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Title	Withdrawal of the Reinstatement of Validation to the Professional Registration Number Field in ESR	
Purpose	To inform users of the withdrawal of the reinstatement of validation to the registration number fields in ESR for Health Care Professionals	
Intended Audience	All NHS Organisations	

SUBJECT

Following a statement from the Minister for Health that Professional Registration Bodies were to close their temporary/emergency registers fully by 30th September 2022, the validation, which was removed from the registration number fields to allow temporary registrants to be recorded in ESR, was due to be reinstated in Release 55 at the end of September.

A further statement from the Health and Social Care Secretary published on the 22nd September 2022 stated that the temporary/emergency registers should remain open for a further 2 years.

DETAIL

In response to the statement the reintroduction of the validation applied to the Registration Number fields in ESR, as outlined in RN503 Guide to Enhancements and Changes Release 55.0.0.0 & 55.1.0.0, has been withdrawn to enable organisations to continue to record temporary registrants within ESR.

This applies to registrants for the following Professional Bodies:

- Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC)
- Health and Care Professions Council (HCPC)
- General Pharmaceutical Council (GPhC).

ACTION REQUIRED

None.

FURTHER INFORMATION

Further information regarding the Health and Social Care Secretaries' statement can be found on the Government's website - [Our plan for patients](#).

NEXT UPDATE

None.

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