of 2017-18.
- 2. The campaign schedule is attached at the **Annex** to this circular.

### **Background**

- 3. Tactical Media will distribute the materials to community pharmacies at the appropriate times.
- 4. Any broken PHS poster holders should be reported directly to Tactical Media for repair/replacement either by telephoning 0800 694 0810 or emailing <a href="mailto:cps@tacticalmedia.co.uk">cps@tacticalmedia.co.uk</a>.
- 5. The content of this Circular has been agreed with Community Pharmacy Scotland.

#### Action

6. NHS Boards are asked to copy this Circular to all community pharmacy contractors on their pharmaceutical list.

Yours sincerely

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# Public Health Service Poster Campaigns 2017-18\*

May - 1 October	Minor Ailment Service**
2 October – 26 November	Antimicrobial resistance
27 November – January 2018	Be Healthwise this Winter
January - February 2018	Smoking cessation
February - April 2018	Be Healthwise this Easter

# Notes:

<sup>\*</sup>Campaign topics and timings are subject to change.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Community Pharmacy contractors should retain their Minor Ailment Service posters for future use.