

Compass update no. 49

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Compass Downtime

Please be advised that Compass will be unavailable from 18:00 on Saturday 10 November until 09:00 on Sunday 11 November 2018 due to essential maintenance.

Post ARR

The Post ARR facility is now available to Providers and Performers in Compass should they need to amend their 2017/2018 declared net earnings.

To identify any contracts where the 2017/2018 ceiling has been exceeded you can run the 'Contracts where NPE/NPEE Ceiling Exceeded' report located in the Data Cleanse folder within the reporting folder on Compass.

If you have recorded under performance for 2017/2018 against a contract, you should advise the Provider that they will need to undertake a Post ARR review to reduce the declared NPE/NPEE to take into consideration the reduced TCV if they haven't already done so.

If you or the provider are making changes to the contract and receive the error message 'NPE ceiling exceeded for 17/18' then the NPE/NPEE will need to be reduced via the Post ARR process before the current changes can be submitted.

The Post ARR facility will be available until the end of March 2019.

Inactive Performer Report

A new report called '**Performers with No NPE or Activity in Financial Year**' has been posted into in the Data Cleanse folder within the Reporting folder on Compass. This report looks at performers on paid contracts that have no pensionable earnings and have not submitted any activity in the financial year specified. This may suggest that the performers have left the contract and Compass needs updating.

Online FP17 Pilot

In the last bulletin (No 48) we advised you that from 1 May 2019 new courses of dental treatment will only be accepted by electronic submission and that in

preparation for this, the NHSBSA have developed an online FP17 and FP17O that can be created by the Provider, Performer or Practice Manager in the Compass system as a direct replacement for the currently submitted paper forms.

The Online FP17 Pilot has been extremely successful and we have therefore decided to roll it out to all paper practices at the beginning of December well ahead of the deadline.

eDEN Update

As you may be aware, the new NHSBSA Dental reporting system, eDEN, was pencilled in for delivery at the end of December 2018.

We can confirm that the decision was ultimately taken to not go live on this date.

This decision was based upon numerous factors including a delay in the implementation of the infrastructure that will allow the data to flow between systems, without which the reporting system proper would not function.

We fully appreciate this is disappointing news, however, this delay will hopefully allow time to gather user feedback on the products being developed before launch.

The project re-plan is currently in progress and the new target date will be communicated as soon as it is available.

We appreciate your continued patience and please do let the Dental Insight team know me know if you have any questions at nhsbsa.dentalinsight@nhs.net

NHS Dental Services User Forum

It has been a while now since the last NHS Dental Services User Forum, and whilst we may have seemed to be quiet, there has been a lot of work going on in the background to implement a number of changes to Compass. Some of these changes are due to go live at the beginning of December and others in the New Year. In light of this, we are planning the next User Forum for January 2019 when there should also be a further update regarding e-DEN. Invitations will be sent out in due course when a date and venue have been confirmed.