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Re: Freedom of Information Request

Please find below the response to your recent Freedom of Information request regarding Medicines Management formulary's within Southport and Formby CCG.

Request/Response:

1. Does the CCG have a formulary for Blood Glucose Test Strips and Lancets
If so please can you provide the formulary/s or link to the formulary/s

Please see the below links

<http://www.panmerseyapc.nhs.uk/guidelines/documents/G23.pdf>

<http://www.panmerseyapc.nhs.uk/recommendations/documents/PS176.pdf>

<http://www.panmerseyapc.nhs.uk/recommendations/documents/PS212.pdf?UNLID=89963218720171024175226>

2. Does the CCG have a formulary for Insulin Pen Needles
If so please can you provide the formulary/s or link to the formulary/s

Insulin pen needles and lancets are under consideration by the CCGs medicines management team along with our commissioned specialist diabetes teams.

3. Is the CCG supported by CSU guidance, APC guidelines or regional or speciality guidance when forming the above formularies for BGTS, Lancets and Pen Needles

NHS Southport and Formby CCG has ratified the Pan Mersey APC formulary and guidance relating to blood glucose testing.

4. Please advise the responsible Medicines Optimisation contact for the above formularies and their contact detail

[Susanne Lynch - Susanne.Lynch@southportandformbyccg.nhs.uk](mailto:Susanne.Lynch@southportandformbyccg.nhs.uk)

5. Please advise the dates when the above Formularies were last reviewed and when they are set for next review.

[See the above links which have the date of production and review stated.](#)