

# Kent and Medway ICB Community Pharmacy Contact Points



## Medicines Optimisations Team Contact Points

Team	Name	Job Title	Email	Areas of Responsibility
ICB Medicines Optimisation	Associate Directors of HCP Areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>DGS-Dami Adebisi</li> <li>East Kent- Balraj Minhas</li> <li>Medway &amp; Swale- Prina Sadhev</li> <li>West Kent- Jagdeep Minhas</li> </ul>		<a href="mailto:kmicb.dgscg.medman@nhs.net">kmicb.dgscg.medman@nhs.net</a> <a href="mailto:bkmicb.eastkentprescribing@nhs.net">bkmicb.eastkentprescribing@nhs.net</a> <a href="mailto:medwayswale.meds@nhs.net">medwayswale.meds@nhs.net</a> <a href="mailto:kmicb.wkmedman@nhs.net">kmicb.wkmedman@nhs.net</a>	Lead pharmacists for medicines optimisation in each HCP area, and oversight of local portfolio of work <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Medicines commissioning including formularies, pathways and services</li> <li>Finance and prescribing budgets</li> <li>Implementation and monitoring of patient safety and quality initiatives</li> <li>Providing local leadership to facilitate collaboration and communication between partners.</li> </ul>

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ICB Medicines Optimisation	Gaye Lewington	Chief Pharmacist	<a href="mailto:gaye.lewington1@nhs.net">gaye.lewington1@nhs.net</a>	<p>ICB strategic lead for medicines optimisation portfolio.</p> <p>Professional lead for pharmacy profession, including pharmacists, pharmacy technicians and support staff.</p>
	Priscilla Kankam	Deputy Director of Nursing, Quality & Medicines Optimisation	<a href="mailto:pkankam@nhs.net">pkankam@nhs.net</a>	<p>Deputy Chief Pharmacist</p> <p>SRO for community pharmacy integration</p> <p>SRO for Covid &amp; Flu Vaccination Program</p>
	Naomi Finch	<p>Associate Director- Lead for Community Pharmacy Integration</p> <p>Matrix role sitting in medicines optimisation with close links and working to POD team in primary care</p>	<a href="mailto:naomifinch@nhs.net">naomifinch@nhs.net</a>	<p>Lead for community pharmacy clinical services in Kent &amp; Medway, with a key focus on the roll-out of national services. Also covering community Pharmacy PCN Leads and independent prescribing pathfinder programme.</p>

# Community Pharmacy Workforce Team Contact Points

Team	Name	Job Title	Email	Areas of Responsibility
<p>ICB Pharmacy Workforce</p> <p><b>Join our NHS Futures Networks:</b></p> <p><a href="#">Kent and Medway Pharmacy Professionals Network - FutureNHS Collaboration Platform</a></p> <p><a href="#">Kent and Medway Independent Prescribing (IP) and Designated Prescribing Practitioners (DPP) Network - FutureNHS Collaboration Platform</a></p>	<p>Nirusha Govender</p> 	<p>Associate Director for Medicines Governance &amp; Pharmacy Education</p>	<p><a href="mailto:nirusha.govender@nhs.net">nirusha.govender@nhs.net</a></p>	<p>ICB Strategic Lead for Medicines Governance, Quality and Safety Programmes.</p> <p>ICB Strategic Lead for IPMO Pharmacy Workforce Transformation Programmes (incl. DPP).</p>
	<p>Maria Staines</p> 	<p>Pharmacy Workforce Transformation Programme Lead</p>	<p><a href="mailto:mariastaines@nhs.net">mariastaines@nhs.net</a></p>	<p>Support the IPMO pharmacy workforce transformation agenda, including the integration of training programmes and identifying opportunities for innovation in cross-sector and cross-organisation working within the system.</p>
	<p>Neha Bhatia</p> 	<p>Pharmacy Workforce Designated Prescribing Practitioner (DPP) Programme Lead</p>	<p><a href="mailto:neha.bhatia1@nhs.net">neha.bhatia1@nhs.net</a></p>	<p>Lead the project for developing and implementing a Designated Prescribing Practitioner (DPP) Education and Supervision Framework in line with the ICB key priorities and delivery plan of the overarching medicines optimisation strategy.</p>

# Primary Care Contact Points

Team	Name	Job Title	Email	Phone	Areas of Responsibility
ICB Primary Care	Sukh Singh	Director of Primary Care	sukh.singh@nhs.net	07795 918837	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>key member of the senior management team in Kent and Medway ICB that provides leadership and direction for the organisation in delivering our vision for primary care (general practice, pharmacy, optometry and dental).</li> <li>provide well-co-ordinated primary care services to our local population</li> </ul>
	Louise Matthews	Deputy Director Primary Care POD Delegation	Louise.matthews5@nhs.net	07393 762264	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>developing and implementing the POD delegated services across the ICB</li> <li>ensuring the ICB enacts its delegated duties and has appropriate delivery mechanisms in place</li> <li>development and oversight of any shared operating models (implemented by the Southeast ICBs).</li> </ul>

## South East Pharmacy Commissioning Hub Contact Points

Team	Name	Job Title	Email	Phone	Areas of Responsibility
SE Pharmacy Optometry and Dental Commissioning Hub (hosted by Frimley ICB)	SE Hub Pharmacy Team		frimleyicb.southeastc ommunitypharmacy @nhs.net		Enquiries and notifications relating to the community pharmacy contract
	Julia Booth	Head of Primary Care – Lead for Pharmacy, Optometry	julia.booth@nhs.net	07341 090267	SE Lead for Community Pharmacy regulatory and contractual matters and management of SE Pharmacy Hub Team
	Bekithemba (Themba) Mhlanga	Pharmacy and Optometry Senior Commissioning Manager	bekithemba.mhlanga @nhs.net	07776 509797	Manager for pharmacy regulatory and contractual matters with a focus on Kent, Surrey & Sussex