

Core brief

Introduction

This issue brings you news about pension changes and the Safer Information LearnPro module.

Changes in the SPPA procedure to provide estimates

All NHS staff should note that SPPA is making changes to the procedure for scheme members requesting estimates of their pension benefits. This new estimate procedure will affect all new applications for estimates received from 27 February 2020.

From 27 February 2020, members who request an estimate will be directed to our 'My Pension – online member services' <https://mypension.sppa.gov.uk> facility where they can access their most recent Annual Benefit Statement (ABS). This will show the value of their pension benefits using the most up to date information we have received from employers. Members can also use our online calculators to project their pension benefits to their planned date of retirement. [To see the full Circular click here.](#)

Safe Information Handling LearnPro module

We have replaced the current Safe Information Handling LearnPro module which was developed by NES with one of our own modules.

You do not have to take any action at the moment if your current Safe Information Handling shows as valid. When your mandatory training is next due for review you should complete the new module under the Statutory/Mandatory section of LearnPro (Course reference no. GGC009).

If you have any questions about this please email us at data.protection@ggc.scot.nhs.uk

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