Migration timetable and claim window for HB Claimants

Note: this represents the earliest the process could start and could be subject to change.

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More details on benefit combinations

April 2024	June 2024	July 2024	August 2024	September 2024
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ESA Managed Migration

After an announcement from the Prime Minister on 19 April 2024, ESA migration that was due to take place in 2028 has now been moved forward and our current planning assumption is to begin notifying customers claiming ESA and ESA with HB from September 2024, with the aim of notifying everyone to make the move to UC by December 2025.

We will however work closely with LA partners on the detailed approach and will share more information with you when this work is completed.

This guidance will be updated to reflect ESA Managed Migration when more detail is known.