

File 454 Circular 19/06

## **Pharmaceutical Service**

## **Free of Charge Items**

I have had a message from NHS Prescription Services about free-of-charge items appearing on submitted prescriptions.

These include, but are not limited to

- Clini Disposable bag OST175N
- Readywipes dry
- Readywipes plus
- Disposable bags
- Ostomy disposable bags OST629N
- Disposable bags (clinisupplies)
- Disposal bag (ostomy) reseal 904Q
- Ostomy disposal bags

Please can local Pharmacy Contractors help our colleagues at the NHSBSA by ensuring that these items are crossed off forms submitted for payment. Please endorse the item "ND" written in the endorsement column and put the correct number of items put in the endorsement box.

Thank you in advance for your kind co-operation with this matter. As always please do not hesitate to get in touch if there are any queries or concerns about this circular.

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