NHS

Primary Care Commissioning

Learning Disabilities DES – worked examples

June 2009

1. Practice A

2008/09

Practice A indicates they wish to provide the service and agree their register with the PCT on 26 Feb. They have 50 patients so receive a register agreement payment of 50 x £50 = £2,500.

They subsequently submit their annual return which shows that they have completed 30 compliant health checks. The health check completion payment is calculated as

30 x £100 = £3,000 minus the register agreement payment of £2,500. Payment owed is £500.

2009/10

As practice A provided the service in 2008/9 no register agreement payment is owed. At the end of the year they submit their annual return which shows that 40 patients have had a compliant health check. Their health check completion payment is 40 x £100 i.e. £4,000.

2. Practice B

2008/09

Practice B indicates they wish to provide the service and agree their register with the PCT on 5 Mar. They aren't entitled to any register agreement payment.

They subsequently submit their annual return which shows that they have completed 30 compliant health checks. The health check completion payment is calculated as

30 x £100 = £3,000.

2009/10

As practice B provided the service in 2008/9 no register agreement payment is owed. At the end of the year they submit their annual return which shows that 40 patients have had a compliant health check. Their health check completion payment is 40 x £100 i.e. £4,000.

3. Practice C

2008/09

Practice C indicates they wish to provide the service and agree their register with the PCT on 26 Feb. They have 50 patients so receive a register agreement payment of 50 x £50 = £2,500.

They subsequently submit their annual return which shows that they have completed 10 compliant health checks. The health check completion payment is calculated as

10 x £100 = £1,000 minus the register agreement payment of £2,500. Practice owes the PCT £1,500.

2009/10

As practice A provided the service in 2008/9 no register agreement payment is owed. At the end of the year they submit their annual return which shows that 40 patients have had a compliant health check. Their health check completion payment is 40 x £100 i.e. £4,000.

4. Practice D

2008/09

Practice D doesn't provide the service in 2008/9.

2009/10

Practice D decides they wish to provide the service and agree their register with the PCT in May 2009. They are entitled to a register agreement payment for the 40 patients on their register i.e. 40 x £50 = £2,000.

At the end of the year their annual return shows they have completed 20 compliant health checks and receive a health check completion payment of:

20 x £100 - £2,000 = £0.