

## Two Primary Care Networks working with us on a continence switch programme

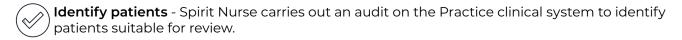
We have two new Primary Care Networks about to start work with a continence medicines optimisation programme, saving both PCNs £75,000 - £105,000 per annum.

This programme involves supplying patients with SpiritCare products, such as catheters, that support patients in confidently managing their continence diagnosis – all delivered with end-to-end service Active Implementation.

## Aims and objectives

- · Empower patients in managing their health diagnosis effectively and safely
- · Reduce expenditure on continence products
- · Improve quality of patient care
- · Obtain 60% 70% practice engagement
- · Receive 90% positive feedback from practices and patients

## How it works



**GP approval** - The GP will review and approve the patient list and flag any additional ad hoc exclusions.

**Product review and outcome** - Identified patients will have their current appliances reviewed in line with the local formulary by telephone appointment.

**Product update** - The Spirit Nurse recommendations will be discussed with the patient lead GP who will then authorise the changes made to their treatment plan.

Communication to patients - Spirit Nurses send letters to the agreed patients to notify them of the changes to their prescription.

Final review and evaluation performance - A Spirit Pharmacist will review the work undertaken with the GP against the objectives set once implementation is complete.

## **Expected outcomes**

- Reduced product expenditure medicines optimisation teams will see a reduction in continence product spend.
- Maintain and uphold patient care More patients can safely and confidently manage their health condition with SpiritCare products.