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## **Announcement of methodological changes to NHS Immunisation Statistics, England 2012/13 [NS]<sup>1</sup>**

From April 2013, Primary Care Trusts (PCTs) and Strategic Health Authorities (SHAs) ceased to exist and NHS England has taken on many of the functions of the former PCTs with regard to the commissioning of primary care health services. NHS England has 27 Area Teams (ATs) and 211 Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCGs), which share responsibility for commissioning services for their local communities. Immunisation services are commissioned by the Area Teams.

As the statistics presented in this report relate to 2012-13 and predate the NHS re-organisation, they are primarily presented by PCT and SHA. However, the Data Tables now include additional tables which show immunisation coverage statistics by Area Teams. The table references are Table 10c, 11c and 12c.

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<sup>1</sup> [NS] denotes that the publication has National Statistics status