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To all Community Pharmacies in the Wessex area

Dear Colleague,

Pharmacy practice-based audit

Please see attached details of the Valproate Safety Audit launched last week for community pharmacy teams to use in reviewing their support for girls and women taking valproate medicines. All Community Pharmacies can use this tool.

CCA member companies will be disseminating the audit resources directly to their pharmacy teams over the next few weeks so that they can participate. However other pharmacies can use this resource as well and, given the importance of this year's topic, the CCA is wholeheartedly urging **all** community pharmacies to participate (see below for attached CCA press release).

Please can all recipients raise awareness of this audit tool, and how it can be used to by pharmacies to complete their practice-based audit, a contractual requirement for the NHS Pharmacy Contract.

Kind regards

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Attachments:

[Valproate Safety Audit](#)

[CCA Press release](#)