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Dear Contractor

**Re: BP@Home extension**

We at NHS England Cheshire & Merseyside are pleased to confirm that your current BP@Home contract for delivery of BP@Home service to patients registered with a Knowsley GP practice is being extended for a further 12 months from 1st April 2023 ending on 31 March 2024 in accordance with Schedule C of your existing signed contract (See below)

Although this is less than the 2 months’ notice period under paragraph 2, our discussions with your LPC has been ongoing prior to Jan 2023 and we are hopeful that you fully support the extension and the opportunity this provides Knowsley community pharmacy contractors to further demonstrate their positive impact on the health of Knowsley population.

We appreciate if you reply to this email so we can update our contractual arrangements and therefore you will continue to receive payment following delivery of the service.

1. **Extension of Contract Term**

*To be included only in accordance with the Contract Technical Guidance.*

1. [As advertised to all prospective providers during the competitive tendering exercise leading to the award of this Contract], the Commissioners may opt to extend the Contract Term by 1 year.
2. If the Commissioners wish to exercise the option to extend the Contract Term, the Co-ordinating Commissioner must give written notice to that effect to the Provider no later than 2 months before the original Expiry Date.
3. The option to extend the Contract Term may be exercised:
   1. only once, and only on or before the date referred to in paragraph 2 above.
   2. only by all Commissioners; and
   3. only in respect of all Services
4. If the Co-ordinating Commissioner gives notice to extend the Contract Term in accordance with paragraph 2 above, the Contract Term will be extended by the period specified in that notice and the Expiry Date will be deemed to be the date of expiry of that period.

Kind regards

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