**Best practice: Oestradiol**

Oestradiol patches supply issues includes a helpful table on oestrogen and progesterone products and covers the following:

* Global supply issues with oestradiol patches may continue for the foreseeable future. Consider if alternative oral treatment may be appropriate or if an alternative brand can be prescribed.
* Both Estradot® and Climara® patches can be halved if needed. The remaining half can be left in the pouch in a sealed container to be used for their next dose.
* Utrogestan® capsules are now fully funded with no restrictions and can be used for progestogenic opposition to oestrogen based MHT.