

# Interface Prescribing Support for Unlicensed Specials

South East London

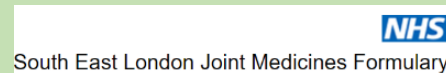
SEL Formulary Interface Pharmacists **Helen Cooper & Sheatha Abumehdi** provide individualised medicines support to primary care prescribers, with a focus on rationalising prescribing of unlicensed specials across the region.

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## Paediatrics



- Ensure cost- and clinical-effective formulations are supplied
- Support complex patient medication reviews
- Update and improve access to SEL Paediatric Formulary [Clinibee](#)
- Provide training and clinical update
- Develop prescribing guidance for medicines in children



## Adults [South East London Joint Medicines Formulary](#)

- Align prescribing practices across SEL ICS to reduce errors and potential harm
- Standardise formulation strengths for unlicensed products in line with Drug Tariff Part VIII B
- Optimise prescribing of unlicensed vitamins and minerals according to the indication and clinical need

## Adult & Paediatric Dermatology

- Rationalise and optimise dermatology specials prescribing in line with [SEL Dermatology Guidelines](#)
- Work with SEL Dermatology Working Group and GSTT Manufacturing Unit to ensure SEL IMOC approved dermatological unlicensed preparations are cost effective and in line with [British Association of Dermatologists](#) recommendation

**Additional support offered:** work with Medicines Safety Group and respond to medication incidents, standardise procurement of unlicensed specials, support interface issues and ensure consistency and continuity of unlicensed medicines supply.