

## **PROPOSED 'ROAD MAP' FOR DEVELOPMENT OF PCN CLINICAL PHARMACISTS**

This document outlines example 'road map' for PCN Clinical Pharmacists within GP Practice including examples of expected supervision. Please note this is only a guide and the time periods and supervision needed may vary to the individual's training needs.

## **Clinical Pharmacists (New to Practice)**

CPPE Educational pathway (18 months)	Independent Prescribing (IP) qualification - if needed (6 months)	Ongoing development in practice
Pharmacist Peer - 1:1 / group monthly meetings	Continued peer support through networks and training opportunities	
GP Mentor Induction period* (12 weeks) - access potentially needed after every patient / daily (30 minutes) until competence ascertained	IP period (6 months) As per development period + assessments and training as per IP course requirements	Continued clinical supervision Weekly / monthly /12-weekly development sessions depending on individual and roles undertaken

Daily access to a duty GP or other suitably trained / experienced Allied Health Professionalfor day to day queries whilst working in practice

\*During the induction period i(f a pharmacist is placed in multiple GP practices) it is suggested that the pharmacist builds relationships with all practices, but the main clinical aspect of training is delivered by one practice.