

Dear Colleague

PHARMACEUTICAL SERVICES AMENDMENTS TO THE DRUG TARIFF PART 11 DISCOUNT CLAWBACK SCALE

Purpose

1. This circular advises pharmacy contractors and NHS Boards on amendments to the Drug Tariff Part 11 clawback scale.

Detail

2. Circular PCA(P) (2021) 21 advised that the Drug Tariff in respect of Part 11 discount clawback scale would be reset to 5.03% effective 1 January 2022.

Drug Tariff Part 11

3. The Part 11 discount clawback scale will be reset to **0.00%** effective **1 February 2023 to 31 March 2023**. The target clawback scale has been adjusted accordingly. See the attached clawback scale at Annex A.

4. The Part 11 discount clawback scale will subject to a further reset to **4.00%** effective **1 April 2023**. See the attached clawback scale at Annex B for details.

5. Pending any further notice, the Part 11 target clawback rate shall be reviewed in accordance with the agreed context of the funding arrangements upon receipt of the next set of survey results.

Consultation

7. Community Pharmacy Scotland has been consulted on this amendment and the contents of this circular.

24 February 2023

Addresses

For action

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Boards

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Action

8. NHS Boards are asked to:

- note the contents of this circular;
- copy this circular to all community pharmacy contractors on their pharmaceutical lists, Health and Social Care Partnerships and the Area Pharmaceutical Committee.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Alison Strath', is positioned below the closing text. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a prominent initial 'A'.

Professor Alison Strath

Chief Pharmaceutical Officer and Deputy Director Pharmacy & Medicines Division

ANNEX A: CLAWBACK SCALE FEB-MARCH 2023

Ingredient value		Rate at
From	To	0.00%
£0	£3,000	0.00%
£3,000	£3,250	0.00%
£3,250	£3,500	0.00%
£3,500	£3,750	0.00%
£3,750	£4,000	0.00%
£4,000	£4,250	0.00%
£4,250	£4,500	0.00%
£4,500	£4,750	0.00%
£4,750	£5,000	0.00%
£5,000	£5,250	0.00%
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£20,750	£21,000	0.00%
£21,000	£21,250	0.00%
£21,250	£21,500	0.00%
£21,500	£21,750	0.00%
£21,750	£22,000	0.00%
£22,000	£22,250	0.00%

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£22,250	£22,500	0.00%
£22,500	£22,750	0.00%
£22,750	£23,000	0.00%
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£29,250	£29,750	0.00%
£29,750	£30,250	0.00%
£30,250	£30,750	0.00%
£30,750	£31,250	0.00%
£31,250	£31,750	0.00%
£31,750	£32,250	0.00%
£32,250	£33,000	0.00%
£33,000	£33,500	0.00%
£33,500	£34,000	0.00%
£34,000	£34,750	0.00%
£34,750	£35,250	0.00%
£35,250	£36,000	0.00%
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£36,750	£37,500	0.00%
£37,500	£38,000	0.00%
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£39,750	£40,500	0.00%

£40,500	£41,500	0.00%
£41,500	£42,250	0.00%
£42,250	£43,250	0.00%
£43,250	£44,250	0.00%
£44,250	£45,250	0.00%
£45,250	£46,500	0.00%
£46,500	£47,500	0.00%
£47,500	£48,750	0.00%
£48,750	£50,000	0.00%
£50,000	£51,500	0.00%
£51,500	£52,750	0.00%
£52,750	£54,250	0.00%
£54,250	£56,000	0.00%
£56,000	£57,500	0.00%
£57,500	£59,500	0.00%
£59,500	£61,250	0.00%
£61,250	£63,250	0.00%
£63,250	£65,500	0.00%
£65,500	£67,750	0.00%
£67,750	£70,250	0.00%
£70,250	£73,000	0.00%
£73,000	£75,750	0.00%
£75,750	£79,000	0.00%
£79,000	£82,500	0.00%
£82,500	£86,000	0.00%
£86,000	£90,250	0.00%
£90,250	£94,500	0.00%
£94,500	£99,500	0.00%
£99,500	£105,000	0.00%
£105,000	£111,000	0.00%
£111,000	£118,000	0.00%
£118,000	£125,500	0.00%
£125,500	£134,500	0.00%
£134,500	£144,500	0.00%
£144,500	£156,250	0.00%
£156,250	£170,250	0.00%
£170,250	£187,000	0.00%
£187,000	£207,000	0.00%
£207,000	£232,250	0.00%
£232,250	£264,250	0.00%
£264,250	or higher	0.00%

ANNEX B: CLAWBACK SCALES FROM APRIL 2023

Ingredient value		Rate at			
From	To	4.00%			
£0	£3,000	0.00%	£12,500	£12,750	2.94%
£3,000	£3,250	0.00%	£12,750	£13,000	2.97%
£3,250	£3,500	0.00%	£13,000	£13,250	3.00%
£3,500	£3,750	0.00%	£13,250	£13,500	3.03%
£3,750	£4,000	0.00%	£13,500	£13,750	3.05%
£4,000	£4,250	0.00%	£13,750	£14,000	3.08%
£4,250	£4,500	0.08%	£14,000	£14,250	3.10%
£4,500	£4,750	0.32%	£14,250	£14,500	3.12%
£4,750	£5,000	0.53%	£14,500	£14,750	3.15%
£5,000	£5,250	0.72%	£14,750	£15,000	3.17%
£5,250	£5,500	0.89%	£15,000	£15,250	3.19%
£5,500	£5,750	1.05%	£15,250	£15,500	3.21%
£5,750	£6,000	1.20%	£15,500	£15,750	3.23%
£6,000	£6,250	1.33%	£15,750	£16,000	3.25%
£6,250	£6,500	1.45%	£16,000	£16,250	3.27%
£6,500	£6,750	1.57%	£16,250	£16,500	3.29%
£6,750	£7,000	1.67%	£16,500	£16,750	3.31%
£7,000	£7,250	1.77%	£16,750	£17,000	3.32%
£7,250	£7,500	1.86%	£17,000	£17,250	3.34%
£7,500	£7,750	1.95%	£17,250	£17,500	3.36%
£7,750	£8,000	2.03%	£17,500	£17,750	3.37%
£8,000	£8,250	2.10%	£17,750	£18,000	3.39%
£8,250	£8,500	2.17%	£18,000	£18,250	3.40%
£8,500	£8,750	2.24%	£18,250	£18,500	3.42%
£8,750	£9,000	2.30%	£18,500	£18,750	3.43%
£9,000	£9,250	2.36%	£18,750	£19,000	3.44%
£9,250	£9,500	2.41%	£19,000	£19,250	3.46%
£9,500	£9,750	2.47%	£19,250	£19,500	3.47%
£9,750	£10,000	2.52%	£19,500	£19,750	3.48%
£10,000	£10,250	2.57%	£19,750	£20,000	3.49%
£10,250	£10,500	2.61%	£20,000	£20,250	3.51%
£10,500	£10,750	2.65%	£20,250	£20,500	3.52%
£10,750	£11,000	2.70%	£20,500	£20,750	3.53%
£11,000	£11,250	2.74%	£20,750	£21,000	3.54%
£11,250	£11,500	2.77%	£21,000	£21,250	3.55%
£11,500	£11,750	2.81%	£21,250	£21,500	3.56%
£11,750	£12,000	2.84%	£21,500	£21,750	3.57%
£12,000	£12,250	2.88%	£21,750	£22,000	3.58%
£12,250	£12,500	2.91%	£22,000	£22,250	3.59%

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£22,250	£22,500	3.60%
£22,500	£22,750	3.61%
£22,750	£23,000	3.62%
£23,000	£23,250	3.63%
£23,250	£23,500	3.64%
£23,500	£23,750	3.65%
£23,750	£24,250	3.66%
£24,250	£24,500	3.67%
£24,500	£24,750	3.68%
£24,750	£25,000	3.69%
£25,000	£25,500	3.70%
£25,500	£25,750	3.71%
£25,750	£26,250	3.72%
£26,250	£26,500	3.73%
£26,500	£27,000	3.74%
£27,000	£27,250	3.75%
£27,250	£27,750	3.76%
£27,750	£28,000	3.77%
£28,000	£28,500	3.78%
£28,500	£29,000	3.79%
£29,000	£29,250	3.80%
£29,250	£29,750	3.81%
£29,750	£30,250	3.82%
£30,250	£30,750	3.83%
£30,750	£31,250	3.84%
£31,250	£31,750	3.85%
£31,750	£32,250	3.86%
£32,250	£33,000	3.87%
£33,000	£33,500	3.88%
£33,500	£34,000	3.89%
£34,000	£34,750	3.90%
£34,750	£35,250	3.91%
£35,250	£36,000	3.92%
£36,000	£36,750	3.93%
£36,750	£37,500	3.94%
£37,500	£38,000	3.95%
£38,000	£39,000	3.96%
£39,000	£39,750	3.97%
£39,750	£40,500	3.98%

£40,500	£41,500	3.99%
£41,500	£42,250	4.00%
£42,250	£43,250	4.01%
£43,250	£44,250	4.02%
£44,250	£45,250	4.03%
£45,250	£46,500	4.04%
£46,500	£47,500	4.05%
£47,500	£48,750	4.06%
£48,750	£50,000	4.07%
£50,000	£51,500	4.08%
£51,500	£52,750	4.09%
£52,750	£54,250	4.10%
£54,250	£56,000	4.11%
£56,000	£57,500	4.12%
£57,500	£59,500	4.13%
£59,500	£61,250	4.14%
£61,250	£63,250	4.15%
£63,250	£65,500	4.16%
£65,500	£67,750	4.17%
£67,750	£70,250	4.18%
£70,250	£73,000	4.19%
£73,000	£75,750	4.20%
£75,750	£79,000	4.21%
£79,000	£82,500	4.22%
£82,500	£86,000	4.23%
£86,000	£90,250	4.24%
£90,250	£94,500	4.25%
£94,500	£99,500	4.26%
£99,500	£105,000	4.27%
£105,000	£111,000	4.28%
£111,000	£118,000	4.29%
£118,000	£125,500	4.30%
£125,500	£134,500	4.31%
£134,500	£144,500	4.32%
£144,500	£156,250	4.33%
£156,250	£170,250	4.34%
£170,250	£187,000	4.35%
£187,000	£207,000	4.36%
£207,000	£232,250	4.37%
£232,250	£264,250	4.38%
£264,250	or higher	4.39%