NHS PRESCRIPTION AND REMUNERATION STATISTICS FOR ENGLAND PhS and LPS

	2016/17		2017/18		2017/18	
	<u>January</u> per Rx in £ p	YTD er Rx in £	<u>January</u> per Rx in <u>£</u> p	YTD per Rx in £	<u>January</u> <u>%</u>	YTD %
Ingredient Cost <u>Less</u> : Discount Sub-total Container Payments + Allowance	7.76 -0.59 7.17 0.04	7.87 -0.60 7.27 0.04	7.50 -0.57 6.93 0.04	7.83 -0.60 7.23 0.04	-3.3% 2.9% -3.3% 1.5%	-0.6% 0.0% -0.6% 1.6%
Reimbursement per Item	<u>7.21</u>	<u>7.31</u>	<u>6.97</u>	<u>7.26</u>	<u>-3.3%</u>	<u>-0.6%</u>
Fees	1.57	1.83	1.66	1.63	5.6%	-11.2%
Total Payment/Rx	<u>8.78</u>	<u>9.14</u>	<u>8.63</u>	<u>8.89</u>	<u>-1.7%</u>	<u>-2.7%</u>
					<u>%</u>	<u>%</u>
Total NIC £m Total Rx Volume m	660.4 85.1	6800.4 864.0	667.4 88.9	6767.5 864.6	1.1% 4.5%	-0.5% 0.1%
Total Fees £m Total Gross Profit £m	133.6 133.6	1585.2 1585.2	147.5 147.5	1408.7 1408.7	10.4% 10.4%	-11.1% -11.1%

Note fees includes MUR but excludes oxygen, IT payments and payments to ESPS pharmacies