If your pharmacy has returned a signed contract to North East Lincolnshire council for the provision of the revised ACT sexual health service, then the new updated ACT service PharmOutcomes platforms will have been switched on for your pharmacy.

The new ACT service specification and updated PGDs enable EHC to be provided by registered pharmacists and registered pharmacy technicians who have completed their declaration of competency.

Please ensure all registered professionals providing the EHC service have read and signed the new PGDs which should be retained in the pharmacy, and they have read and understood the service specification prior to delivering this service.

- All clients accessing provision of EHC, Chlamydia testing Kits and Pregnancy testing must be recorded on the ACT Service client Registration platform.
- All patients requiring an EHC consultation must also be recorded on the ACT EHC Consultation platform following registration as above.

Please note the EHC consultation platform requires each registered professional to enroll and declare their competencies prior to using the consultation platform.

Several useful documents are embedded in the ACT service platforms which can be viewed, downloaded, or printed to support you with the ACT service.

## **Resources hosted in the ACT Service Client Registration Platform:**

- ACT service specification
- Condom and Chlamydia kit ordering information
- Pharmacy Chlamydia Kit Log
- Pregnancy referral pathways
- Safeguarding guidance and contact details
- Local sexual health services and referral details
- "Spotting the Signs" risk assessment form
- Under 16 years checklist

#### Resources hosted in the ACT EHC Consultation platform Nov 24:

#### Service support documents

- Pharmacy ACT service specification
- Consultation record form for offline use Nov 24
- EC clinical decision tree Nov 2024

- Referral form for clients who do not fit EHC criteria 2024-26
- Condom and Chlamydia Kit orders

## Local referral pathways

- North East Lincolnshire Safeguarding referral information
- North East Lincolnshire Pregnancy pathways
- NEL Sexual health service referral details

#### Safeguarding and Fraser competency

- Under 16 years checklist including Fraser competency check
- Spotting the signs

# PGDs valid from 1st August 2024 to 31st March 2026

- Levonorgestrel PGD for Pharmacists and Registered technicians August 2024
- Ulipristal PGD for Pharmacists and Registered technicians August 2024

#### External clinical reference documents

- Levonorgestrel PIL
- Ulipristal Acetate PIL
- All Product information leaflets (PIL) available to download from emc
- FSRH Emergency Contraception Guidelines 03 Dec 2020 amended July 2023
- FSRH CEU recommended actions after incorrect use of CHC March 2020amended July 2021
- FPA contraceptive and sexual health leaflets