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- All patient facing pharmacists must be supported to become independent prescribers
- The infrastructure must be established to support and facilitate the use of IP in all care settings
- Ongoing support must be available to all IPs including peer review and mentorship

Sustaining implementation of change for more IPs

Opportunities to practice as IPs

All pharmacists working for General Practices in England will be IPs

Need to find opportunities for community pharmacists to use an IP qualification

Capacity in Universities

In the future newly qualified pharmacist may all be IPs

For currently qualified pharmacist make it easier to become an IP - Change learning and accreditation to competency based assessment?

Capacity from DMPs/DPPs

Support and encourage new DMPs and DPPs

Provide educational support, peer support and financial rewards to new DMPs and DPPs

Enabling IPs to practice safely

Working as part of the multidisciplinary team

Having read/write access to the patients medical record

Ongoing CPD/feedback and peer review